THE CONDITION OF TRADE.

Money Continues Close, Both Here and in the Eastern Markets.

THE OUTLOOK FOR FALL BUSINESS GOOD.

Jobbers Express Themselves Well Satisfied—Collections Reported Good—Condition of Crops—Miscellaneous.

The clearings of the associated national banks of the city for the week ending September 13, as reported by Mr. Hughes, manager of the Omaha clearing house, were $5,007,115.93, an increase over the corresponding week last year of 34.2 per cent. Balances were $681,518.03.

There has been no appreciable change in the money market since a week ago. Money continues close both here and in the eastern market. The president's order to prepay $5,000,000 interest on currency 6s will have a tendency to relieve the stringency of the New York market, but local bankers express the belief that its effect here will be very slight, although every opening of the treasury and placing additional money in circulation must necessarily be felt here in a greater or less degree. Heavy customs duties on large importations have had much to do with the present closeness of the market. The demand for money continues heavy, but all calls have thus far been supplied at the rates that have prevailed for some time past.

The usual stiffening of rates will come with cold weather, but no changes have yet been made and none are anticipated in the immediate future.

The business outlook for fall trade is most promising. August trade was rather dull in many branches, but September has started out with a decided increase, and jobbers express themselves as very well satisfied with the prospects for the fall and winter. September collections have been very satisfactory.

Reports from various portions of the state have not materially changed the crop prospects as previously published. It is now believed that as a whole the state will average half crop, but this is owing to the fact that some sections have literally nothing. Where there is anything there is considerably more than a half crop. Prices are so high, however, that a half crop means a very fair degree of prosperity.

Visits among the jobbers fail to discover any complaints. A heavy fall trade is predicted in all branches.

The boot and shoe men report excellent business, although prices are jumping. There has been an increase in buff and grain goods during the past week of fully 10 per cent. Sole leather has been advancing, the rise in raw soles amounting to about 1 cent per pair. The advance has been in all grades, although it was so slight in the higher grade goods as scarcely to be noticed. Advices from the manufacturers state that if hides hold at their present price there will be a general advance ranging from 15 to 25 per cent, according to the grade of goods. As the hide market is already perceptibly weakening this rise is not anticipated, although no falling off in prices is expected before January 1.

The rubber trade continues dull. One or two large orders were received during the week, but everything depends on the season. An early winter, with hard weather, will advance prices and make business with the rubber dealers better than ever before.

The hardware dealers predict extra good business in the sections where the crops are not total failures on account of the prices that will be obtained for products raised. Copper and iron remain about the same, but tin and lead have advanced about ¾c. The heaviest advance has been on tin plate, which has taken a rise by degrees of about $1.50 per case of 225 pounds. Further changes depend on the action of congress on the tariff. If the change is made as now proposed advancing the tariff on tin plate, it will cause a further rise of about $2.50 per case. If no change is made it is believed that the recent advance will not hold, as the rise was made solely in anticipation of tariff changes, without which prices will rule about the same as two months ago.

With the exception of potatoes, there have been no material changes in the produce market during the week. The receipts of potatoes have been about twenty car loads, which has not been excessive, but there are prospects of heavy shipments ahead, which will fill the market. They are mostly coming at present from Wisconsin and Minnesota. The prevailing price has been $1.10, with ready sales, but they were offered yesterday at 75c on ten days' option, and not accepted. This, however, does not necessarily indicate a further reduction, as dealers are well supplied, and the price is much too high to speculate upon. There is a weak feeling in the market.

Butter has held about the same. There is a stiff market, and there is just about enough coming in to supply the demand.

Eggs have dropped to 16c, with a few sales at 15½c. The market is a little weak at the former figure, but the present cold snap will have a tendency to hold it where it is. The receipts have been heavy. Poultry has changed but little. The receipts have been moderate. Old chickens bring $3.00@3.25, large spring $3.00, mediums $2.00@2.75, small $1.75.

California fruits are firm. Peaches are worth $2.00 in four basket crates, pears $3.00, plums $1.75@2.00, grapes $1.50@1.75. The receipts have been fair, but there will be a falling off this week. Considerable native fruit is being received. The grape supply is very good and is worth 30@35c per basket. Apples are easier and the market is well supplied. Good eating apples are worth $3.00@3.25 and cooking $2.50@2.75. Winter apples will be scarce and high. The melon season is nearly over. The home supply is sufficient and very few are being shipped in.

The Improvement Record.

The following figures show the totals of real estate transfers, building permits and bank clearings for the past week, compared with the corresponding week of last year:

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Monday	$ 35,279
Tuesday	283,785
Wednesday	288,907
Thursday	73,270
Friday	65,679
Saturday	21,462
Total	$958,383

BUILDING PERMITS.

Monday	$ 7,095
Tuesday	17,475
Wednesday	2,965
Thursday	1,350
Friday	1,175
Saturday	275
Total	$30,945

BANK CLEARINGS.

Monday	$ 850,974 02
Tuesday	855,791 66
Wednesday	868,305 42
Thursday	1,011,786 13
Friday	719,960 03
Saturday	713,297 77
Total	$5,007,115 93

An increase over the corresponding week of last year of 34.2 per cent.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Saturday, September 13.

Estimated receipts of cattle 900, as compared with 2,195 yesterday and 999 Saturday of last week. The market opened fairly active and steady on steers and butchers' stuff. Everything desirable changed hands early. Feeders remain unchanged with more in the yards than there is demand for.

Hogs.

Estimated receipts of hogs 3,000, as compared with 3,361 yesterday and 3,660 Saturday of last week. The market opened slow and higher. Buyers were not willing at first to pay the figures demanded by sellers and trading was slow. The market finally became active under buying for shippers, lights and mixed selling all 5@10c advance and heavy so advance, the market closing firm at the advance with all sold. The range of the prices was $4.00@4.45, the bulk selling at $4.25@4.30. Light, $4.00@4.35; mixed, $4.20@4.35; heavy, $4.30@4.45. The average of the prices paid was $4.32½ as compared with $4.24 yesterday and $4.11½ Saturday of last week. The market closed with the average 31½c higher than it opened the first day of this month.

Prevailing Prices.

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

Prime steers, 1300 to 1600 lbs	$4.35	@	$4.55
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs	4.00	@	4.30
Good steers, 1050 to 1300 lbs	3.85	@	4.15
Fair to good bulls	3.50	@	4.00
Common, 800 to 1200 lbs	3.35	@	3.60
Common canners	1.00	@	1.90
Ordinary to fair cows	2.00	@	2.30
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	2.90	@	3.00
Light stockers and feeders	2.00	@	2.60
Feeders, 800 to 1100 lbs	2.25	@	2.85
Fair to choice light hogs	4.00	@	4.25
Fair to choice heavy hogs	4.30	@	4.45
Fair to choice mixed hogs	4.20	@	4.35

Comparative Table.

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

Days.	This Week.		Last Week.	
Monday	$4 05	@ 4 37½	$ 3 70	@ 4 12½
Tuesday	4 07½	@ 4 35	3 70	@ 4 15
Wednesday	4 05	@ 4 40	3 90	@ 4 20
Thursday	4 00	@ 4 30	3 70	@ 4 25
Friday	4 00	@ 4 40	3 80	@ 4 17½
Saturday	4 00	@ 4 45	4 00	@ 4 22½

Highest and Lowest Sales of Hogs.

Today.		Yesterday.	
Highest	$4 45	Highest	$4 40
Lowest	4 00	Lowest	4 05

Stock Receipts.

Official Yesterday.		Estimated Today.	
Cattle	97 cars, 2,195	Cattle	41 cars, 900
Hogs	45 cars, 3,361	Hogs	74 cars, 5,000
Sheep	4 cars, 709	Horses	1 car, 1

Average Price of Hogs.

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

Day.	Sept '90.	Sept '89.	Sept '88.	Sept '87.
8	$4 19½	Sunday.	$6 11	15 28
9	4 21½	$5 77	Sunday.	5 23
10	4 27	3 84	6 26	5 22
11	4 17½	3 80	6 29	Sunday.
12	4 24	3 81	6 31	5 19
13	4 32½	3 79	6 19	5 20

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:

September 1	4 01½	September 8	$ 4 19½
September 2	4 05½	September 9	4 24½
September 3	4 08½	September 10	4 27
September 4	4 11	September 11	4 17½
September 5	4 05	September 12	4 24
September 6	4 11½	September 13	4 32½

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	616
The G. H. Hammond company	75
The Armour-Cudahy packing company	295
Lee Rothschild	220
Hamilton & Stephen	21
Benson & Underwood	92
Nels Morris	8
Becker & Degen	13
S. & S	135
Other buyers	288
Total	1,794

HOGS.

The Armour-Cudahy packing company	2,179
Omaha packing company	768
Swift & Company	567
The G. H. Hammond company	249
Klugan & Co	646
Sperry & Barnes	246
Others	82
Total	4,737

SHEEP.

Swift & Company	430
Armour-Cudahy packing company	209
Meyer	109
Total	749

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
11	1076	3 00	20	1243	4 15	12	1161	4 25
39	1127	4 00						

COWS.

1	970	1 50	1	1130	1 70	1	1060	1 90
3	733	1 55	2	965	1 70	14	974	2 15
1	1050	1 60	7	1114	1 75	7	986	2 15
1	770	1 60	1	1000	1 75	5	928	2 20
1	1210	1 65	1	1140	1 80	22	894	2 25
1	1250	1 70	6	1046	1 80			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

15	861	2 25	16	811	2 40	47	1080	2 55
50	800	2 25	12	896	2 40	49	1139	2 55
3	856	2 25	5	1052	2 50	1	1010	2 60
50	941	2 30	2	1015	2 50	50	912	2 70
15	894	2 40	16	1083	2 50	15	1034	2 75
19	885	2 40	34	1016	2 50			

BULLS.

1	1340	1 15	1	1450	1 80	1	1420	2 00
1	1190	1 40						

CALVES.

1	350	2 00	1	300	2 00	1	150	2 00

CANNERS.

1	960	1 00	22	801	1 30	23	699	1 60

COW AND CALF.

1		—	23	00				

WESTERN CATTLE.

No.	Av.	Pr.
43 steers, corn-fed	1139	$3 40
1 steer, Texas	1240	2 20
J. N. Pease—		
25 steers	1127	2 40
9 steers	1283	2 80
J. K. Burnett—		
21 feeders	1212	2 65
Ferguson Land & Cattle company—		
25 cows	1015	2 20
J. C. Norris—		
23 cows	931	1 60½
46 cows	1002	1 75
Brown-Iliff Cattle company—		
81 cows	931	1 80
16 cows	884	1 90
25 feeders	1117	2 40
M. M. Mason—		
1 cow	960	1 80
15 steers	1179	2 45
C. E. Riekley, Hoyt & Co.—		
1 cow	1260	2 25
22 feeders	1215	2 65
1 steer, corn-fed	1570	3 80
Crill & Moore—		
63 steers, Texas	1153	2 40
T. J. Swan—		
1 steer	1480	2 35
10 steers	1115	2 35
1 cow	1250	2 00
1 steer	1333	1 50
J. H. Barren—		
2 canners	1285	1 25
1 cow	930	1 40
3 bulls	1316	1 40
56 cows	992	1 90
29 feeders	1141	2 35
Swan Land & Cattle company—		
15 steers tailings	933	2 20
22 steers tailings	1257	2 30
17 steers	1221	2 50
62 steers	1221	2 55
1 cow	1150	2 00
1 cow	1320	2 00
4 cows	947	2 10
1 cow	840	2 10
82 cows	993	2 10
1 steer	1660	2 40
1 steer	1220	2 40
1 steer	1290	2 40
1 steer	1150	2 40
1 steer	1200	2 40
1 steer	1220	2 40
2 steers	1225	2 40
1 steer	1210	2 40
1 steer	1260	2 40

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
71	194	200	$4 00	24	316	160	$4 30
80	180	240	4 02½	66	268	80	4 30
41	225	240	4 15	168	323	480	4 32½
66	276	320	4 25	70	242	120	4 32½
72	204	80	4 25	68	281	160	4 32½
72	246	560	4 25	60	256	280	4 32½
86	209	200	4 25	64	295	40	4 32½
6	270	80	4 25	64	282	160	4 32½
6	243	80	4 25	73	264	120	4 35
38	283	160	4 25	60	272	—	4 35
78	297	520	4 27½	54	288	120	4 35
68	288	200	4 27½	65	229	40	4 35
74	216	200	4 30	48	321	240	4 35
73	245	160	4 30	77	307	120	4 35
62	267	200	4 30	69	236	120	4 35
23	194	40	4 30	68	284	120	4 35
38	286	240	4 30	62	260	160	4 35
64	253	—	4 30	56	274	160	4 35
68	252	40	4 30	71	303	40	4 35
61	284	320	4 30	61	304	240	4 35
63	275	200	4 30	56	290	200	4 35
62	243	—	4 30	59	286	80	4 35
56	270	160	4 30	69	275	160	4 35
74	222	240	4 30	57	309	80	4 37½
68	260	240	4 30	69	250	160	4 37½
13	386	—	4 30	57	286	—	4 37½
19	334	120	4 30	48	321	—	4 37½
75	238	240	4 30	57	330	80	4 40
60	211	200	4 30	60	265	40	4 40
66	280	200	4 30	80	241	160	4 40
74	230	120	4 30	55	283	80	4 40
70	243	120	4 30	49	305	—	4 40
63	248	80	4 30	45	265	40	4 40
11	267	—	4 30	46	278	80	4 42½
72	220	240	4 30	60	340	120	4 42½
68	214	160	4 30	51	350	—	4 42½
84	232	280	4 30	55	307	160	4 45
31	253	80	4 30	44	370	—	4 45
63	243	280	4 30				

PIGS AND SKIPS.

1	380	—	2 25	1	150	—	3 00
1	440	—	2 30	1	180	—	3 00
1	140	—	2 75	9	190	80	3 50
4	107	—	3 00	46	118	—	3 70

Market Mention.

Hogs higher.

Cattle steady.

No sheep on the market.

G. F. Airler of Stella sent in a car of hogs.

B. F. Hull & Sons of Pender marketed cattle.

John Hastie sent in car of hogs from Julian.

James Green & Co. of Schuyler sent in a car of hogs.

P. Mangold of Bennington marketed a car of hogs.

Thomas Powers sent in a shipment of hogs from Lyman.

Anderson & Johnson, heavy shippers from Oakland, had several cars of hogs on the market.

J. Buck of Essex, Ia., and J. C. Welsh of Clarinda marketed hogs.

Schofield & Longnecker of Walnut, Ia., marketed a car of hogs.

Menshal & Vandervort of Stella marketed two cars of hogs.

B. A. Templeton brought in several cars of cattle from Tekamah.

McKeegan & McMannis were among those that marketed hogs.

B. J. Tierney, a regular shipper from Ansley, sent in a car of hogs.

A. W. Olinger, a regular shipper of Kearney, sent in a car of hogs.

C. W. Doop of Adair, Ia., was here looking after a shipment of cattle.

James Cummins of Talmage was among those that marketed cattle.

Rosebrough & Gray of Blue Springs were among those that had hogs here.

Rooney & Co., prominent shippers from Brayton, had cattle on the market.

The Swan land and cattle company sent in a bunch of range cattle from Rock Creek.

W. T. Rickley of Columbus was at the yards looking after a shipment of hogs.

J. M. Emarine of Council Bluffs, Ia., was on the market with a shipment of hogs.

Verdigris was represented by T. A. Texalsky & Co., who marketed a bunch of cattle.

Among the regular shippers that had hogs here today was W. L. Barstow of Burwell.

R. Baca, a well known Iowa patron of this market, brought over two cars of hogs from Glenwood.

Joseph Dixon, a well known patron of this market, was here looking after a car of hogs. He shipped from Memphis.

John D. Glade, Anselmo, F. M. Sackett, Albion, Thomas Harris, Central City, H. R. Faulkner, Lexington, and G. A. Dove of Cairo marketed hogs.

W. H. Rusk of Villisca, Ia., was over and purchased a bunch of feeders to go on his farm in Montgomery county.

W. Krotter, manager for Sangster & Barnett, stockmen of Stuart, Holt county, was here with a shipment of hogs belonging to his firm.

Among the arrivals at the yards was J. B. Thompson of Cedar Creek, Cass county.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the Live Stock Exchange and board of directors Monday, September 15, at 1 p. m. Business of importance will come before the meeting and there should be a large attendance.

E. Wiley Black, a pioneer patron of this market, was up from Plattsmouth with two cars of cattle.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce.

CORN—40@50c.
OATS—30@40c.
HAY—$7.00@10.00.
MILLSTUFF—$18.00.
CHOPPED FEED—$18.00@19.00.
POULTRY—Per dozen; choice hens, $3.00@3.25; choice mixed, $2.50@3.00; roosters, $2.50@2.75; spring chickens, $3.00@2.50 for small; $2.25@2.50 for medium; $2.50@2.75 large; live pigeons $1.25@1.50.
BUTTER—Creamery, fancy rolls, print 20@22c; creamery, fancy, solid packed, 17@19c; creamery, choice, 16@18c; dairy, fancy rolls and prints, 14@15c; dairy, fancy, solid packed, 12@14c; dairy, choice, 10@12c; country roll, fancy, 8@9c; choice, 7@8c; inferior, 5@6c.
EGGS—16c for strictly fresh; stale not salable.
HIDES, PELTS AND TALLOW—Green salted hides, No. 1, heavy, 7@8c; No. 1, light, 6½@7½c; No. 2, light, 6@6½c; dry flint hides, 7½@9c; calf hides, 7@9c; damaged hides 2c less. Sheep pelt, green, each, 35@$1.25. Sheep pelt, dry, per lb, 10@11c.
BEESWAX—Per lb, 20c.
GAME—Per dozen, prairie chickens, $2.75@3.00; mallards, $2.00@2.50; teal, $1.25@1.50; mixed ducks, $1.00@1.50; plover, 50@60c.
PEACHES—Arkansas, ½ bu box, 75@$1.00; California, per box, $1.50@2.00.
GRAPES—California, per crate, $1.25@2.00; Missouri, 45@50c per 10 lb basket.
PLUMS—Purple Duane, Columbia, etc., per box, $1.50@2.00; wild goose plums, ½ bu box, 75@90c.
NECTARINES—Per crate, $1.75@2.00.
LEMONS—Per box, Rodi Malori, fancy, $9.50@10.00; choice Messinas, $7.50@8.00.
PEARS—Bartlett, California, per box, $2.50@3.25.
PRUNES—German, per box, $2.00; French, $1.75@2.00; gross, $1.75@2.00.
TOMATOES—Per bu, 75@$1.00.
ONIONS—New southern, per bbl, $4.50@5.00.
CABBAGE—Per crate, $1.00@3.50.
POTATOES—Burbanks and Iowa, per bu, $1.15@1.25; Colorado and Salt Lake, $1.40.
SWEET POTATOES—Per bu, $2.00@2.50.
EVAPORATED APPLES—Fancy, 10c per lb.
BLUEBERRIES—Per 8-qt box, $1.50.
COCOANUTS—Per 100, $5.00.
WATERMELONS—Per 100, $2.00@15.00.
CANTELOUPES—Per doz, $1.50.
APPLES—Fancy eating, $3.00@3.50; fancy cooking, $2.50@3.25; choice, $2.50@2.75.
ORANGES—Fancy Rood, $7.50.
BANANAS—Per bunch, $1.50@2.00.
WASHED, 18@21c; coarse unwashed, 18@20c.
JELLIES—5c per lb.
DRESSED VEAL—Choice medium, 6@7c; light, 5@6c; heavy, 4@5c.
LINSEED OIL—Raw, 60c; boiled, 63c.
HONEY—Strained, 60-lb cans, per lb, 9c; new comb honey, fancy, 16@17c; choice, 14@16c.
BEANS—Hand-picked navy, $2.20@2.25; hand-picked navy, medium, $2.25@2.40; hand-picked country, $1.75@2.00; good clean, $1.30@1.50; California, per lb, 4½c.
FISH—Per lb—Perch, 7c; buffalo, 7c; pickerel, 8½c; pike, 9c; trout, 9c; white, 9c; croppie, 10c; catfish, 11c; cod steak, 12c; flounders, 13c; Oregon salmon, 18c; black bass, 15c; lobsters, 16c.
FISH—Codfish, extra Georges, new, 5½c; grand bank, new, 4½c; Silver, 2-lb blocks, 6½c; snow white, 2-lb bricks, new, 8½c; turkey cod, large middle bricks, 9c; snow whites, crates, 12-5 lb boxes, 8½c; medium scaled herring, 35c; No. 1 scaled herring, 20c; domestic Holland herring, 40c; Hamburger spiced herring, 60c; Russian sardines, spiced, 60c; Russian sardines, plain, 50c; imported Holland herring, Crown brand, 80c; do fancy milkers, 90c; mackerel, No. 1, shore, half bbls, $12.00; bloaters, half bbls, $18.00; white fish, half bbls, $7.00; trout, half bbls, $25.00; family white fish, $3.50; salmon, $8.50; per doz, 2-lb broiled mackerel, $2.50; 3-lb in mustard, 2.60; 3-lb in tomato sauce, $2.60; 5-lb Mayo mess mackerel, $5.00; 1-lb brook trout, $1.25; 5-lb brook trout, $2.00; 1-lb salmon, $1.25; 2-lb white fish, $2.25; 1-lb white fish, $1.35; 2-lb lobsters, $1.35; 1-lb lobsters, 75@90c; 2-lb oysters, 12 oz, $1.05; 1-lb oysters, 5 oz, $1.15; 2-lb oysters, 10 oz, $1.90; 1-lb oysters, 5 oz, $1.10; 2-lb select, 12 oz, $2.35; 2-lb Barataria, 10 oz, $1.85; 1-lb Barataria, 5 oz, $1.05; Fairmont, 4 oz, $1.05; Fairmont, 8 oz, $1.85; 1-lb clams, little necks, $1.35; 2-lb clams, little necks, $1.75; 5-lb clam chowder, $2.00; 1-lb crabs, $2.25; 2-lb crabs, $2.50.

Provisions.

FRESH PORK—Fresh hams, 20 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, $12.25; medium, $11.75; short cut clear pork, $10.50; family pork, $10.50; pig pork, $13.50; new extra mess beef, $5.50; new extra plate beef, $6.50; new plate beef, $6.00; new rolled boneless beef, $7.50; new rumps, $5.50; new boneless rumps, $8.50.
OIL—Bbls—Extra lard, winter strained, 67c; extra No. 1 lard, 56c; No. 1 lard, 53c; No. 2 lard, 51c; extra neatsfoot, 45c; tallow oil, 4½c; pure neatsfoot oil, 60c; A1 tallow, 5c; stearine, 6c.
LARD—Per pound, 5¼c, pure leaf, 6½c; kettle rendered, 6¾c.
SMOKED MEATS—Sugar cured hams, 12 to 14 lb avg, 11¼c; medium, 15 to 16 lb avg, 11c; heavy, 20 to 22 lb avg, 11c; skinned slicing 18 to 20 lb avg, 11¼c; California hams, 7½c; shoulders, 7¼c; shoulders skinned, 6¼c; shoulders, 6 to 8 lb avg, 7½c; boneless ham, 9c; breakfast bacon, clear, 5 to 7 lb strips, 8c; breakfast bacon, rib, 8¼c; dried beef hams, sets, 10½c; regular, 8½c; clods, 8c.
SIDES OF MISSOURIAN BACKS, 6¼c; extra short clear, 5¾c; bellies, 16 to 20-lb average, 6¼c; short ribs, 5¾c; short clears, 6c; long clears, 5¾c; shoulders, 5¾c; backs, 5½c.
FRESH BEEF—Steers 500 to 600-lb average, natives, 6½@6¾c; 400 to 500-lb average, native, 6@6½c; cows and heifers, 400 to 500-lb average, native, 5½c; hindquarters, steers, 10c; hindquarters, cows, 7c; forequarters, steers, 4½c; forequarters, cows, 3c; dressed hogs, 4½c; choice dressed mutton, 9½c.
FRESH BEEF CUTS—Rolls, 8½c; beef tenderloins, 18c; sirloin butts, 7c; boneless strips, 7½c; rounds (rump off), 6c; rounds (rump on), 5c; rounds (shank off), 5½c; boneless rump, 4c; chucks, 3½c; plates, 2½c; back halves, 4c; shoulder clods, 4½c; beef loins, No. 1 (steer), 13@14c; beef loins, No. 2, 10@11c; beef loins, No. 3, 8c; beef ribs, 6½@8c; beef ribs, No. 1, 10@11c; sweet breads (per doz), 35c; kidneys (each), 3c; fox tails (each), 4c; beef tongues (each), 40c; strip loins, 6½c.
SAUSAGE—Bologna, 4c; bologna in weasands, 4½c; frankfurts, 6½c; tongue, 7½c; blood, 4½c; liver, 4½c; headcheese, 4½c; Polish, 7c; pork sausage (links), 6c; pork sausage (meat), in tin pails, 6c.

Groceries.

SUGAR—Per lb.—Cut loaf, 7¼c; Cubes, 7c; Standard, powdered, 7¼c; XXXX, powdered, 7¼c; granulated, standard, 6¾c; Confectioners' A, 6¼c; White, Extra C, Climax, 6c; Extra Yellow, 5½c; Amber, 5½c; Golden C, 5¼c; Dark C, 5c.
MAPLE SUGAR—Per lb.—5c cakes, 20-lb boxes, 13c; 10c cakes, 20-lb boxes, 12½c; 1-lb bricks, 30 lbs in box, pure, 14c.
COFFEE—Roasted—Arosia, 25½c; Bunola, 25½c; McLaughlin XXXX, 25½c; German, 25½c; Dilworth's, 25½c; Lion, 25½c; Mailpouch, 25½c; Mocha, 30c; O. G. Java, 32c.
COFFEE—Green—Fancy Golden, Rio, 22½c; fancy old peaberry, 24½c; Rio, choice to fancy, 22½c; Rio, prime, 22c; Rio, good, 21½c; Santos and common Rio, 19@21c; Mocha, 28c; 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, 6 lb boxes, 100 to 110, 7¾c; apples, evaporated, new ring choice, 15c; evaporated, new ring prime, 12c; apricots, fancy, in sacks, 20c; blackberries, new, 10c; raspberries, 10 lbs to box, 30c; currants, new 6¼c; original casks, ¼c less; Vostizza currants, extra, in boxes, 6¾c.
COCOANUT—Per lb, in pkgs, 20@27c; bulk, 22@25c.
SEEDS—Mixed bird, 1-lb pkgs, 5c; canary, 5c; hemp, 4½c; anise, 18c; poppy, 10c.

THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Frost Reports Fill Traders with Fear and Trembling.

THE EARLY CORN MARKET REMARKABLE.

Oats the Only One of the Leading Markets Which Kept Within Bounds All Day—Cattle and Hogs.

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—There was not a great deal of news in wheat today, but there was a great market early. The corn scare over frosts last night set the trade in all pits wild and in sympathy with the jump of over 3c in corn over night wheat opened 1c and very unsettled. There was a sale or two on imperative stop orders at $1.07¾, but the opening price was generally given at $1.07. This was the top price for December, and May started at $1.10¾, with possibly a sale at $1.11. There was nothing to hold the market at an advance, and there were many things to cause a decline. To begin with, the corn market flattened out, and that took one prop from under wheat. Then came a cautious feeling and evening-up of traders over Smith & Co.'s failure. Liverpool did not respond to the strength, but quoted futures lower at the opening. On top of this was Wall street news. Stocks going to smash on tight money and a general feeling of caution caused very general liquidation of long wheat all day. Some of this liquidation was forced by the scarceness of money here, when speculators attempted to borrow. Another bearish feature was large receipts again at Minneapolis and Duluth. Atlantic ports showed but 92,000 bushels of wheat cleared for the week. There was talk of an increase in the visible supply for Monday. The expectation of a big spring wheat movement was before the trade, and the market under all these influences went slowly down ½c from opening figures and 1¾c under the close at night. Up to 1 o'clock December sold at $1.07 to $1.05⅝ to $1.05¾ to $1.04⅝; May sold at $1.10⅜ off to $1.08⅜ and up to $1.08⅞ at the same time. The wheat market touched the lowest prices during the last half hour. September was quoted at the close at $1.04¼; December sold down to $1.04¼ and closed at $1.04⅝; May touched $1.08⅜ and closed a shade firmer to $1.08⅝@1.08¾; the range for the day was September $1.04¼ to $1.04, December $1.07¾ to $1.04¼ and May $1.11 to $1.08¾.

The early corn market was remarkable. Prices not only jumped up nearly 4 cents over night, but they went off about three cents in about as many minutes—a repetition of yesterday only on a more sensational scale. The whole market turned on the weather-frost reports. The weather map and private advices showed frosts as far south as Kansas and Missouri, killing frosts at Iowa points, with sensational reports from Springfield, Wichita, Kansas City and hundreds of other points. The market started with a few sales for May at 56c, still more at 55¾c and general trading around 55c. Many who were in the pit at the opening with selling orders did not get corn sold till May was at 54¾c and it at once went on down to 53½c, and about 11 o'clock the price touched 53¼c, or 3c over the close yesterday. Later prices recovered to 53¾c. Closing prices on corn for all months were: September 49¾c, October 50c, November and December 50¾c, May 53½c.

September oats sold today at 37⅞c to 38¾c to 37¾c to 38c, while choice May 41@c to 40¾c to 41¾c, or ¾c over the close yesterday. Oats was the only one of the leading markets which kept within bounds all day. There was a fair interest all day, but no special news to affect prices.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—Receipts 3,000. Trade winds up slow and quite a number of even good steers and a large number of undesirable and common carried over there was scarcely a sufficient number of prime steers to make a shipment, hence no buyers. They had to be carried and nobody seemed to want common stock unless at prices that the buyer could afford to carry same until Monday. Best cows and heifers sold at steady prices—that is, the same as for Thursday and Friday. Texans ruled steady. No. 1 fat steers sold at $4.90@5.30; second class, $4.50@4.80; third, $4.00@4.25; common, $3.50@4.00; Texans, $3.50@3.90; rangers, $2.65@4.40.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000. Business was again active, with another upturn of 10@15c. In some instances the advance was more, prices being extremely uneven and buyers' ideas as to quality were also irregular as prices. Packers paid $4.20@4.45 for prime heavy; butcher weights, $4.30@4.80; and light sorts sold at $4.50@4.80. About everything sold and the general market closed steady at an advance. A straight carload of hogs from Saybrook, Ill., sold at $4.80¾.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The week closed with clouds hanging over the stock market. The last hour could hardly have been less favorable. Something great is expected from the treasury in the way of relief. Too late to help matters much came a rumor that the government would take $7,000,000 4's at $1.25. This was more than offset by a bank statement the last hour showing a further decrease of about $2,000,000 in revenues and $5,000,000 in deposits, with a heavy loss in specie. The order of the morning was weakness and lower prices. Many stocks sold lower than at any time during the present decline. Villard stocks especially were weak, with transcontinental off