THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Bare Mention of Frost Has a Hardening Effect in All the Grain Pits.

CORN'S STRENGTH IS UNMISTAKABLE.

Oats Keep Up a Fair Activity—Wheat Market Boisterous—Hog Products More Active Than Usual—Cattle and Hogs.

CHICAGO, August 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Wheat [illegible] today in about three hours. This was pretty good closing for a market that was depressed nearly [illegible] yesterday on realizing sales. The market opened with a great amount of bull news about, but with trade bearish. First prices were about [illegible] up from last night. There was a good cash and speculative demand, but no adequate offerings, and an advance set in at once. There was a report early that there was a touch of frost at Ft. Buford, but nothing serious at any other point. Still this little mention of frost had a very hardening effect on prices in all the grain pits. Later in the day northwestern dispatches were burdened with talk of frost at minor places in Dakota and the adjoining territory. Just where the frost was going to hit the wheat to check or stock was not stated, but traders went wild and bought wheat on that talk. Still another cause for great strength here was found in the fact that [illegible] Leopold Bloom did not imitate him yesterday and sold out, but kept on taking wheat and forcing prices higher. Later in the day Hutchinson had Parker and others in the pit buying wheat heavily. Minneapolis was up more than half as much as Chicago, while St. Louis and New York did not respond freely at all. Liverpool cables were steady and at London firm, but tending upward with the weather bad. President Baker had a cable reporting the weather in England broken and rainy and sales better than indicated by public cables. Export clearances were nothing at New York, 114,000 wheat from Baltimore and 23,000 packages of flour from three Atlantic ports. The range of prices here up to 1 o'clock was as follows: September opened [illegible] higher at $1.02¾ and sold up to $1.03. December started [illegible] and [illegible], May $1.0[illegible] and advanced to $1.[illegible]. Wheat went still higher the last half hour, when September touched $1.03¾, December $1.05½ and May $1.[illegible]. Closing prices: August $1.03, September $1.03¾, December $1.05¼ and May $1.[illegible]. Wheat on the curb sold for December at $1.05¾, and of [illegible]: puts $1.07¾ to $1.06¾ to $1.07; calls $1.12 to $1.11¾.

The corn market was narrow and steady the first part of the session, but frost talk on the floor led to a very general picking up by the trade and an advance of 1½c to 1¾c in prices before 10 o'clock. The market was at no time as boisterous or sensational as wheat, but the strength was unmistakable. September sold at 49½c at the opening and up to 50c; May opened at 52¾c and advanced to 54¼c. The firm tone in the corn market at 1 o'clock was not held to the close. There was a slight set back of ½c to ¾c from best prices. There was news of significance and many conservative operators took profits on the bulge. August was quoted ¼c under September and was purely nominal all day. September, after touching 50c, closed at 49¾c. October was up from 49¼c, the low point early, to 50¾c and closed at 50¼c. May touched 54¼c and closed at 53¾c or a 1¾c net advance for the day. Cables were steady for spot and easier for futures. Corn was steady at the regular closing prices on the curb.

The oats trade kept up fair activity most of the session. Other markets were watched very closely and had a general effect on prices for oats. The strength surrounding them made many of the shorts run to cover, and with the fact that Mr. Hutchinson was not a seller allowed prices to go up sharply. There was no disposition to sell freely in any quarter. Receipts were large at 550 cars, but not up to the estimate made yesterday. Cars for Wednesday were estimated at 284. August oats sold at 36[illegible], closing at [illegible]; September, 35[illegible], closing at 36¼c; October, 37[illegible], closing at 38¼c; May sold at 39[illegible], closing at 40⅞c.

The market for hog products was more active than usual and with increased interest there was increased firmness today. Much of this was attributed to a stronger feeling in corn. January pork opened easier at $12.40, sold at $12.67½ and closed at $12.65; May sold at $13.10[illegible], closing at $13.32. Lard at the close was up 5c for September and 7½c for January, at $6.87½. January ribs sold at $5.92½@$6.05, closing at $6.02½.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, August 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—The general market opened slow, and with prices rather on a down turn than otherwise on nearly everything in the native steer line. This, with the decline noted yesterday, makes values 15c to 30c lower than last week, and receipts show an increase of 6,000 over the same time last week; hence there is little show for much improvement for the remainder of the week; in fact, a further down turn is among the possibilities. Texans sold about like yesterday, or say from 10c to 15c lower than last week. There were some good range stock among the arrivals and the same made satisfactory prices. Only moderate business in stockers and feeders at former prices. Extra export steers $4.75@4.90; prime steers $4.50@4.65; second class, $2.75@3.75; Texas steers, $2.40@2.75; range steers, $3.00@3.75; native butchers stock, $1.50@2.50.

Hogs—Shippers and speculators were in early and boomed prices up a shade on prime heavy, light and butcher weights, but at no time would the ordinary run of packers sell for more than yesterday, and, in fact, bulk sold a shade lower, as buyers for packers patiently waited until the rush was over and then had their own way, the general market closing a good 5c lower than at the opening. Rough and common closed at $1.65@3.75 and best mixed at $3.80@3.85; prime heavy and butchers' weights sold at $3.90@4.10 and light at $4.00@4.10. These sorts sold steady all day.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, August 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—There were three things to absorb the attention of the street this morning. The stock market had scarcely opened when silver went above all previous figures and touched 121. At the same time the ugly look of the strike on the Vanderbilt roads caused a sharper break in prices for the Canada Southern, Lake Shore and New York Central than at any previous time. The third element of uneasiness was a fear of unnatural rates for money. The trade believes there is a legitimate scarcity of funds, and this is a great barrier in the way of bulls. There was not one redeeming feature in the market for buyers. There wasn't a hard spot anywhere. Prices were sinking all through the list under the lead of the Vanderbilts and grangers. The downward tendency continued till midday and the losses compared with last night were: Chicago Gas 1 per cent to 54, Sugar 1⅝ to 80¾, Big Four 1⅝ to 69, Louisville ¾ to 87, Canada Southern 1⅝ to 72¾, Lake Shore 1 to 106, New York Central 1 to 10[illegible], Manhattan 2 to 107, Northern Pacific preferred ¾ to 81, Atchison ¾ to 41¾, Burlington ¾ to 101, Northwestern 1 to 108¼, Rock Island 1⅝ to 86¾, St. Paul 1⅝ to 70, Missouri Pacific ¾ to 69¾, with a recovery to 70¼, Union Pacific ¾ to 59, Lackawanna 1 to 143¾, Reading ¾ to 42. There was some recovery in stocks after 2 o'clock when Big Four moved up to 70, Lake Shore to 106¾, Northwestern to 108, and Rock Island to 87¼. There was a further depression again before the close, and while the last figures were not the lowest of the day net losses were general throughout the list. Silver was 119¾ at the close. Lake Shore dropped again to 105¾, with a loss of 1¾ per cent. Grangers were off ¾ to ¾ all around. The market closed heavy and irregular. Sales were not large.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s coupon	12[illegible]	Northern Pacific	3[illegible]
U. S. 4s regular	12[illegible]	do preferred	81[illegible]
U. S. 4½s regular	10[illegible]	C. & N. W.	108[illegible]
U. S. 4½s coupon	10[illegible]	do preferred	14[illegible]
Pacific 6s of '95	11[illegible]	New York Central	105[illegible]
Central Pacific	[illegible]	P. D. & E.	19[illegible]
Chicago & Alton	1[illegible]	Rock Island	8[illegible]
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	101¾	C., M. & St. Paul	70[illegible]
D. L. & W.	14[illegible]	do preferred	11[illegible]
Illinois Central	11[illegible]	St. Paul & Omaha	31
I. B. & W.	[illegible]	do preferred	[illegible]
Kansas & Texas	1[illegible]	Union Pacific	5[illegible]
Lake Shore	105[illegible]	W. St. L. & P.	1[illegible]
Michigan Central	97	do preferred	2[illegible]
Missouri Pacific	70[illegible]	Western Union	8[illegible]

MONEY—Tight, ranging from 10 to 25 per cent; closed at 25 per cent bid.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet and weak; sixty-day bills, $4.83; demand, $4.87.

Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, August 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	2[illegible]	Sutler Creek	11[illegible]
Belle	10[illegible]	Adams Con	1[illegible]
Gould & Curry	2[illegible]	Con. Cal. and Va.	3[illegible]
Homestake	[illegible]	Hale & Norcross	2[illegible]
Horn Silver	1[illegible]	Ontario	4[illegible]
Plymouth	[illegible]	Phoenix Ariz.	1[illegible]

The Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, August 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—COFFEE—Options opened steady; $115 points down; closed steady; unchanged to 10 points down. Quiet; lower cables. Sales, 21,500 bags, including August, $18.20; September, $17.75@17.80; October, $17.20@17.25; November, $16.80@16.90; December, $16.70@16.80; January [illegible] February, $16.60@16.65; March, $16.50@16.60; May, $16.50. Spot Rio quiet. Dull; fair cargoes, 20¼c; 7 flat bean, 19¾c.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, August 19.—1:15 p. m. close—Wheat—Market unsettled; cash, $1.03; September, $1.03¾; May, $1.10¾.

Corn—Steady; cash, 49¾c; September, 49¾c; May, 54c.

Oats—Steady to firm; cash, 36¾c; September, 36¾c; May, [illegible].

Pork—Steady; cash, $11.50; September, $11.46; January, $12.65.

Lard—Steady; cash, $6.30; September, $6.35; January, $6.87½.

Rye—Firm; No. 2 at 62c.

Barley—Steady; No. 2, 70c.

Flax Seed—Quiet; No. 1 at $1.36½.

Prime Timothy—$1.46.

Whisky—$1.13.

Short Ribs—Steady; cash, $5.40; September, $5.45; January, $6.02½.

Flour—Strong though no regular advance made; winter wheat, $1.90@5.50; spring wheat, $1.50@5.50; Rye, $2.75@3.00.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $4.[illegible]; short clear, $5.75@5.85; short ribs, $5.40@5.45.

Butter—Firmer; creamery, 14@23c; dairy, 10@17c.

Cheese—Steady; full cream cheddars, 8½c; flats, 8½c; Young Americas, 8¾@9c.

Eggs—Firmer; fresh, 15½@16c.

Hides—Unchanged; heavy and light green salted, 6c; salted bull hides, 4c; green salted calf, 6c; dry flint, 8@9c; dry salted hides, 7c; dry calf, 8@9c; deacons, each, 30c.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1, solid packed, 4c; No. 2, 3½c; cake, 4¼c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	11,000	15,000
Wheat, bu	63,000	78,000
Corn, bu	267,000	500,000
Oats, bu	351,000	256,000

NEW YORK, August 19.—Wheat—Receipts [illegible] bushels; spot closed firm; No. 2 red, $1.10@1.11¼ in elevator; $1.11¼ afloat; $1.11@1.12¼ f. o. b.; options buoyant and active, closed fully 1@2c higher, Minnesota and Dakota frosts prompted advance; No. 2 red, August, closing at $1.09¾.

Corn—Receipts 25,000 bushels; exports, 150,000 bushels; spot higher; No. 2, 55@55¼c in elevator; 56@57c afloat; ungraded mixed, 53½@55¾c; options active, 1@1¾c higher; August closing at 55¾c.

Oats—Receipts, 80,000 bushels; exports, 10,000 bushels; spot unsettled; No. 2 white, 46@46½c; mixed western, 43@46½c; white western, 46@50c; options firmer, August closing at 46c.

Coffee—Options closed steady and unchanged to 15 points down. Sales, 23,500 bags; August, $18.35; September, $17.75@17.80; spot Rio firm; fair cargoes, $20.75.

Sugar—Raw firm; Molasses sugar 87 test, 4 [illegible]; Domestic sugar firm.

Petroleum—United closed for September at 91¾c.

Eggs—Firm; western, 17@19½c.

Pork—firm; mess, $12.50@13.25.

Lard—Near months steady, late weaker; western steam, $6.55.

Butter—Western dairy, 8@12c; creamery, 11@21c.

Cheese—Strong; part skims, 7¼@8¼c.

ST. LOUIS, August 19.—Wheat—Higher; cash, $1.01 bid; September, $1.02¾.

Corn—Higher; cash, 48c; September, 46¾c.

Oats—Cash, 36c; September, 36¼c.

Pork—Firm at $11.75.

Lard—Better at $6.00.

Whisky—Steady at $1.13.

CINCINNATI, August 19.—Wheat—Strong; No. 2 red, $1.00@1.02.

Corn—Firmer; No. 2 mixed, 54c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 38½@39c.

Whisky—$1.13.

MILWAUKEE, August 19.—Wheat—Firm; No. 2 spring, cash, $1.01@1.05; September, $1.01@1.05; No. 1 northern, $1.05.

Corn—Steady; No. 3, 50½c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white, 38½c.

Rye—Firmer; No. 1, 62c.

Barley—No. 2, old, 66c.

Provisions—Firm; pork, August, $11.30; September, $11.40.

KANSAS CITY, August 19.—Wheat—Easier; No. 2 hard, cash, August, 94½c; No. 2 red, cash, 9[illegible]c.

Corn—Stronger; No. 2 cash and August, 45¼c.

Oats—Weaker; No. 2 cash, 36¼@37c.

LIVERPOOL, August 19.—Wheat—Quiet; holders offer moderately.

Corn—Quiet; mixed western, 4s 4¼d per cental.

MINNEAPOLIS, August 19.—Wheat—Receipts 53 cars; shipments, 7 cars; market slow for cash wheat. Closing: No. 1 hard, August, $1.10; on track, $1.10@1.15; No. 1 Northern, August, $1.05; September, $1.01¾; on track, $1.04@1.08; No. 2 Northern, August, $1.00; on track, $1.01@1.02.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, August 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; market slow and unchanged; steers $2.75@4.90; Texas steers, $2.40@2.75; rangers, $3.00@3.75; native butchers' stock, $1.50@2.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 19,000; market unchanged; rough and common, $3.70@3.75; best mixed, $3.80; prime heavy and butchers' weights, $3.90@4.10; light, $3.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; market lower for common; natives, $4.00@4.75; western, $3.80@4.35; Texans, 4.00@4.15; lambs, $4.50@5.00.

KANSAS CITY, August 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,100; shipments, 7,500; market steady to weak; steers, $3.25@4.40; cows, $1.50@2.35; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.40.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,350; shipments, 500; market higher; all grades, $3.25@3.97½.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., August 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Hogs—Receipts, 2,350; market opened active at 5c higher, selling at $3.70@3.80; bulk at $3.75.

No cattle sales but butchers' stuff at unchanged prices.

ST. LOUIS, August 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; shipments, 300; market lower; fair to fancy native steers, $3.85@4.60; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,100; market steady; heavy, $3.85@3.95; packing, $3.70@3.85; light, $3.80@3.90.

Butter—Firm; creamery choice, 17@18c; Elgin, 23@23c; dairy, 10@19c.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Tuesday, August 19.

Estimated receipts of cattle 2,400, compared with 1,476 yesterday and 1,768 Tuesday of last week. The market opened steady on steers, but on the arrival of heavy late receipts, declined 10 cents on the best grades of steers and 15 cents on poorer grades. The receipts of cows were large and the quality good. The market on the best cows was stronger, quite a number of sales being made at and above the $2 line. Common butchers' stuff was steady. More inquiries for good feeders was made than for some days and the market on the best was stronger with poorer or common-ish kinds neglected.

Hogs.

Estimated receipts of hogs 10,800, compared with 6,846 yesterday and 10,735 Tuesday of last week. The market opened active and 5c higher, everything changing hands early. The market closed easy. The range of prices was $3.40@3.95, the bulk selling at $3.70@3.85. Light, $3.40@3.87½; mixed, $3.60@3.75; heavy, $3.75@3.95. The average of the prices paid was $3.75, compared with $3.69¼ yesterday and $3.79¼ Tuesday of last week.

Prevailing Prices.

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

Prime steers, 1350 to 1600 lbs	$4.25	@4.65
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs	4.00	@4.40
Good steers, 1050 to 1300 lbs	3.85	@4.15
Fair, 1000 to 1150 lbs	3.50	@4.00
Common, 800 to 1250 lbs	3.25	@3.60
Common canners	1.00	@1.90
Ordinary to fair cows	2.00	@2.10
Fair to good cows	2.30	@2.65
Good to choice cows	2.75	@3.00
Choice to fancy cows	2.35	@3.35
Fair to good bulls	1.75	@2.65
Choice to fancy bulls	2.50	@3.00
Light stockers and feeders	2.00	@3.00
Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs	2.25	@2.85
Fair to choice light hogs	3.40	@3.57½
Fair to choice heavy hogs	3.75	@3.95
Fair to choice mixed hogs	3.60	@3.75

Comparative Table.

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

Days.	This Week.	Last Week.
Monday	$3.40 @3.95	$3.40 @3.92½
Tuesday	3.40 @3.95	3.45 @3.90
Wednesday		3.30 @3.85
Thursday		3.40 @3.90
Friday		3.37½@3.72½
Saturday		3.30 @3.85

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:

July 28	$3.64½	August 8	$3.64
July 29	3.70	August 9	3.58¾
July 30	3.56	August 11	3.61
July 31	3.42½	August 12	3.70¼
August 1	3.56	August 13	3.63¾
August 2	3.48½	August 14	3.56¾
August 4	3.41	August 15	3.55¼
August 5	3.55	August 16	3.62
August 6	3.56¾	August 18	3.69¼
August 7	3.54¼	August 19	3.75

Highest and Lowest Sales of Hogs.

Today.		Yesterday.	
Highest	$1.95	Highest	$1.90
Lowest	3.40	Lowest	3.40

Stock Receipts.

Official Yesterday.			Estimated Today.	
Cattle	65 cars	1,476	Cattle 115 cars	2,400
Hogs	99 cars	6,846	Hogs 161 cars	10,800
Sheep	3 cars	608		

Average Price of Hogs.

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

Day.	Aug '90	Aug '89	Aug '88	Aug '87
[illegible]	$3.92¾	$3.90	$5.95	Sunday
[illegible]	3.55¼	3.9	5.9	$5.19
[illegible]	3.62	3.8	5.8	5.19
[illegible]	Sunday	3.9	5.9	5.11
[illegible]	3.69¼	Sunday	6.10	5.00
[illegible]	3.75	3.9	Sunday	5.08

Disposition of Stock.

Showing the number of head of stock purchased yesterday on this market, as reported by the weighmasters of the Stockyards company:

CATTLE.

Swift & Company	554
The G. H. Hammond company	186
The Armour-Cudahy packing company	171
Hamilton & Stephen	22
Benton & Underwood	56
Becker & Degen	44
Lobman & Trauermann	3
Other buyers	163
Total	1,[illegible]

HOGS.

The Armour-Cudahy packing company	1,6[illegible]
Omaha packing company	1,1[illegible]
Swift & Company	9[illegible]
The G. H. Hammond company	9[illegible]
J. P. Squires & Co	6[illegible]
Brainard Brothers	2[illegible]
Ira F. Brainard	1[illegible]
Total	5,6[illegible]

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
19	1071	$2.40	25	1053	$1.85	1	1460	$4.60
17	812	3.30	32	1184	3.90	41	1232	4.05
16	969	3.50	25	1240	3.90	29	1164	4.12½
20	815	3.55	37	1065	4.00	12	1178	4.15
4	1005	3.60	68	1162	4.00	38	1261	4.20
36	986	3.80	40	1162	4.00	18	1414	4.35

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1080	1.65	9	940	2.15	26	873	2.20
3	1033	1.70	1	1120	2.15	11	897	2.50
20	751	1.75	1	1070	2.15	12	1068	2.60
56	904	1.80	12	1060	2.15	2	1230	2.60
2	1045	1.85	15	907	2.15	2	1090	2.75
9	941	2.00	7	931	2.15	7	1006	2.75
6	967	2.05	2	1110	2.20	1	1590	3.25
1	1500	2.10	12	986	2.20			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
8	620	2.20	18	720	2.85	9	1025	3.00
16	1101	2.70	5	860	3.00	26	762	3.05
2	965	2.75	1	940	3.00			

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
8	638	2.50	81	765	3.12½	41	753	3.20
23	584	2.75						

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1120	2.10	1	1450	2.10	1	1690	2.25

CANNERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	865	1.25	10	877	1.47½	2	1047	1.50

STEERS AND HEIFERS, YEARLINGS.

No.	Av.	Pr.
29	810	2.50

FEEDERS, HEREFORDS.

No.	Av.	Pr.
41	896	3.10

STAGS.

No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1200	3.00

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.
6	350	2.00

WESTERN CATTLE.

No.	Av.	Pr.
20 steers, cornfed	998	$3.60
C. F. Coffee—		
10 steers	1038	2.50
41 cows	961	2.25
J. M. Tompkins—		
2 canners	875	1.50
14 steers	1017	2.40
5 steers	1274	3.00
63 steers	1227	3.00
84 steers	1173	3.15
Swan Land & Cattle Co.—		
1 steer	1090	2.75
5 feeders	726	2.50
56 cows	1034	2.20

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
93	163	320	$3.40	69	239	240	$3.70
146	181	280	3.45	62	275	200	3.72½
81	204	320	3.50	60	237	80	3.72½
82	177	200	3.50	76	227	80	3.72½
104	189	200	3.50	59	250	280	3.72½
84	189	400	3.50	69	262	120	3.75
53	162	120	3.50	72	255	80	3.75
18	231	40	3.50	53	273	160	3.75
5	266	—	3.50	48	253	—	3.75
76	207	240	3.52½	64	253	—	3.75
75	194	240	3.52½	57	252	160	3.75
34	186	80	3.55	69	231	40	3.75
35	195	120	3.55	66	251	160	3.75
72	203	240	3.57½	46	307	160	3.75
73	217	240	3.60	69	237	160	3.75
80	216	560	3.60	122	228	120	3.75
63	225	160	3.60	67	234	40	3.75
74	208	120	3.60	68	245	240	3.75
63	210	320	3.60	58	246	—	3.75
79	196	200	3.60	79	245	160	3.75
58	178	120	3.60	61	249	40	3.75
72	174	120	3.60	67	277	80	3.75
98	196	280	3.60	54	268	400	3.75
74	224	160	3.60	58	260	200	3.75
69	219	160	3.60	71	268	240	3.75
64	226	200	3.60	59	265	280	3.75
84	224	160	3.60	77	245	160	3.75
59	182	200	3.62½	129	204	160	3.75
67	220	240	3.65	61	260	—	3.77½
73	239	160	3.65	67	250	760	3.80
83	212	400	3.65	61	286	160	3.80
14	302	80	3.65	66	269	200	3.80
15	284	160	3.65	65	235	80	3.80
58	207	160	3.65	66	253	160	3.80
72	231	400	3.65	58	272	80	3.80
64	215	120	3.65	58	268	160	3.80
61	246	120	3.65	65	278	200	3.80
35	183	—	3.65	60	261	160	3.80
75	216	200	3.65	58	290	80	3.80
70	234	80	3.65	64	262	160	3.80
70	245	200	3.65	67	270	160	3.80
69	230	280	3.65	61	254	80	3.80
65	235	120	3.65	63	244	480	3.80
81	220	240	3.65	54	279	120	3.80
6	425	—	3.65	60	261	120	3.80
7	418	160	3.65	118	284	280	3.80
62	215	120	3.65	62	244	120	3.82½
81	228	200	3.65	58	282	—	3.82½
62	254	200	3.67½	59	319	120	3.85
85	222	400	3.67½	50	336	40	3.85
62	240	120	3.70	68	261	40	3.85
74	241	80	3.70	67	315	40	3.85
72	246	200	3.70	61	257	—	3.85
64	258	80	3.70	60	310	—	3.85
77	246	120	3.70	61	282	40	3.85
68	252	160	3.70	61	277	160	3.85
61	267	320	3.70	58	267	120	3.85
71	215	200	3.70	53	273	—	3.85
61	255	120	3.70	73	249	200	3.85
72	237	—	3.70	69	261	80	3.85
67	246	200	3.70	62	297	400	3.85
68	255	240	3.70	60	289	—	3.85
72	215	280	3.70	59	309	200	3.85
60	229	120	3.70	118	202	240	3.85
75	249	200	3.70	57	285	320	3.85
57	269	120	3.70	41	330	240	3.85
62	265	120	3.70	113	280	120	3.85
31	329	120	3.70	51	343	80	3.87½
116	215	200	3.70	51	346	—	3.90
70	248	80	3.70	61	304	80	3.90
74	221	320	3.70	56	294	—	3.90
56	226	200	3.70	65	264	80	3.90
89	211	360	3.70	48	334	—	3.90
73	245	240	3.70	54	316	—	3.90
73	220	160	3.70	61	301	80	3.90
81	221	320	3.70	57	310	—	3.90
57	247	161	3.70	56	323	160	3.90
19	354	120	3.70	127	301	120	3.92½
65	283	120	3.70	55	321	—	3.95
67	222	200	3.70				

PIGS AND SKIPS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
4	100	—	2.50	30	177	—	3.00
11	137	40	2.50	37	130	80	3.10

Market Mention.

Steers closed lower.

Hogs advanced a nickel.

Calvin & Kutch sent in a car of hogs from Grant.

H. A. Butt marketed a car of hogs from Unadilla.

Chambers & Burdick sent in a car of hogs from Herman.

I. H. Sheeks of York had a car of hogs on the market.

Dow Black had a car of hogs on the market from Pauline.

F. D. Travis came in from Holdrege with two cars of cattle.

John Sinclair had a car of hogs on the market from Burr.

Evans & Long shipped down a car of cattle from Sioux City.

John Record came in from DeWitt with a car of choice fat cattle.

[illegible] A. Rowley was on the market with a car of hogs from Wilcox.

A. Kloping was over from Underwood, Ia., with two cars of cattle.

M. E. Bowlin & Co. had a car of hogs on the market from Bromfield.

Peterson Brothers, heavy dealers of Weston, Ia., marketed a car of hogs.

Charles F. Coffee of Harrison, Wyo., came in with five cars of range cattle.

J. H. Butler, the well known dealer of Crescent, was over with a car of hogs.

E. H. Leech of Humphreys was on the market with a load of prime heavy hogs.

D. W. Austin, the veteran shipper of Neola, Ia., was over with two cars of cattle.

Charles Rudat the well known Norfolk shipper, was on the market with a car of hogs.

S. H. and M. Coffman had five cars of cattle and one of hogs on the market from Leroy.

Captain Woods, the veteran stockman of Herman, was in with two cars of cattle and two of hogs.

Thomas Price, the well known dealer of Thayer, was up with three cars of cattle from Benedict.

Otto Wearin, the well known feeder and shipper of Hastings, Ia., was over with two cars of hogs and three of cattle.

J. M. Tompkins, a well known range cattleman, brought in a train of western cattle.

Smith & Stabler, Waverly, marketed a car of $3.95 hogs. These hogs were fed by Charles Warner and show the result of good handling.

John Hastie was up with a car of cattle and two of hogs from Auburn, a load of hogs from Panama, another from Union and three cars of cattle from Sells.

E. B. Branch, cashier of the Union stock yard bank, has returned from a trip to Denver and other Colorado points.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce.

CORN—40@45c.

OATS—30@35c.

HAY—$7.00@8.00.

MILLSTUFF—$15.00.

CHOPPED FEED—$18.00@21.00.

POULTRY—Per dozen, choice hens, $[illegible]; choice mixed, $2.50@3.00; roosters, $[illegible]; spring chickens, $1.50@2.00 for small; $2.[illegible] for medium; $2.50@2.75 for large; live pigeons, $1.25@1.50.

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy rolls, print, 18@19c; creamery, fancy, solid packed, 15@16c; creamery, choice, 13@14c; dairy, fancy rolls and prints, [illegible]; dairy, fancy, solid packed, [illegible]; dairy, choice, [illegible]; country roll, fancy, [illegible]; choice, 7@8c; inferior, 5@6c.

EGGS—13c for strictly fresh; stale not salable.

HIDES, FELTS AND TALLOW—Green salted hides No. 1, heavy, [illegible]; No. 1, light, [illegible]; No. 2, light, [illegible]; dry flint hides, [illegible]; dry salt hides, [illegible]; damaged hides, [illegible]; sheep pelts, green, each, [illegible]; sheep pelts, dry, per lb., [illegible].

BEESWAX—Per lb., 20c.

GAME—Per dozen, prairie chickens $[illegible]; mallards, $[illegible]; teal, $[illegible]; mixed ducks, $1.00@1.50; plover, [illegible].

PEACHES—Arkansas, [illegible]; California, per box, $1.[illegible].

GRAPES—California, per crate, $[illegible]; Illinois, per 8-lb basket, 40c.

PLUMS—Purple Duane, Columbia, etc., per box, $1.[illegible]; wild goose plums, [illegible] per box, 75@90c.

NECTARINES—Per crate, $1.[illegible].

LEMONS—Per box, Rodi Malori, fancy, $[illegible]; choice Messinas, $[illegible].

PEARS—Bartlett, California, per box, $[illegible].

PRUNES—German, per box, $[illegible]; French, $1.[illegible]; Prunes, $1.[illegible].

TOMATOES—Per lb., [illegible].

ONIONS—New southern, per bbl, $4.[illegible].

CABBAGE—Per crate, $[illegible].

POTATOES—Nebraska and Iowa, per bu, $1.00@1.25; Colorado and Salt Lake, $1.30.

SWEET POTATOES—Per bbl, $[illegible].

EVAPORATED APPLES—Fancy, 15c per lb.

BLUEBERRIES—Per crate, $1.[illegible].

COCOANUTS—Per 100, $[illegible].

WATERMELONS—Per 100, $[illegible].

CANTELOUPE—Per doz., $1.[illegible].

APPLES—Fancy eating, $[illegible]; fancy cooking, $[illegible]; choice, $[illegible].

ORANGES—Fancy Rodi, $[illegible].

BANANAS—Per bunch, $[illegible].

TALLOW—A No. 1, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; grease, white, [illegible]; yellow, [illegible]; stearine, [illegible].

HIDES—Quotations are for delivery in Chicago. Dry buffalo, per [illegible]; dry country, [illegible]; dry country, damp and meaty, [illegible].

WOOL—Fine unwashed, [illegible]; medium unwashed, [illegible]; coarse unwashed, [illegible].

JELLIES—[illegible] per lb.

DRESSED VEAL—Choice medium, [illegible]; light, [illegible]; heavy, [illegible].

LINSEED OIL—Raw, [illegible]; boiled, [illegible].

HONEY—Strained, [illegible]; new comb honey, fancy, [illegible]; choice, [illegible].

BEANS—Hand-picked navy, $[illegible]; hand-picked navy, medium, $[illegible]; hand-picked country, $[illegible]; good clean, $1.50@1.75; California, per lb, 4½c.

FISH—Per lb: Perch, 5c; buffalo, 7c; pickerel, 6½c; pike, 8c; trout, 9c; white, 9c; croppie, [illegible]; catfish, 11c; cod steak, 12c; flounders, 12c; Oregon salmon, 18c; black bass, 15c; lobsters, 18c.

Provisions.

FRESH PORK—Fresh hams, 26 lbs avg, 7½c; 16 lbs avg, 8c; 12 lbs avg, 9c; shoulders, 5c; pork loins, 7½c; pork tenderloins, 9c; leaf lard, not rendered, 6½c; spare ribs, 4c.

SALT MEATS—Bbls—Mess pork, new, $12.75; clear pork backs, heavy, $12.[illegible]; medium, $11.75; short cut clear pork, $10.50; family pork $10.50; butt pork, pig pork, $13.50; new extra mess beef, $9.50; new extra plate beef, $9.50; new plate beef, $6.00; new rolled boneless beef, $7.50; new rumps, $5.50; new boneless rumps, $8.50.

OILS—Bbls—Extra lard, winter strained, 47c; extra No. 1, lard, 36c; No. 1, lard, 33c; No. 2, lard, 31c; extra neatsfoot, 43c; tallow oil, 41c; pure neatsfoot oil, 50c; A 1 tallow, 5c; stearine, 6c.

LARD—Tierces—Compound, 5½c; pure leaf, 6½c; kettle rendered, 6¾c.

SMOKED MEATS—Sugar cured hams, 12 to 14 lb avg, 11½c; medium 15 to 16 lb avg, 11c; heavy, 20 to 22 lb avg, 11c; skinned sliding, 18 to 20 lb avg, 11¼; California hams, 7¼c; shoulders, 7¼c; shoulders, skinned, 6¾c; shoulders, 6 to 8 lb avg, 7¼c; boneless ham, 9c; breakfast bacon, clear, 5 to 7 lb strips, 8c; breakfast bacon, rib, 8¼c; dried beef hams, sets, 10¼c; regular, 8¾c; clods, 8c.

DRY-SALT MEATS—Lean backs, 6¼c; extra short clear, 5¼c; bellies, 16 to 20 lb avg, 6¼c; short ribs, 5¾c; short clears, 6c; long clears, 5¾c; shoulders, 5¼c; backs, 5¾c.

FRESH BEEF—Steers, 500 to 600 lbs average, native, 6¼@6¾c; 400 to 500 lbs average, native, 6@6½c; cows and heifers, 400 to 500 lbs average, native, 5¼c; hindquarters, steers, 10c; hindquarters, cows, 7c; forequarters, steers, 4¼c; forequarters, cows, 3c; dressed hogs, 4¾c; choice dressed mutton, 9¼c.

FRESH BEEF CUTS—Rolls, 6¼c; beef tenderloins, 18c; sirloin butts, 7c; boneless strips, 7¼c; rounds (rump off), 6c; rounds (rump on), 5c; rounds (shank off), 5¼c; boneless rumps, 4c; chucks, 3¼c; plates, 2¼c; back halves, 4c; shoulder clods, 4¼c; beef loins No. 1 (steer), 13@14c; beef loins No. 2, 10@11c; beef loins No. 3, 9c; beef ribs, 6½@8c; beef ribs No. 1, 10@11c; sweet breads (per doz), 35c; kidneys (each), 3c; ox tails (each), 3c; livers (each), 15c; beef hearts (each), 4c; beef tongues (each), 40c; strip loins, 6½c.

SAUSAGE—Bologna, 4c; bologna in weasands, 4½c; frankfurts, 6¼c; tongue, 7¼c; blood, 4½c; liver, 4¼c; head cheese, 4¼c; Polish, 7c; pork sausage (links), 6c; pork sausage (meat), in tin pails, 6c.

Groceries.

SUGAR—Per lb.—Cut loaf 7¾c; Cubes, 7c; Standard, powdered, 7¼c; XXXX, powdered, 7¼c; Granulated, standard, 6¾c; Confectioners' A, 6¾c; White, Extra C, Climax, 5¾c; Extra C, Nebraska, 5¾c; Amber, 5¼c; Golden C, 5¾c; Dark C, 5c.

MAPLE SUGAR—Per lb.—5c cakes, 26 lb boxes, 13c; 10c cakes, 30-lb boxes, 12¾c; 1-lb bricks, 30 lbs in box, pure, 14c.

COFFEE—Roasted—Arosia, 25¼c; Bunola, 25¼c; McLaughlin XXXX, 25¼c; German, 25¼c; Dilworth's, 25¼c; Lion, 25¼c; Mailpouch, 25¼c; Mocha, 30c; O. G. Java, 30c.

COFFEE—Green—Fancy Golden Rio, 22½c; fancy old peaberry, 24¼c; Rio, choice to fancy, 22¼c; Rio, prime, 22c; Rio, good, 21¼c; Santos and common Rio, 19@21c; Mocha, 29c; Java, genuine O. G., 28c; Java, good interior, 25c; Mexican 23c.

DRIED FRUITS—Turkish prunes, less than hhds, 1889, 7¼c; original hhds, ¼c less; Bosnia prunes, 50 lb. boxes, 100 to 110, 7¼c; apples, evaporated, new ring choice, 13c; evaporated, new ring prime, 12c; apricots, fancy, in sacks, 20c; blackberries, new, 8c; raspberries, 25 lbs. to box, 34c; currants, new, 6¾c; original casks, ¼c less; Vostizza currants, extra, in boxes, 6¾c.

CANNED FRUIT—Peaches, per doz., $2.00@2.25. Berries—2-lb gooseberries, $1.10; 2-lb strawberries, $1.15; 2-lb raspberries, $1.20; 2-lb blueberries, 1.00; 2-lb blackberries, $1.10. Pineapples—Bahama chopped, $2.10; Bahama sliced, $2.10; Bahama crated, $2.65; standard sliced, $1.25@1.50. Cherries—2-lb red, Baltimore, $1.10; white cherries, $1.65. Pears—2-lb, $1.30.

CHEESE—Wisconsin F. C., twin flats, per lb., 10c; Wisconsin F. C., young America, 11c; brick, 12½c; domestic Swiss, 14@17c; Edam in foil, each $1.00.

DATES—Persian, 60-lb. box, 7c.

RAISINS—London layers, California standard, per box, $2.35; "horse shoe," $2.60; loose muscatels, California standard, $2.00; "horse shoe," $2.35; "star" loose muscatels, $1.60; seedless California, $1.65; California seedless sultanas, in sacks, per lb., 8c; California muscatels, in sacks, 8c; new valencia, 9c; valencias, old, 6c; ondura layer, old, 7c.

SYRUPS—Amber Syrup—In bbls, No. 70 grade, 30c; half bbls, No. 70 grade, 32c; 4-gal kegs, No. 70 grade, $1.35; 2-gal kitts, No. 70 grade, 78c; gal cans, 10 in case, per case, $3.00; ½-gal cans, 16 in case, per case, $4.10; white clover drips, in bbls, 32c; half bbls, 34c; 4-gal kegs, each, $1.45; 2-gal pails, each, 85c; rock candy drips, in bbls, 35c; half bbls, 37c; 4-gal kegs, each, $1.60; 2-gal pails, each, 85c; California honey, bbls, 37c; half bbls, 39c; 4-gal kegs, $1.65; 2-gal kitts, 90c; 1-gal, 10 in case, $4.30; 1-gal, 16 in case, $4.25.

CHOCOLATE—12-lb boxes, 32@35c; German sweet, 22@24c; Parisian, 35c.

COCOA—Per lb, 39@40c.

BROMA—Per lb, 32c.

COCOANUT—Per lb, in pkgs, 20@27c; bulk, 22@25c.

SEEDS—Mixed bird, 1-lb pkgs, 5c; canary, 5c; hemp, 4¼c; anise, 18c; poppy, 12c.

SPICES—Pepper—Singapore sifted, 18@19c; shot, 25c. Allspice, 10c. Cloves—Penang, selected, 25c. Casia—China, 4-lb mats, 9c. Nutmegs, No. 1, 75c; fancy, large, 85c.

FARINACEOUS GOODS—Barley, 3¼c; farina, 5c; peas, 3c; oatmeal, 1¾@3½c; macaroni, 10@11c; vermicelli, 10@11c; rice, choice, 5½c; fancy, 6c; head, 5¾c; sago and tapioca, 6@7c; lima beans, 6c; split peas, 3c; spigitti, 11c.

MOLASSES—Bbls, N. O. fancy per gal., 35@37c; choice, 45@47c; good, 30@35c; Cuba baking, 28@30c; black strap, 20@23c.

WRAPPING PAPER—Straw, per lb, 1½@2¼c; rag, 2¼c; Manilla B, 5@6c; No. 1, 8c.

OILS—150 prime white, 10c; 150 water white, 13c; 175 headlight, 14½c; 74 gasoline, 13c.

SALSODA—Bbls, 1¼c; granulated, 2c; in bbls, 1¼c.

SODA—Pkgs, 60 lbs to box, 5¼@5¾c; kegs, 4½c.

VINEGAR—30 gr. cider, 10c; good, 13c; white wine, 15c; fancy, fruit, 8c.

STOVE POLISH—$2.00@3.50 per gross.

BAGS—Am. per 100, $17.75; Lewiston per 100 $17.75. Union square 30@35 per cent off list.

SALT—Dairy, 280 lbs in bbl, bulk, $2.10; best grade, 60 5s, $2.30; best grade, 100 3s, $2.40; best grade, 18 10s, $2.20; rock salt, crushed, $1.80; common, bbl, $1.35.

SOAP—Castile, mottled, per lb, 9@10c; do. white, per lb, 11c.

PICKLES—Medium, per bbl, $5.50; small, $6.50; gherkins, $7.50.

CIDER—Per bbls, refined, $5.50; half bbl, $3.50; hard cider, pure, per bbl, $6.00; orange cider, half bbl, $3.50; pear cider, half bbl, $3.50.

CORDAGE—Manilla rope—All sizes from 7-16 to 1 in., 15c; sisal rope, all sizes from 7-16 to 1 in., 11½c; "new process," all sizes from 7-16 to 1 in., 8c.

COTTON ROPE—¼ in., 16c.

TWINES—Cotton twine, "Bibb," very fine, ¼ lb balls, 25c; cotton twine, "Daisy" brand, ¼ lb bales, 18c; hemp twine, ¼ lb bales, 16c; sail twine, 25c; candle wick, 25c; 60-ft cotton clothes lines, 60-ft cotton clothes lines, $1.65; 72-ft cotton lines, $1.45; 60-ft sisal lines, $1.75; 60-ft jute, $1.25; wool twine, 9½c.

NUTS—Almonds, 15c; Brazils, 11c; filberts, 12½c; pecans, 11c; walnuts, 15½c; peanut (roasted), [illegible]; roasted, 12½c; Tennessee peanuts, [illegible].

BROOMS—5-tie parlor, $3.[illegible]; 4-tie, $2.[illegible]; 3-tie, plain, $1.[illegible]; warehouse, $[illegible]; toy, $1.[illegible]; whisk, $1.[illegible].

OLIVES—Quarts per doz, $4.00; pints per doz, $2.50; bulk, per gal, 95c.

CANNED MEATS—Corned beef, 1 lb, $1.[illegible]; corned beef, 2 lbs, $2.[illegible]; lunch tongues, 1 lb, $[illegible]; lunch tongues, 2 lbs, $[illegible]; brawn, 1 lb, $1.[illegible]; brawn, 2 lbs, $2.[illegible]; ox tongues, 1½ lbs, $[illegible]; ox tongues, 2 lbs, $[illegible]; chipped beef, 1 lb round cans, $[illegible]; roast beef, 2 lb round cans, $[illegible]; potted ham, ¼ lb, round cans, 65c; potted ham, ½ lb round cans, $[illegible]; deviled ham, ¼ lb, round cans, 65c; deviled ham, ½ lb, round cans, $[illegible]; potted ox tongue, ½ lb, round cans, $1.[illegible]; compressed ham, 1 lb, square cans, $1.[illegible]; compressed ham, 2 lbs, square cans, $[illegible]; [illegible] 1 lb, round cans, $[illegible]; boneless pigs feet, 2 lb, square cans, $1.[illegible].

VEGETABLES—Tomatoes, 3 lb extra, $1.40; 3-lb standard western brands, 90c; gallons, strictly standard, $2.[illegible]. Corn—Fluted gloves, $1.[illegible]; gilt-edged sugar corn, very fine, $1.[illegible]; [illegible] sugar corn, $1.[illegible]; 2-lb extra western brands, $1.[illegible]; 2-lb standard western brands, 85c. Mushrooms—1-lb French, extra fine, [illegible]; 1-lb French, fine, [illegible]; 1-lb French, ordinary, [illegible]. Peas—Peas, fine per can, [illegible]; marrowfat, per can, [illegible]; soaked, $1.[illegible]; Early June, $1.[illegible]; 2-lb marrowfat, standard brands, $1.[illegible]; 2-lb soaked, [illegible]. String beans—2-lb, high grade, [illegible]; 2-lb Boston baked beans, [illegible]; 3-lb Lewis, $1.[illegible]; Crown brands, $1.[illegible]. Sweet potatoes—3-lb New Jersey, $1.[illegible]. Pumpkins—3-lb, $1.[illegible]. Okra and tomatoes, $1.[illegible]; succotash, $1.[illegible].

FISH—Codfish, extra Georges, new, large, grand bank, new, [illegible]; silver, 1-lb blocks, [illegible]; snow white, 1-lb blocks, new, [illegible]; turkey cod, large middle bricks, [illegible]; snow white, crates, [illegible]; fat pork, [illegible]; medium scaled herring, [illegible]; No. 1 scaled herring, [illegible]; domestic Holland herring, [illegible]; Hamburg spiced herring, [illegible]; Russian sardines, spiced, [illegible]; Russian sardines, plain, [illegible]; imported Holland herring, crown brand, [illegible]; do milkers, [illegible]; mackerel, No. 1 shore, half bbls, $[illegible]; bloaters, half bbls, $[illegible]; white fish, half bbls, $[illegible]; trout, half bbls, $[illegible]; family white fish, $[illegible]; salmon, $[illegible] per doz; 1-lb mackerel (herring), [illegible]; 1-lb broiled mackerel, $[illegible]; 3-lb mustard, $[illegible]; 3-lb in tomato sauce, $[illegible]; 5-lb mess mackerel, $[illegible]; 1-lb brook trout, $[illegible]; 2-lb brook trout, $[illegible]; 1-lb salmon, $1.[illegible]; 2-lb white fish, $[illegible]; 1-lb white fish, $1.[illegible]; 2-lb lobsters, $[illegible]; 1-lb lobsters, $[illegible]; 2-lb oysters, 11 oz, $1.[illegible]; 1-lb oysters, 5 oz, $1.[illegible]; 2-lb oysters, 10 oz, $1.[illegible]; 1-lb oysters, 5 oz, $1.[illegible]; 2-lb select, 11 oz, $[illegible]; 2-lb Baratarla, 10 oz, $[illegible]; 1-lb Baratarla, 5 oz, $[illegible]; Fairmount, 4 oz, $[illegible]; Fairmount, 5 oz, $[illegible]; 1-lb clams, little necks, $1.[illegible]; 1-lb clams, little necks, $1.[illegible]; 2-lb clam chowder, $[illegible]; 1-lb crabs, $[illegible]; 2-lb crabs, $[illegible].

Metals.

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

COPPER—Planished boiler sizes, 35c per lb; cold rolled, 30c per lb; sheathing, 29c per lb; pit and flats, 35c per lb.

GALVANIZED SHEET IRON—Discount 60-10 per cent; pat. plan. Iron, Nos 24 and 27, A, 10c; B, 9c.

TIN PLATE—I. C., 10x14, $6.75; I. X., 10x14, $8.25.

TIN PLATE—Coke, 14x20, 112, $6.25.

ROOFING—Charcoal, I. C., 14x20, 112, $6.50; I. X., $6.75.

SHEET IRON—No. 26, $3.90; No. 27, $4.70.

SOLDER—Strictly half and half, 18c.

STEEL NAILS—Base, $2.35.

STEEL WIRE NAILS—Base, $2.90.

WIRE—Jap. barb, $3.25; galv., $3.95.

Drugs.

QUININE—Per oz., P. & W., 41c; German, 35c; indigo, per lb, 75c; insect powder, 31c; opium, $4.15; morphine, per oz, $2.00; hops, per lb, 26c; glycerine, 20c; dextrine, 13c; cuttlebone, 30c; cream tartar, pure, 35c; commercial, 18c; camphor, 56c; amm. carb, 14c; blue vitriol, 7c.

ACID—Carbolic, 30@45c; citric, 60@65c; tartaric, 56@58c; sulphuric, per lb, 3c.

OILS—Sperm oil, H. P., turpentine, 48c; Tonka beans, $2.25@2.35; balsam tolu, 45@48c; calomel, 90@97c; cantharides, $1.40@1.50; cubeb buds, 20@22c; chloroform, 40@50c; ergot, $[illegible]; gum arabic, 50@65c; lycopodium, 60@65c; mercury, 80c.

Dry Goods.

HEAVY BROWN COTTONS—Atlantic E, 7¼c; Atlantic H, 7c; Atlantic D, 6¼c; Atlantic P, 6c; Aurora C, 5c; Buck's Head, 6¾c; Cabot W, 6¾c; Darlington, 6¾c; Farmers' No. 1, [illegible]; Hoosier LL, 5¾c; Indian Head, 7¼c; Lawrence LL, 5¾c; Henrietta LL, 5¾c.

FINE BROWN COTTONS—Atlantic LL, 6c; Aurora B, 6¾c; Aurora R, 6¾c; Atlas O S B, 7¼c; cheese cloth, 4c; Clinton FF, 6¾c; Pepperell R, 6¾c; Langdon G B, 8c.

BLEACHED COTTONS—Berkeley cambric—No. 60, 9c; Best Yet, 6¾c; Butterfeloth, XX, 4¾c; Cabot, 7¾c; First Call, 6¾c; Fruit of the Loom, 8¾c; Hill semper idem, 8c; Housekeeper, 7¾c; King Phillip cambric, 10c; Langdon G B, 9¾c; Lonsdale, 8¾c; Lonsdale cambric, 10c; New York Mills, 11c; Oak Lawn, 7¾c.

SHEETING AND PILLOW CASINGS—Brown—Net—Pepperell 42-in, 11c; Pepperell 8-4, 18c; Pepperell 9-4, 6-4, 20c; Pepperell 10-4, 22c; Utica, 48-in, 14c; Utica, 56-in, 17½c; Utica, 72-in, 24c; Utica, 84-in, 26c; Utica, 96-in, 28c. Bleached—Net—Pepperell, 42-in, 10c; Pepperell, 46-in, 11c; Pepperell, 6-4, 16½c; Pepperell, 8-4, 22c; Pepperell, 9-4, 25c; Pepperell, 10-4, 27c; Utica, 8-4, 24c; Utica, 9-4, 26c; Utica, 10-4, 28c.

GINGHAMS—Amoskeag, 6¾c; Amoskeag dress, 8¾c; Bates, 6¾c; Warwick dress, 7¾c; Lancaster, 6¾c; Glenaire, 6¾c; Whittenton dress, 8¾c.

PRINTS—Indigo blue—Net—Martha Washington, 6c; American, 6¾c; Arnold, 6¾c; Arnold B, long cloth, 10c; Stifel A, 12c; Merrimack, 5, 10c; Gold Leaf, 6¾c; Hamilton, 5¾c; Allen Pinks, 6¾c; Allen Chamtray, 6c; Gloucester, 5¾c.

PRINTS—Fancies—Eddystone, 6¾c; Steel River, 6c; Ramapo, 4¾c; St. Ledger, 5¾c; Shirtings—Martha Washington, 4¾c; Merrimack, 4¾c. Turkey reds—Fountain, 6¾c; Garner, 7c; Crenfield, 8¾c; Berlin, 6¾c.

DENIMS—Net—Amoskeag, 9-oz, 16¾c; York camlet, 12c; Everett standard, 12¾c; Haymaker's, 7¾c; Old Bork, XX, 10¾c; Lawrence, 22c, 13¾c; Lawrence, 9-oz, 15¾c; fancy stripes and checks, 11¾c.

COTTONADES—York Nankin, 10¾c; Everett, 8-oz, 18c; Lewiston, 10-oz, 22¾c; Workingman's, 13¾c; Corkscrew cashmere, 22c.

WIGANS—Net—Thistle, 6¾c; Red Cross, 7c.

COLORED CAMBRICS—Crown, 4¾c; Red Star, 4¾c; Bellied Clover, 5c; Slater, 6c; high colors, ¼c extra.

CRASH—Stevens' B, 16-in, 5¾c; Stevens' D, 18-in, 6c; Stevens' A, 16-in, 7c; Stevens' P, 18-in, 7¾c; Stevens' M, 18-in, 8¾c; Stevens' N, 20-in, 8¾c; Stevens' NN, 25-in, 9¾c; Stevens' SRT, 20-in, 11¾c; bleached ¼c extra.

TRUE NOBILITY OF LABOR.

As Exemplified by the New England Schoolmarm.

The early New England schoolmistress knew naught of the kindergarten or of the science of manual training, says Prof. B. B. Huntoon of the Kentucky Institute. She read the bible, Shakespeare, "Pilgrim's Progress" and Milton's "Paradise Lost," on which last she unconsciously based her theology. Later on, perhaps, she may have read the "Scottish Chiefs," "The Children of the Abbey" and "The Castle of Ontranto"—but if she did, it was with many qualms of conscience over such a waste of her precious time.

He schoolhouse was a rude building, usually of a single room, located in the geographical center of the district, and therefore usually ingeniously inconvenient to every inhabitant thereof. The walls were bare, even of blackboards, and the desks and benches were of the most primitive fashion.

But in the summer there was always a bunch of wild flowers on her desk, gathered by little hands for "teacher"—and in all seasons her own gracious presence made those four walls enclose a garden of the Master's, where love was duty and peace was law, and where the beautiful temple of manhood was reared without the sound of any instrument of percussion.

Nature was not kindly to that rocky land—the glaciers that ploughed over her fields left endless layers of broken rock to torment the farmer and cultivate his powers of patience and self-control.

In his hard life every hand had to be a helping one, and the girls not only had to cook, to wash and mend and scrub, milk and churn, and sew and knit and weave, but on occasion had to harness the horses and even lend assistance in the hay field against a sudden shower.

Their lives were full of hard, laborious, continuous toil, but never of moil. Even, as was frequently the case, when they went out to domestic service as hired help in a neighbor's family, their dignity of labor suffered no affront, and their social standing, amid such simple ways, was in no ways affected. The nobility of labor existed here unquestioned, as the natural way of living, and to be called lazy and idle were terms of the bitterest reproach.

There was thrift and a close economy that frequently bordered on penuriousness; the fare was bad, the living plain, but there was high thinking, and a determination that every one of their children should have a good education and every possible advantage.

Their homes were more beautified—vines covered the porch and flowers adorned the doorway; if the floors were sanded—and few knew aught of carpets in those days—the sand was marked out in artistic figures by hand that knew how to draw as well as to sweep; the little village library was formed, there was a spirit of active intellectuality that pervaded the entire community.

Even the solemn old psalmody of the Puritan church felt the sweet influence; and trained choirs and part singing and artistic feeling modified the howling with devices of congregational singing.

And in good time flowers were allowed to appear in the sanctuary and adorn the pulpit, and the flute and the viol, and even the violin, were heard in the church choir.

The Career of "Gypsy" Blythe.

The fortune of a celebrated Gypsy has just been awarded to a young girl who claimed to be his daughter and who now has as her own exclusive property an estate worth $4,000,000. The name of the dead millionaire was Gordon, and the account of his career shows how strange and exciting was his life, with its usual happenings and its remarkable ups and downs. Gordon followed the life of a Gypsy, and was known in this country by the name of Blythe, says the New York Press. His great grandfather was Jean Gordon, connected with the Meg Merrilies of Walter Scott's novel, and he was a descendant of John Young, famed in Ayrshire as a highwayman. In 1852 he was one of a group of men who captured a whaling bark off Hobartown. They took possession of the boat and made their way to Valparaiso. Gordon and five associates were captured by a British gunboat and sentenced to Norfolk island. He escaped and made his way to San Francisco, where he took the name of Blythe. He then took up his abode among the miners and won a small fortune at cards, which he invested in real estate. The venture proved a success and his money rolled rapidly up.

During the trial of the cause through which the property was awarded, nineteen claimants appeared before the court, many of them representatives of well known English and Scotch families, yet it is said that it was necessary to guard the girl to protect her from attempts upon her life, which were feared. Such was the desire for money that some respectable people untruthfully claimed relationship with him and threatened the life of his daughter.

It Worked Not Wisely But Too Well.

It is gratifying to know that one's paper is carefully read by the patrons, says the Sidney Journal, but we have begun to wish that some had missed the few lines of information on "how to prevent potatoes from sprouting in the cellar," which appeared in the Journal. Every mother's son, it seems, who read about sprinkling salt on them tried it and every one's potatoes were spoiled. If the vegetables were not so distressingly scarce and excruciatingly high—entirely out of reach—the Journal would offer a few hundred bushels and invite the credulous victims of misinformation to call around and help themselves to the extent of their loss, but under the circumstances this is out of the question. We are not fully prepared to believe that there is no virtue in the recipe yet, even if a hundred or more have pitched on us. We think now that their salt was too strong. We wrote "fresh salt," which, of course, means salt soaked in water over night, or until its saline qualities are removed. This is a small hole to creep out of, but it is the best we can find.

THE REALTY MARKET.

INSTRUMENTS placed on record during yesterday:

M Fitzpatrick and wife to M E Michaelsen, lot 2, blk 88, South Omaha, w d	$ 2,250
C G Elsasser and wife to Jacob Koster, part of lot 1, blk 16, Improvement association add, w d	7,500
J H Lacy to H G Jordan, part of lots 10 and 11, blk 4, Drake's add, w d	2,500
Katie Washington and husband to G B Hitt, lot 7, blk 6, Cloverdale add, w d	3,000
J T Bell to Public, dedication of Fairview plat	
L M Sackett and wife to M L Mitchell, lots 1 and 2, blk 4, McCormick's 2d add, w d	2,000
A C Paulsen et al, executors, to S J Chambers, lot 16, blk 1, William Hagedorn's add, w d	450
A G Charlton and wife to Frank Barnard, lot 16, blk 2, Institute Place, w d	250
Frank Barnard and wife to John and Mary Schmidt, lot 16, blk 2, Institute Place, w d	250
D A Lyan and wife to Anna Jackson, lot 8, blk 7, Hanscom Place, w d	6,000
Alida Barnes, jr, to Arthur Pennington, lot 6, blk 1, McCormick's 2d add, w d	1,250
C O Lobeck, administrator, to M Anderson, lot 21, blk 1, West Cuming add, w d	450
August and Charles Faust to Charles Faust, e ½ lot 18, blk 446, Grandview, w d	300
E S Hood and wife to J D Sane, lot 1, blk 6, Albright's annex, w d	300
Albright's land and lot company to Julius Thiede, lot 22, blk 4, Hoppe's Bonanza, w d	440
L D Barnard and husband to L F Weeks, lot 7, blk 2, Orchard Hill, q c d	1
Charles Faust and wife to Adolph Mailbert, e ½ lot 16, blk 446, Grandview, w d	225
J F Finck and wife to J T Hunter, lots 17 and 18, blk 15, Hitchcock's 1st add, w d	1,575
G W Hervey and wife to H G Clark, lot 36, blk 6, Armour Park, w d	2,500
H W Pennock to H H Meday, lots 17 and 18, blk 126, lots 12, 13 and 14, blk 120, Dundee Place, w d	7,800
H H Meday and wife to H W Pennock, lots 1 and 12, Meday's sub, w d	5,800
Myer Hellman and wife to Thomas Beverly, lots 1 to 18, blk 12, Hellman's add, w d	7,000
Twenty transfers	$ 18,2[illegible]

Building Permits.

The following permits were issued by the superintendent of buildings yesterday:

Mrs. C. F. Lane, two-story and basement double frame dwelling, Twenty-eighth and Burdette streets	$3,500
M. M. Van Horn, two-story frame dwelling, Orchard and Fortieth streets	2,500
E. B. Chapman, two-story frame dwelling, Forty-fifth and Farnam streets	2,500
One minor permit	200
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