THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Notwithstanding Predictions to the Contrary, Wheat Was Lively.

THE ACTION IN CORN CAUSES SURPRISE.

Fear of Manipulation Gives the Oats Crowd a Stirring Up—All Grades of Stock Rule Fairly Heavy.

CHICAGO, June 5.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—There was a rousing wheat market most of the day and it was not one sided either. The quiet market for a day or two past gave many the impression that an easier market and lower prices must follow. The bears were the first to try to take advantage of this sentiment and on the curb and floor this morning they sold heavily, with the one object of breaking the market. With the excellent weather here, with the lower cables and other bear influences they managed to open the prices lower and further depress them for a time. Still the first price of July was 92c, only ⅛c lower, and the bottom figure was 91⅝c, or ⅜c under last night. This ended the decline. Under the lead of Logan & Co. and other commission houses the crowd very quickly absorbed all the wheat offered under 92c for July. The Inglis reports on flies and blight to wheat in eastern India and storms in the north caused a decline of ten to twelve points in Kansas. Conditions for the month, according to the state report and the belief that Hutchinson was breaking the price to buy on, gave the market a good up turn. July, from 91⅝c, went about noon to 92⅝c, reacted to 92⅜c, went a second time to 92⅝c, with little reaction up to 1 o'clock. June wheat was quoted at 90½c and 91½c. August sold at 91⅝c and 92⅜c, September at 91⅝c and 92⅜c, December at 92⅝c and 93⅛c up to the same hour. The receipts here were moderate and the export clearances were but 35,000 bushels from New York and practically nothing from other ports. The Price Current estimate by states was wired to a few houses, but contained nothing new. That authority makes the total crop 275,000,000 bushels of winter wheat and 150,000,000 bushels of spring wheat. Other authorities present figures to show that the country can not, even with the present conditions and chances, produce a crop of over 400,000,000 bushels. Wheat held firm at the close at a little under the best prices and not materially changed from the close yesterday. The last prices were: June 92⅛c, July 92⅝c, August 92⅛c, September 92⅝c, December 93⅛c.

The corn market surprised trade again today. There was not a very showy buying in the pit by local houses, and no outside business of importance. There was no news of a special bullish character, and yet the market was remarkably strong all day, and prices advanced on a very mysterious absorption of all offerings.

The oats trade got another stirring up today. It was not manipulation exactly, but fear of it later, that did the business. The export demand is good. The crop news from the southwestern states was to the effect that the fields in many sections have been abandoned. This was followed by buying orders from St. Louis and this in turn started the local trade to buying, some to cover and others for the chance of an upturn. June sold 27¾c to 29¼c, closing 28⅛c; July 27⅝c to 27⅞c to the close; August 24⅜@25⅛c, closing 25⅛c; September 24⅝c to 25⅛c to 24⅞c to 25c to the close.

A fairly active business was reported in the market for hog products, and the feeling was steadier. "Shorts" were quite liberal purchasers today, though they confined their operations to lard and short rib sides. The trading was chiefly in contracts for July and September, with quite a good business in transferring ahead. The prices ruled higher for all leading articles and the market closed comparatively steady at about the outside figures. The demand on shipping account was fairly active in the way of filling small orders, and the offerings were moderate. A few orders were provided for at the previous prices.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, June 5.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—The demand is fair and prices are steady to strong on steer stock, yet it should be remembered that big heavy steers are 10c lower than Monday. While there has been little or no change in light, handy stock, there were about 3,000 Texans on the market, and all grades ruled steady. Native butchers' stock and canning stock also sold at steady prices. The stocker and feeder trade presented no new feature. Choice to extra beeves, $4.80@5.00; medium to good steers, 1,350 to 1,500 lbs., $4.40@4.70; 1,200 to 1,350 lbs., $4.00@4.60; 950 to 1,200 lbs., $3.25@4.00; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.00; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.40@3.25; bulk, $2.25@2.40; slop fed steers, $4.00@4.60; Texas-fed, $3.50@4.15; grassers, $2.40@3.25.

HOGS—The market is active and a strong nickel lower than at the close yesterday. The great bulk of sales of good to best mixed ranged between $3.65 and $3.70; a few sold a nickel lower and a few a nickel higher. Light sorts sold at $3.55 to $3.70.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, June 5.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The early stock market today was not marked by any unusual proceeding. The developments in the market late yesterday gave rise to a feeling of caution. Perhaps for this reason it was very quiet at the opening and the first prices were quite irregular as compared with last night's figures, but the changes were in all cases for small fractions, except in Sugar Refineries, which were up 1 per cent at 76¼. A drooping tendency was shown in the regular list at first but the market soon developed a strong tone, which was accompanied by more active trading, and the entire market responded with fractional advances, while a few specialties recorded larger gains. The activity was all in Sugar Refineries, Atchison, Oregon Transcontinental, Richmond & West Point, Lake Shore and St. Paul, and among the stocks of the regular active list Oregon Transcontinental was the most prominent for strength, touching 50, a gain of ⅝ per cent from its opening figures. Sugar Refineries, after a slight decline, advanced to 77¾, a rise of 1½, while Tennessee Coal rose 1½ to 55½ and Colorado Coal 1½ to 54. The strength became more general in the succeeding hour, and prices improved throughout the list. Chicago Gas rose to 54 and the Sugar Trust to 78½, or three points over the close yesterday. The Vanderbilts' shares were higher, with Canada Southern at 60¾ and Michigan Central at 104½. Villard properties were strong and higher. Rock Island, after touching 93¼ the first hour, rose to 94½. Union Pacific touched 67¾, but lost ½ before 12 o'clock. Coal stocks were firm and higher. The stock market held up well to the close and substantial gains were the order of the day. Sugar rose to 80¼, an advance of nearly 5 points. Other gains were: Chicago Gas, 1¾; Big Four, 1¼; Rock Island, ¾; Missouri Pacific, ⅝, with many others showing net gains of ¼ to ½ per cent.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	121	Northern Pacific	37
U. S. 4s coupons	122	do preferred	84⅛
U. S. 4½s regular	102⅝	C. & N. W.	116¾
U. S. 4½s coupon	102⅝	do preferred	140
Pacific 6s of '95	113½	N. Y. Central	110⅜
Central Pacific	35⅜	P. D. & E	21⅜
Chicago & Alton	130	Rock Island	94⅝
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	107	C. M. & St. P.	78⅝
		do preferred	120⅝
D. L. & W	145⅝	St. Paul & Omaha	35
Illinois Central	116¼	do preferred	98
I. B. & W		Union Pacific	67¼
Kansas & Texas	18	W. St. L. & P.	13½
Lake Shore	113⅝	do preferred	29⅝
Michigan Central	104	Western Union	85⅝
Missouri Pacific	75¼		

MONEY—Easy; 4@5½.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4½@5½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Active and strong; sixty-day bills, $4.85½; demand, $4.86¾.

Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, June 5.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	240	North Belle Isle	110
Brunswick Con	125	N. Commonwealth	250
Caledonia B H	250	Ontario	400
Con. Cal. & Va.	450	Plymouth	775
Deadwood T	130	Phœnix, Ariz	130
Eureka	300	Sierra Nevada	180
El Cristo	100	Sutter Creek	140
Gould & Curry	180	Horn Silver	140
Hale & Norcross	350	Iron Silver	190
Homestake	1000		

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 5.—1:15 p. m. close—Wheat—Easy; cash, 91½c; July 92⅜@92½c.

Corn—Steady; cash, 33⅜c; July 34⅛c.

Oats—Steady; cash, 27¾c; July, 27⅝@27¾c.

Rye—Steady at 53c.

Barley—Easy.

Prime Timothy—$1.42.

Flax—Easy; $1.43.

Whisky—$1.09.

Pork—Dull; cash, $12.87½; July, $12.87½; September, $13.05.

Lard—Steady; cash, $5.87½; July, $5.97½@6.00.

Flour—Steady.

Provisions—Shoulders, $5.10@5.20; short clear, $5.40@5.50; short ribs, $5.05.

Butter—Firm; creamery, 9@13½c; dairy, 8@13c.

Cheese—Steady; full cream cheddars, 7½@7¾c; flats, 7½@8c; Young Americas, 8@8½c.

Hides—Unchanged; light green salted, 5¾@6c; salted bulls, 5c; green salted calf, 6¾@7c; dry flint, 6@7c; dry salted hides, 6c; dry calf, 5@6c; deacons, 20c each.

Tallow—Unchanged; packed, 4¼@4½c; No. 2, 3½c; cake, 4¾c.

Eggs—Weak; fresh, 11½@12c.

	Receipts.	Shipm'ts.
Flour	5,000	4,000
Wheat	31,000	4,000
Corn	680,000	200,000
Oats	362,000	357,000

MINNEAPOLIS, June 5.—Wheat—Receipts 130 cars; shipments, 11 cars; market, high grades active, low generally slow. Closing: No. 1 hard, June, 88c; July, 89½c, on track, 90c; No. 1 northern, June, 87½c; July, 89½c; on track, 89c; No. 2 northern, June, 84c; July, 85½c; on track, 84@86c.

KANSAS CITY, June 5.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 hard, cash, 82c; No. 2 red, 87c.

Corn—Steady; No. 2, cash, 28c.

Oats—Easier; No. 2, cash, 26½c.

LIVERPOOL, June 5.—Wheat—Market dull, holders offer moderately. California No. 1, 7s 1½d per cental.

Corn—Market steady; demand fair; new mixed western 3s 6d per cental.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Wheat—Receipts, 5,400 bushels; exports, 35,800 bushels; spot dull and stronger; No. 2 red, 95½c in elevator; 95c afloat; 96¾@95¾c f o b; options firm; No. 2 red, June, closing at 95⅛c.

Corn—Receipts, 7,150 bushels; exports, 117,500 bushels; spot firm; No. 2, 41@41½c in elevator; 42@42½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 40@44½c; options stronger; June closing at 41¼c.

Oats—Receipts, 67,000 bushels; exports 72,000 bushels; spot stronger; No. 2 white, 34½@35½c; mixed western, 32@36c; white western, 34@40c; options firmer; June closing 33⅜.

Coffee—Options closed steady and 5@20 points down. Sales: 36,000 bags; June, $17.20@17.25; July, $16.90@17.00; spot Rio steady; fair cargoes, $20.00.

Sugar—Raw, firmer; fair refining, 4 15-16c; Centrifugals, 96 test, 6 9-16c; refined, oversold; quotations nominal.

Petroleum—United closed for July at 88½c.

Eggs—Easy; western 14½@14¾c.

Pork—Dull; mess $13.75@14.25.

Lard—Stronger; western steam closing at $6.20.

Butter—Prime, steady; western dairy, 6@10c; creamery, 6@14c; Elgin, 14c.

Cheese—Firm; western, 6¾@7¾c.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, June 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; market steady; beeves, $4.80@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.00; steers, $3.25@4.70; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.40@3.25; Texas steers, $2.40@4.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; market active, lower; mixed, $3.60@3.75; heavy, $3.60@3.80; light, $3.60@3.75; skips, $3.20@3.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; shipments, 1,000; market steady; natives, $4.00@5.75; western, $4.00@5.30; Texans, $3.25@4.75; lambs, $5.00@7.00.

ST. LOUIS, June 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,800; shipments, 2,600; market steady; fair to fancy native steers, $3.90@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.85@4.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,700; shipments, 1,400; market lower; heavy, $3.60@3.70; packing, $3.55@3.67½; light, $3.57½@3.65.

KANSAS CITY, June 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,700; shipments, 3,800; market steady; steers, $3.60@4.70; cows, $1.75@3.50; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,300; shipments, 2,300; market lower; all grades, $3.50@4.25.

SIOUX CITY, June 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 450; shipments, 400; market lower; fat steers, $3.85@4.30; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.85; common to fancy cows, $1.30@3.20; canners and bulls, $1.00@2.00; veal calves, $2.00@4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,800; market unsteady and lower at $3.30@3.57½.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Thursday, June 5.

Estimated receipts of cattle, 1,800, compared with 2,015 yesterday and 1,784 Thursday of last week. The market opened very slow and weak if not lower on everything except the few desirable grades of steers and cows. Heavy export steers are neglected, exporters doing little and prices tending lower. Light natty, little steers and fine cows hold their own and are the only grades of cattle that buyers seem to be looking after. The poorer grades of cows are slow and lower. Stockers and feeders are slow and weak. Bulls sympathize with cows and calves remain unchanged.

Hogs.

Estimated receipts of hogs 4,800, compared with 7,279 yesterday and 5,825 Thursday of last week. The market opened slow and 5 cents lower, soon became active, all changing hands before mid-day, closing active and firm at the decline. Range of prices, $3.45@3.55; light, $3.45@3.50; mixed, $3.47½@3.52½; heavy, $3.50@3.55. The average was $3.50, compared with $3.54¾ yesterday and $3.73¾ Thursday of last week.

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	$3.85	@4.65
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs	3.70	@4.40
Good steers, 1050 to 1300 lbs	3.65	@4.30
Common, 1000 to 1150 lbs	3.25	@3.70
Common canners	1.00	@2.00
Ordinary to fair cows	1.60	@2.35
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	@3.55
Light stockers and feeders	2.50	@3.25
Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs	2.90	@3.70
Fair to choice light hogs	3.45	@3.50
Fair to choice heavy hogs	3.50	@3.55
Fair to choice mixed hogs	3.47½	@3.52½

Comparative Tables.

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

Days.	This Week.	Last Week.
Monday	$3 60 @3 75	$3 55 @3 75
Tuesday	3 45 @3 75	3 65 @3 80
Wednesday	3 50 @3 65	3 65 @3 85
Thursday	3 45 @3 55	3 65 @3 80
Friday	....	3 62½@3 85
Saturday	....	3 70 @3 82½

Range of Prices.

HOGS.

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

Fair to choice light hogs	$3 45	@3 50
Fair to choice heavy hogs	3 50	@3 55
Fair to choice mixed hogs	3 47½	@3 52½

SHEEP.

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

Average Cost of Hogs.

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

Date.	Price.	Date.	Price.
May 1	$3 96½	May 2	$4 01⅛
May 3	3 97½	May 5	3 92
May 6	3 98¼	May 7	3 90¾
May 8	3 99	May 9	3 97½
May 10	3 92	May 12	3 93¾
May 13	3 90	May 14	3 88¼
May 15	3 85¾	May 16	3 91⅝
May 17	3 94¾	May 19	3 87
May 20	3 85	May 21	3 78¼
May 22	3 75¾	May 23	3 71¾
May 24	3 72	May 26	3 67¾
May 27	3 74	May 28	3 75¼
May 29	3 73¾	May 30	3 74
May 31	3 76	June 2	3 70
June 3	3 63	June 4	3 54¾
June 5	3 50		

Highest and Lowest Sales of Hogs.

Today.		Yesterday.	
Highest	$3 55	Highest	$3 65
Lowest	3 45	Lowest	3 50

Stock Receipts.

Official yesterday.		Estimated Today.	
Cattle	144 cars, 2,915	Cattle	88 cars 1,800
Hogs	116 cars, 7,279	Hogs	73 cars 4,800

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
	June '90	June '89	June '88	June '87
1	Sunday	$4 06	$5 13	$4 51
2	$3 70	Sunday	5 15	4 45
3	3 63	4 01	Sunday	4 50
4	3 54¾	4 06	5 25	4 60
5	3 50	4 09	5 33	Sunday

Disposition of Stock.

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

CATTLE.

The Armour-Cudahy P Co	1,055
Omaha Packing Co	2,201
Swift & Company	319
The G. H. Hammond Co	338

HOGS.

Swift & Co	427
The G. H. Hammond Co	312
The Armour-Cudahy Packing Co	206
Benton & Underwood	163
Becker & Degen	2
Lobmann & Trauerman	247
Crove & VanSant	12
Other Buyers	78

Representative Sales.

DRESSED BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1270	$3 50	1	1190	$3 85	31	1179	$4 10
2	1300	3 50	15	1049	3 85	20	1165	4 10
2	1075	3 50	20	1023	3 85	10	1252	4 15
1	870	3 50	18	1093	3 85	20	1264	4 20
22	1058	3 60	19	1043	3 87½	16	1266	4 20
6	875	3 65	29	1154	3 90	63	1278	4 20
31	1111	3 75	29	994	3 90	29	1156	4 20
15	967	3 75	12	1127	3 90	39	1279	4 20
45	1051	3 75	13	1131	3 95	3	1397	4 25
1	1160	3 75	7	1040	4 00	9	1211	4 25
24	936	3 80	29	1008	4 00	3	1193	4 25
23	1013	3 85	41	1064	4 00	1	1220	4 25
10	1157	3 85	10	1067	4 05			

SHIPPING AND EXPORT STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1160	4 00	21	1134	4 15	1	1320	4 30
34	1308	4 02½	19	1168	4 10	18	1311	4 30
5	1171	4 10	15	1189	4 10	33	1467	4 35

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	675	2 00	9	882	2 35	6	960	2 65
1	910	2 00	13	1011	2 45	2	925	2 75
1	980	2 00	15	953	2 50	2	1030	2 75
2	1035	2 00	1	1090	2 50	2	1220	2 75
1	1070	2 00	1	790	2 50	4	992	2 75
6	1043	2 10	5	990	2 50	7	791	2 75
21	865	2 10	15	981	2 50	1	710	2 75
14	935	2 20	1	770	2 50	8	950	2 85
2	820	2 25	12	1121	2 50	3	1010	2 90
4	1195	2 25	1	1160	2 50	3	1250	3 00
4	1045	2 25	5	1102	2 60	3	1273	3 00
17	932	2 25	3	1106	2 60	3	1110	3 10
1	1160	2 35	1	980	2 60	1	1140	3 25
12	678	2 35	3	1121	2 65	1	1250	3 30
1	940	2 35	6	968	2 65			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	410	3 00	1	1100	3 35	12	855	3 40
1	760	3 30	2	925	3 40	24	719	3 50
21	772	3 30	1	980	3 40	32	876	3 50
4	769	3 35	12	971	3 40	10	752	3 50
9	994	3 35	7	868	3 40	24	709	3 50

CANNERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	950	1 00	1	1210	1 75	1	970	1 75
5	932	1 50	5	956	1 65	14	739	1 75
1	740	1 65	1	930	1 75	1	620	2 00

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1190	2 00	1	1520	2 50	2	660	2 70
1	1370	2 25	1	1480	2 65	1	1410	3 00
1	1500	2 25	1	1300	2 40	1	1560	3 20
1	1570	2 50						

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
12	506	2 00	3	666	3 15	1	680	3 20
1	610	2 80	15	724	3 00	20	788	3 30

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	310	4 75	1	270	5 00

COW AND CALF.

No.	Av.	Pr.
2	1250	2 75

BULLS AND HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.
2	485	2 25

WESTERN CATTLE.

No.	Av.	Pr.
5 steers, shipping	1302	$3 50
46 steers, shipping	1509	4 30

SHEEP.

No.	Av.	Pr.
17 common natives	90	$4 25

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
56	221	120	$3 37½	53	286	200	$3 50
73	248	160	3 42½	61	260	—	3 50
9	271	—	3 45	76	226	80	3 50
10	292	—	3 45	67	255	80	3 50
47	202	40	3 45	68	268	120	3 50
5	348	40	3 45	69	270	80	3 50
70	245	160	3 45	67	256	80	3 50
4	292	—	3 45	67	250	—	3 50
50	222	80	3 45	67	285	120	3 50
11	297	—	3 45	66	240	120	3 50
5	266	—	3 45	29	307	40	3 50
4	287	—	3 45	63	241	40	3 50
6	205	—	3 45	63	264	40	3 50
6	243	—	3 45	60	278	120	3 50
7	378	160	3 45	64	255	80	3 50
62	225	200	3 45	68	231	—	3 50
77	179	40	3 45	68	225	80	3 50
34	287	80	3 45	73	218	240	3 50
68	242	160	3 47½	62	273	120	3 50
74	223	160	3 47½	68	255	160	3 50
83	199	40	3 47½	62	271	160	3 50
71	267	200	3 47½	75	257	80	3 50
70	245	80	3 47½	15	310	40	3 50
53	291	160	3 47½	68	234	80	3 50
72	252	80	3 47½	59	354	—	3 52½
69	246	200	3 47½	56	302	160	3 51½
50	265	80	3 47½	62	308	160	3 52½
67	216	80	3 47½	55	313	40	3 52½
64	256	40	3 47½	61	293	80	3 52½
71	281	360	3 47½	59	236	—	3 52½
73	233	120	3 47½	57	317	80	3 52½
56	247	80	3 50	60	283	160	3 52½
110	278	120	3 50	68	268	240	3 52½
70	216	160	3 50	59	333	40	3 52½
68	256	120	3 50	64	255	40	3 52½
68	268	120	3 50	66	259	—	3 52½
65	259	160	3 50	63	278	—	3 55
65	233	40	3 50	55	301	40	3 55
62	279	120	3 50	66	266	40	3 55
63	252	80	3 50	50	316	—	3 55
69	254	—	3 50	55	324	80	3 55
51	334	200	3 50	56	307	80	3 55
53	316	120	3 50				

Market Mention.

Hogs 5c lower.

Cattle slow and weak or lower.

M. Mackey sent up a car of hogs from Eustis.

W. L. Wills sent in a car of hogs from Madison.

C. Fenwick of Elwood marketed a car of hogs.

W. H. Kennison sent in a car of cattle from Angus.

Baringer & Hodge marketed hogs from Verona.

J. T. Auten came in from Prague with two cars of hogs.

H. A. Hills was up from Atkinson with two cars of cattle.

J. F. Fairman of Axtell had a car of hogs on the market.

Fuller, Smith & Fuller sent in a car of cattle from Scribner.

H. Meyer had a car of cattle on the market from Lincoln.

R. A. Templeton of Tekamah marketed two cars of $3.55 hogs.

Poe Rickabaugh of Malvern had a car of hogs on the market.

S. H. & M. Coffman had a car of hogs on the market from Leroy.

Sheep scarce and not large enough receipts to supply the demand.

H. Reuting, the well known Platte Center shipper, marketed hogs.

George A. Felton had a car each of cattle and hogs on the market.

Crouch Brothers, extensive dealers of St. Edwards, sent down a car of hogs.

Rosborough & Gray, heavy dealers of Blue Springs, sent in three cars of cattle.

G. S. Upton, a prominent feeder of Unlon, was on the market with a car of hogs.

J. C. Furer, the well known Fairfield shipper marketed four cars of cattle from Alma.

William Kamrath, a prominent stockman of Lindsay, had six cars of cattle on the market.

Hogs are selling now about 60c lower than at same time a year ago, and about $1.75 lower than June, 1888. In 1887 at this time they were selling around $4.60, or over $1.00 higher than now.

George B. Green, who is well and favorably known and who has been ill for many months, is able to be out again, and with J. J. Hunter of Chicago will engage in the live stock commission business, and will begin active work the coming week. The members of the new firm are well known to shippers throughout the west and need no further introduction. John H. Wallwork, also well known here, will handle the hog department for the new firm.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS

Produce.

FISH—Per lb: Fresh white and trout, 10@11c; pike, 9@10c; pickerel, 10c; salmon, 15c.

HIDES, PELTS AND TALLOW—Green salted hides, 4½@5c; dry salted hides, 4¼@5¾c; dry flint hides, 8c; calf hides, 4½@6½c. Damaged hides 2c less. Sheep pelts, green, each; 5@6@$1.25; sheep pelts, dry, per lb, 6@11c; tallow, No. 1, 3¾@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@22c; coarse unwashed, 18@20c.

FURS—Beaver, per lb, $2.50@4.00; each, $1.00@7.00; otter, each, $3.00@7.00; wolf, each, 50@80c; coon, each, 40@65c; 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@22c.

ORANGES—per box, Mediterranean sweets $5.00; Los Angeles, $4.00; fancy Duarte seedlings, $4.50; Rodi, $6.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz, $2.50@3.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Per case, choice shipping stock, $2.75@3.00; good, $2.00@2.50.

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

CALIFORNIA CHERRIES—Per 10 lb box, $1.50@2.00.

BANANAS—Per bunch, $1.50@3.00.

CHEESE—Fancy Y. A., full cream, 11c; full cream twins, 10½c; choice full cream twins, 9@10c; skims, 6@8c; Swiss, domestic, 15@17c; limburger, fancy, 12@13c; brick, 12@13c.

VEGETABLES—New southern onions, per bbl $4.50@5.00; horseradish, per doz plnts, $1.25; new southern potatoes, $2.75@3.00 per bbl.; half bbl sacks, $1.50.

POTATOES—Old, per bushel, choice, 20@30c.

MEATS—Smoked hams, 16 lb average, 10c; smoked hams, 20 to 22 lbs, 9½c; smoked hams, 12 to 14 lbs, 10½c; breakfast bacon, 8½c; ham sausage, 8½c; picnic hams, 7c; dried beef hams, 8½c; beef tongues, per doz, $6.00; dry salt meats, 6@6½c; mess pork, per bbl, $13.50.

LEMONS—Per box, Messina, fancy, $4.50@5.00; strictly choice, $4.25@4.50; extra fancy lemons, $7.50.

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy rolls, print, 17@18c; creamery, fancy, solid packed, 15@17c; creamery, choice, 10@12c; dairy, fancy rolls and prints, 12@13c; dairy, fancy, solid packed, 10@12c; dairy, choice, 9@10c; country roll, fancy, 8@9c; choice, 7@8c; inferior, 2@5c.

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

BONES—(Quotations are for delivery in Chicago.) Dry buffalo, per ton, $16.00@18.00; dry country, bleached, $10.00@13.00; dry country, damp and meaty, $8.00@10.00.

JELLIES—3½@4c per lb.

DRESSED VEAL—Choice medium, 6@7c; light, 5@5½c; heavy, 4@5c.

LINSEED OIL—61@63c.

COCOANUTS—Per hundred, $5.00.

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

POULTRY—Per dozen, choice hens, $3.25@4.00; choice, mixed, $3.00@3.25; roosters, $2.50@2.75; spring chickens, $2.00 for small; $2.25@2.50 for medium; $4.00 for large; live turkeys, per lb, 9@10c.

CALIFORNIA VEGETABLES—Potatoes, per lb, 2½c; cabbage, per lb, 3½@4c; onions, per lb, 4c.

Groceries.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, 8c; cut loaf cubes, 7½c; standard, powdered, 7⅛c; XXXX, powdered, 7⅛c; granulated, standard, 6⅝c; confectioners A, 6¾c; white, extra, 5⅞c; extra C, Nebraska, 5¾c; amber, 5⅛c.

COFFEE—Roasted—Arbuckle's Arlosa, 25¾c; McLaughlin's XXXX, 25¾c; German, 25¾c; Dilworth, 25¾c; Alaroma, 25⅛c; bulk, 24¾c.

COFFEE—Green—Fancy old golden Rio, 22c; fancy old peaberry, 24½c; Rio, choice to fancy, 23c; Rio, prime, 23¾c; Rio, good, 22½c; Santos and common Rio, 19@21c; Mocha, 29c; Java, genuine, O. G., 28c; Java, good/interior, 25c; African, 22½c.

FARINACEOUS GOODS—Barley, 3@3½c; farina, 5c; peas, 3c; oatmeal, 1¾@2c; macaroni, 10c; vermicelli, 10c; rice, 4@6½c; sago and tapioca, 6@7c; lima beans, 6c.

OILS—Kerosene—P. W., 10c; W. W., 13c headlight, 13½c; gasoline, 12½c; salad oil, @1.00@9.00 per doz. Linseed—Raw, 61c; boiled, 64c.

LARD—Pure lard, tierces, 6¾c; kettle, tierces, 7¼c.

CANNED MEATS—1 lb lunch tongue, $2.75; 2 lb lunch tongue, $4.75; 1 lb corned beef, $1.30; 2 lb corned beef, $2.65; 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 brown, $2.15; 6 lb English brawn, $6.75; 1 lb chipped beef, $2.00; 1 lb compressed ham, $1.65.

ROPE—Basis—Manilla rope, 15c; sisal rope, 12½c; cotton rope, 16c; new process, 8½c.

COTTON TWINE—Bibb, very fine, 3 or 4 ply, 22c; fine, 20c; Daisy, 18c; candle wick, 22c.

OLIVES—Quarts, per doz, $3.75; pints, per doz, $2.25; bulk, per gal, 95c.

VINEGAR—30 gr. cider, 10c; good, 12c; white wine, 15c; fancy fruit, 8c.

STOVE POLISH—$2.00@5.87 per gross.

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

MOLASSES—Bbls. N. O. fancy, per gal, 50@55c; choice, 45@47c; good, 30@32c; Cuba baking, 28@30c; black strap, 20@22c.

WRAPPING PAPER—Straw, per lb, 1¾@2¼c; rag, 3½c; Manilla B, 5@6c; No. 1, 8c.

BAGS—Union Square, 30@35 per cent off list.

SALT—Dairy 280 lbs in bbl, bulk, $2.19; best grade, 60, 5s, $2.30; best grade, 100, 3s, $2.40; best grade, 18, 10s $2.20; rock salt, crushed, $1.80; common, bbl, $1.25.

SOAP—Castile, mottled, per lb, 9@10c; do, white, per lb, 14c.

BROOMS—Parlor, 5 tie, $5.00; 4 tie, $2.75; 2 tie, $2.25; stables, $2.85; common, $1.50@1.75.

COCOA—¼-lb tin, 40c per lb.

CHOCOLATE—22@35c per lb; German chicory, red, 8½c.

CANNED GOODS—Fruits, California standard brands, 2½-lb, per doz—Apricots, $1.65@1.75; apricots, pie fruit, $1.50; gallons, $4.50; blackberries, $2.20; cherries, black, $2.20@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, $2.40; plums, egg, $1.65@1.80; ½ lima, golden drop, $1.80; plums, green gages, $1.65@1.80; peaches with pits in, $1.60; currants, $2.50; gooseberries, $2.25; quinces, $2.10; raspberries, $2.80; strawberries, $2.50; peaches, 3-lb eastern standards, $1.85; 3-lb pie, $1.10; 6-lb pie, $2.65; gallons, pie, $3.00; apples, high standards, $2.75; 2-lb gooseberries, 90@95c; 2-lb strawberries, 90@95c; 2-lb raspberries, $1.00; 1-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, $2.90; 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; pears, 2-lb, $1.30.

SALSODA—Bbls, 1½c; granulated, 2c; kegs, 1½c.

SODA—Pkgs. 60 lbs to box, 5½@5½c.

NUTS—Almonds, 15c; Brazils, 12c; filberts, 13c; pecans, 11c; walnuts, 12½c; peanut cocks, 8c; roasted, 12c; Tennessee peanuts, 8c.

DRUGS—(Grocers)—Per lb, borax, 12c; copperas, 2½c; bay leaves, 14c; glue, 16c; epsom salts, 4c; glauber salts, 3c; sulphur, 2½c; blue vitriol, 9c; alum, 4c; tartaric acid, 42c; resin, 2c.

VEGETABLES—Tomatoes—3 lb extra, $1.00; 3 lb standard western brands, 60@95c; gallons, strictly standard, $2.90. Corn—Finest grown, $1.50; giltedged sugar corn, very fine, $1.50; choice 2 lb sugar corn, $1.20; 2 lb extra western brands, 50@$1.00; 2 lb standard western brands, 50@70c. 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 sifted $1.60; 2 lb early June, $1.25@1.35; 2 lb Marrow standard brands, $1.10; 2 lb soaked, 57c. String beans—2 lb high grade, Refugee, 85c; 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. Pumpkins—3 lb, $1.10. Okra and tomatoes, $1.60 okra, $1.60; succotash, $1.20.

FISH—Codfish, extra Georges, new, 5¾c; grand bank, new, 5c; silver, 2-lb blocks, 6½c; snow white 2-lb bricks, new, 8¼c; Turkey cod, large middle bricks, 9c; snow white crates, 12-5 lb boxes, 7¼c; Iceland halibut, 9c; medium sealed herring, 25c; No. 1 sealed herring, 22c; domestic Holland herring, 55c; Hamburg spiced herring, $1.50; Russian sardines, 75c; Russian sardines, plain, 55c; imported Holland herring, crown brand, 80c; do fancy milkers, 90c; mackerel, No. 1 shore, half bbls, $13.00; bloaters, half bbls, $18.00; white fish, half bbls, $7.00; trout, half bbls, $5.50, family white fish, $3.00; salmon, $8.00; 1-lb mackerel (herring), $1.00@1.10; 1-lb finnan haddies, $1.75; 1-lb lobsters, $2.15@2.25; 1-lb Alaska salmon, Aleut, $1.60; 2-lb oysters, 10 oz, $1.95; 1-lb oysters, 5 oz, $1.15; 2-lb selects, 12 oz, $2.35; 1-lb clams, little necks, $1.25; 2-lb clams, little necks, $2.00; ½-lb sardines, imported, per case, 100s, $15.00@20.00; ½-lb imported boneless sardines, 25c; ¼-lb sardines, American, per case, 100s, French style, $1.50@5.00; ½-lb sardines, American, per case, 100s, French style, $7.50@8.00; ¼-lb sardines, mustard, per case, 50s, $3.75@4.00; imported key sardines, $13.00.

DRIED FRUITS—Currants, new, 6½@8c; prunes, casks, 1,300 lbs, 6⅞@7c; prunes, bbl, or bag, 7@7½c; citron peel, drums, 20 lbs, 22c; lemon peels, drums, 20c; fard dates, boxes, 12 lbs, 12c; apricots, choice evaporated, 15c; apricots, jelly cured, 25 lb boxes, 18c; apricots, fancy, 25 lb boxes, 16c; apples, choice evaporated, 11¼c; apples, prime new, 10c; figs, layer, 10 per cent tare, 13½c; in sacks, 7c; Persian dates, 7c; Salk Lake apples, 5¾c; blackberries evaporated, 50 lb boxes, 5¾c; cherries, pitted, dry cured, 13c; peaches, pared, fancy, 18@20c; choice, 16c; Salt Lake, 9c; pitted plums Cal., 1 lb boxes, 8½@9½c; raspberries evaporated, N. Y., new 31c; prunes, R. C., 60-70, 10@12½c; orange peel, 15c; raisins, California, London crop 1889, $2.40; Cal. loose muscatels, crop 1889, $2.40; Valencias, 1888, 7c; Valencias, new, 9c; Cal. seeds, sks., 8c; Ondura, layer, new, 11c; dried grapes, 5c; prunelles, new, 14c.

Drugs.

Quinine, per oz, P. & W., 40c; German, 40c; indigo, per lb, 73c; insect powder, 40c; opium, $3.95; morphine, per oz, $3.10; hops, per lb, 30c; glycerine, 21c; dextrine, 12c; cuttlebone, 35c; cream tartar, pure, 35c; commercial, 18c; camphor, 59c; a m. carb, 14c; blue vitrol, 7½c. Acids—Carbolic, 40@43c; citric, 45@47c; tartaric, 37@39c; sulphuric, per lb, 3c. Oils—Sperm, 60c; turpentine, 50c; Tonka beans, $1.75@1.90; balsam tolu, 38@40c; calomel, 95@97c; cantharadies, $1.30@1.35; cassia buds, 20@22c; chloroform, 51@53c; ergot, 47@52c; gum arabic, 55@95c; glycerine, 22@25c; lycopodium, 42@46c; mercury, 81c.

Metals.

BLOCK TIN—Small pig, 28c per lb; bar, 30c per lb.

COPPER—Planished boiler sizes, 32½c per lb; cold rolled, 28c per lb; sheathing, 28c per lb; bitts and flats, 29c per lb.

GALVANIZED SHEET IRON—Disc't 50-10 per cent, pat. plan. iron, Nos. 24@27, A, 10½; B, 9½c.

ROOFING—Charcoal, I. C., 14x20, 112, $5.15; I. X., $7.25.

SHEET IRON—No. 26, $3.65; No. 27, $3.75.

SOLDER—14@15c.

TIN PLATE—I. C., 10x14, 235, $7.25; I. X., 10x14, 225, $9.00.

TIN PLATE—Coke, 10x14, 225, $5.25.

STEEL NAILS—Base, $5.25.

STEEL WIRE NAILS—Base, $2.65.

WIRE—Jap. barb, $3.69; galv., $4.15.

Dry Goods.

HEAVY BROWN COTTONS—Atlantic A, 7¼c; Atlantic H, 7c; Atlantic D, 6¾c; Atlantic P, 6c; Aurora C, 4½c; Buck's Head, 6¾c; Cabot W, 6½c; Darlington, 6¾c; Farmer's No. 1, ⅞, 4½c; Hoosier LL, 5¼c; Indian Head, 7¼c; Lawrence LL, 5¾c; Henrietta LL, 5⅜c.

FINE BROWN COTTONS—Atlantic LL, 6c; Aurora B, 6¾c; Aurora R, 6¾c; Atlas O N B, 7½c; cheese cloth, 4c; Clifton FF, 5¾c; Pepperell R, 6¾c; Langdon G B, 9c.

BLEACHED COTTONS—Berkeley cambric—No. 60, 9c; Best Yet, 6¾c; Buttercloth XX, 4½c; Cabot, 7½c; Dwight Anchor, 9c; Ellerton W. S., 7½c; First Call, 6½c; Fruit of the Loom, 8¾c; Hill Semper Idem, 8c; Housekeeper, 8¼c; King Philip cambric, 10c; Langdon G. B., 9½c; Lonsdale, 8¾c; Lonsdale cambric, 10c; New York mills, 11c; Oak Lawn, 7c.

SHEETINGS AND PILLOW CASINGS—Brown—Net—Pepperell, 45 in, 10c; Pepperell, 8-4, 18c; Pepperell, 9-4, 20c; Pepperell, 10-4, 22c; Utica, 48 in, 15c; Utica, 58 in, 17½c; Utica, 78 in, 24c; Utica, 86 in, 26c; Utica, 90 in, 28¼c. Bleached—Net—Pepperell, 42 in, 10c; Pepperell, 46 in, 11c; Pepperell, 6-4, 14½c; Pepperell, 8-4, 20c; Pepperell, 9-4, 22c; Pepperell, 10-4, 24; Utica, 8-4, 24c; Utica, 9-4, 26c; Utica, 10-4, 28¼c.

GINGHAMS—Amoskeag, 6¾c; Amoskeag, dress, 8½c; Bates, 6½c; Warwick, dress, 7½c; Lancaster, 6¾c; Glenaire, 6¾c; Whittenton, dress, 8½c.

PRINTS—Indigo Blue—Net—Martha Washington, 6c; American, 6¼c; Arnold, 6¼c; Arnold B, long cloth, 10c; Stifel A, 12c; Merrimack ⅞, 10c; Gold Leaf, 8½c; Hamilton, 5½c; Allen Pinks, 6½c; Allen Chambray, 6c; Gloucester, 5½c.

PRINTS—Fancies—Eddystone, 6½c; Steel River, 6c; Ramapo, 4½c; St. Leger, 5½c. Shirtings—Martha Washington, 4½c; Merrimack, 4½c. Turkey Reds—Fountain, 6½c; Garner, 7c; Crefield, 8½c; Berlin, 6½c.

WIGANS—Net, Thistle, 7¼c; Red Cross, 7c.

COLORED CAMBRICS—Crown, 4¾c; Red Star, 4½c; rolled Clover, 5c; Slater, 6c; high colors, 1c extra.

CRASH—Stevens' B, 16-in, 5½c; Stevens' D, 18-in, 6c; Stevens' A, 16-in, 7c; Stevens' P, 18-in, ¾c; Stevens' M, 18-in, 8½c; Stevens' N, 20-in, 8½c; Stevens' NN, 22-in, 9¾c; Stevens' SRT, 20-in, 11½c; bleached, 1c extra.

DENIMS—Net, Amoskeag, 9-oz, 16½c; York, camlet, 12c; Everett, standard, 12½c; Haymaker's, 7½c; Old York, XX, 10½c; Lawrence, 220, 13½c; Lawrence, 9-oz, 15¼c; fancy stripes and checks, 11½c.

COTTONADES—York Nankin, 10¾c; Everett 8-oz, 18c; Lewiston, 10-oz, 22½c; Workingman's, 14c; Corkscrew cashmere, 22½c.

Talmage on the Rice Crop.

Messrs. Dan Talmage's Sons, in their bulletin of June 2, speak of the growing rice crop as follows:

North Carolina—The winter was unusually favorable for preparation. There was a slight increase of acreage at tide water sections and some diminution in the uplands, and the crop is in fine shape for culture.

South Calolina—The crop is not in such good condition as could be wished, some sections needing rain, but total acreage more than for several years past and outlook favorable at present for an increased crop, all depending on the season from now till harvest.

Georgia—Increased acreage reported and outlook good for a fair crop.

Louisiana—Too early to form definite conclusions as to the prospect in this state, but appearances indicate that an average crop will be made.

SENSELESS IN MID-AIR.

A Most Thrilling Balloon Trip Escaping by a Trapeze Rope.

Great excitement was caused at Croydon, near London, England, on a recent Saturday afternoon, in connection with the ascent of Prof. Higgins, the parachutist. The balloon was of the capacity of 12,000 cubic feet, and was fully charged by 5 o'clock. Higgins said the direction of the wind, which was northeast, would necessitate his traveling a considerable height, but he hoped to return to the field in about half an hour.

When he gave the signal to the attendants to "let go," the balloon gradually rose and appeared to go in the direction of Norwood. Upon reaching the altitude of something like 4,000 feet, the parachute became detached from the net of the balloon, which was rising at a great rate. It was evident that something had gone wrong. The balloon rapidly disappeared in the clouds.

When darkness set in and no news had been received of the parachutist, much anxiety was evinced as to his fate. Shortly after 8 o'clock, however, all fear was dispelled by the receipt of a telegram stating that Higgins had landed safely near Tonbridge. Higgins returned to East Croydon by the 9:20 train.

In an interview Higgins stated that he had experienced the most wonderful of all his aerial voyages. When he had reached a height of 4,000 feet he began to get into a strong current, and the balloon twisted right round. The current then caught his parachute, causing the wooden ring of it to catch him very tightly under the arms. The test cord which held the parachute then broke.

Directly that happened he saw that the parachute was hanging below him fully inflated, and the pressure on him was so great that it was impossible for him to descend into the middle of the town with anything like safety. He thereupon opened his penknife with his teeth and cut the parachute away. This caused the balloon to shoot up 6,000 feet higher, and, on reaching that altitude, he met another current, which brought him back, and he saw nothing until he passed through some sleet and snow.

He could hear, however, the sound of trains. He was in this snowstorm for at least ten minutes, and when he had passed through it the sun was shining beautifully. He could see the sun glistening on the water at Brighton. He found the air getting very sharp and keen; icicles were hanging from his mustache. For a few minutes he was quite deaf. He now seemed to be descending, and he thought he was getting near Hastings or Brighton.

He could smell the sea. When he was 2,000 feet from the earth he prepared to descend by hanging one arm on to his trapeze rope as if he were using his parachute. When his feet touched the ground the balloon, which was in front of him, dragged him for ten yards, and then rebounded some sixty feet in the air, between two trees.

Two laborers, in response to his signals, arrived just as he came down a second time, and held the balloon until he let out the gas. Higgins said that at one time he must have been five miles above the earth. The balloon had no escape valve.

DIVORCE ANNOUNCEMENT CARDS.

Chicago People Send Cards of Separation Like Wedding Invitations.

"The announcement fad has become a greater rage than ever, and it is no longer confined to weddings, births, christenings, anniversaries and the like," said Mr. Robert McKee, manager of Brenfano's stationery department, to a New York Press reporter, "but people actually seem to lie awake nights to think up schemes which they can have engraved on enameled cards to send around to their friends. They have taken in birthdays, wedding days and all that sort of thing for a long time past, but this is the very latest."

With this he handed a large square card to the reporter, got up in very much the same style as is adopted for wedding invitations. The card read as follows:

MR. J. PHILIP MCGINN
Announces his divorce from
MRS. J. PHILIP MCGINN
(Nee Gladys Gilhooly),
Saturday, April 19, 1890.
Chicago.
Judge Sheppard.
Grounds statutory.

The beauty and simplicity of this idea are so apparent as to make comment almost superfluous, but it may be pointed out that Mr. Philip McGinn, by this simple expedient, warns tradesmen that he is no longer legally responsible for debts contracted by Mrs. J. Philip McGinn, nee Gladys Gilhooly. At the same time he squares himself with the young ladies already fortunate enough to number themselves among his circle of acquaintances, and also sets himself right with those to whom he may in future be introduced. Attentions which might not properly be received from a married man are often quite acceptable from one who is "eligible," and by this means Mr. J. Philip McGinn prepares himself to enter on a long or otherwise career as a "masher." Of course there are some people mean enough to say that Mr. J. Philip McGinn was inspired by spite when he added the little remark in the right hand corner, which is copper plated in a fine Italian script. But evidently Mr. J. Philip McGinn feels that as a court of justice has laid all the blame on the partner of his joys and sorrows, as Mr. J. Philip McGinn is ready to swear, no part of it should be allowed to attach to him, and so he advertises that he is "Innocent! Innocent!" as is invariably remarked by the melodramatic hero when falsely accused. When it comes to stylish divorces and everything that to them pertains Chicago, as usual, occupies a position on the band wagon.

BLAINE AND THE PRESIDENCY.

Friends of the Secretary Say that He Will Not Be a Candidate.

A Portland, Me., special to the New York World says:

James G. Blaine keeps himself in touch with Maine. He is constantly in communication with his friends here and when any of his trusted lieutenants go to Washington Blaine talks to them with greater confidence than any one else. From these gentlemen I have learned Mr. Blaine's present feeling in regard to the presidency. It may be summed up thus:

Mr. Blaine put the presidency behind him once and for all in the Florence letter, though had the Chicago convention persisted in forcing upon him the nomination he would have accepted with reluctance. When Harrison was nominated stories flew about that Mr. Blaine would get first place in the cabinet and the presidency in 1892, Harrison to withdraw in his favor. I have succeeded in finding a man who saw every word of the correspondence between President Harrison, then in Indianapolis, and Mr. Blaine in Augusta, in regard to the secretaryship of state. There was, he said, absolutely nothing in or between the lines that indicated any such understanding between the two men. Blaine has repeatedly said in private that he has been near enough to the office to learn its cares and responsibilities, its wearing hard work, its day and night worry, and the little thanks one gets in the place. Blaine may, therefore, be given up as a candidate for the presidency, his friends say. It is likely that in 1892 Blaine's personal following will go to Harrison.

A Fight Declared Off.

"I beg your pardon."

"Well, why don't you look where you're going?"

Two big athletic men stood facing each other in front of the Equitable building and the crowd gathered around them in the hope of seeing a set-to without having to plunk up an entrance fee, says the New York Morning Journal.

The voice of the first speaker, while deep and resonant, had a good natured ring to it. That of the other man, though high bred and well modulated, was pitched in a key that showed that he did not propose to be run over without making it hot for the fellow who did the "bunking."

"I'll just teach you some manners," said he to the good-natured man, "that is if you are not afraid to meet me."

For the first time a flush of anger spread itself other the other man's face. The crowd looked on with breathless interest, for by this time nearly every one except the angry man had recognized the well-known features of the king of pugilists, John L. Sullivan.

With a polite bow he handed the other a card.

"It will give me great pleasure," said he, as the smile returned to his face, "to meet you at any time and place you mao select."

One look at the piece of pasteboard was enough to knock all thoughts of a fight out of the cross man's head, and as soon as he could push way through the crowd he jumped on a passing horse-car and was soon out of sight.

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