THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Fluctuations in Wheat Are a Puzzle to All Interested.

POLITIC COURSE OF MR. PARDRIDGE.

Corn Active, with a Checkered Course of Prices—A Bearish, Heavy Feeling in Provisions—Cattle and Hogs.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE]—There was weakness in all the leading markets on 'change at the opening. The first prices were under those of last night and further declines followed the first half hour. Sales for May were as follows: Wheat 96⅝c to 96¼c to 96⅞c to 96⅜c to 96¼c; corn, 52c to 51⅞c to 52⅛c to 51⅞c; oats, 45⅛c; pork, $10.25 to $10.07½; lard, $6.07½ to $6.05; ribs, $5.25 to $5.10.

The wheat market was a puzzle to the trade most of the day. The opening was a great disappointment with a drop of 1c or more from last night, when a strong market was expected. Several things conspired to cause the early weakness. Public cables were off ¼d for some unaccountable reason. Owing to shipments from Odessa, not looked for, wheat on passage increased 72,000 bushels instead of a liberal decrease as expected. Then, too, Pardridge had created an impression that his short wheat was margined to 99c or $1 and this caused many to sell out who otherwise would have been "after" him. Pardridge himself pounded the market and by pretenting a bold front caused still more selling. The uncertainty about the visible supply still existed and others hastened to take the profits for fear of a further set back. With this state of things May opened at 96⅝c and sold at 95⅜c. This was 1¼c under the close Monday and the low point of the day. Logan & Co. sold wheat for St. Louis. Mitchell, George Smith and other bulls sold out. Just when there appeared to be no good in the market the price began to creep up. Pardridge became a moderate buyer, but this scared no one. Then New York reported a decrease in stocks of 400,000 bushels and the prospects of a big decrease in the visible supply was much improved. Later Baltimore reported a decrease of 60,000 bushels, and the final visible report showed a decrease of 780,000 bushels against a decrease of 575,000 bushels a year ago. New York cleared 27,000 packages of flour and Baltimore 50,000 barrels. Cash wheat at Minneapolis was at 91½c to 92c and at St. Louis f. o. b., ⅛c over May.

These things gave a better look and a firmer tone and about noon prices began a sharp advance under general buying. The bulls tried to get back the wheat sold early and Pardridge bought a good line. On this bulge May went to 97⅜c. The small estimate for tomorrow, 56 cars, helped the buying. This strength was as short lived as the early weakness and before 1 o'clock the price went back on general selling out to 96⅜c, a break of 1c straight from the top. A few moments later the price was 96¼c, the bottom for the session, and promised to go lower before the close. The wheat market the last half hour was a race among sellers. The trade found that the bull news from St. Louis was followed by selling orders. They found also that Pardridge and other shorts had mostly covered at prices pretty well up. They wished to anticipate the big bear in putting out a fresh short line and in trying to get in ahead the market was stampeded. The price of May broke under offerings to 95⅝c and closed at 95⅝c, or 1¾c off from last night. January was quoted at 91⅞c to 90½c, closing at 91¼c; July at 92⅝c to 92⅜c to 91c at the close.

The corn market was more active than usual and the course of prices almost as checkered as in wheat. The range of prices was not broad, however, and only for a short time did May sell above the closing figure of Monday. The action of the market was as follows: May opened at 52c, sold at 51¾c to 52⅛c to 51⅞c to 52⅛c to 52c at 1 o'clock. The receipts were over the estimate at 361 cars, but for Wednesday the estimate was light at 140 cars. There was little change in corn late in the day. When wheat went to smash the corn market was not disturbed and closed at 51⅞@52c bid, just ⅛c under last night. The early months' nominal close was at 49¼c for July, 52⅛c to 51⅞@52c at the close. The visible supply decreased 65,000 bushels for the week. Pardridge was a leading buyer and Congdon the best seller.

There was little activity in the oats trade. The price of May started a fraction lower at 45⅜c and at two different times touched 46c with light business. The close was 45⅝c, the low point of the session. January was quoted nominal, around 44c for June, 45⅜@43⅜c for July, 41c bid early and 41c nominal at the close.

There was a bearish, heavy feeling in the provision trade from first to last. Receipts of hogs reached nearly 50,000 and prices at the yards were off 10c. The packers led the selling and were followed by holders of long stuff. Pork started 10c off at $10.25 and, after sales at $10.27½, broke quickly to $10.07½ and later in the day to $10.00, where it closed. January was at $9.75 to $9.60; February, $9.80 to $9.65. Lard and ribs went down with pork. May lard was at $6.07½ and $6.05 to close; ribs, $5.15 to $5.10, closing at $5.12½.

PRICES AT CHICAGO.

COMMODITY	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y
WHEAT—					
May	$ 96¼	$ 97⅜	$ 95¾	$ 95¾	$97⅜-½
July	92	92⅝	91-⅛	91-⅛	92¾
CORN—					
May	52¼	52⅜-½	51⅞	51⅞-½	52¼
OATS—					
May	45¼	46	45⅜	45⅜	45¼
PORK—					
May	10 27½	10 27½	10 00	10 00	10 35
RIBS—					
May	5 15	5 15	5 10	5 10	5 20
LARD—					
May	6 07½	6 07½	6 05	6 05	6 10

PRICES AT ST. LOUIS.

COMMODITY	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes't.
WHEAT—					
May	96¾	97⅜-¾	96¼	96¼	97⅛
July	86⅛	86¾	85½	85⅝	87⅛
CORN—					
May	49¾	49⅝	49⅜	49½	49¾
OATS—					
May	45¾	45⅞	45⅜	45⅝	46

Notes and Gossip.

Duluth—Receipts of wheat, 33.

Minneapolis—Receipts of wheat, 185.

Baltimore clears 50,000 barrels of flour.

St. Louis receipts: Wheat, 11,457; corn, 38,250; oats, 22,000.

St. Louis—Shipments of wheat, 5,000; corn, 28,000; oats, 63,000.

New York clears 7 boat loads of wheat and 26,000 packages of flour.

Chicago receipts: Wheat 125, 60 No. 2; corn 361, 3 No. 2; Oats 210, 55 No. 2.

It is claimed that Partridge has covered 8,000,000 of short wheat today.

Estimated receipts at Chicago for Wednesday: Wheat, 56; corn, 140; oats, 105.

Official visible: Wheat, decrease, 779,000 corn, decrease, 65,000; oats, decrease, 66,000.

New York stocks show a decrease of 400,000 bushels for the week, reducing stocks there to only about 1,500,000.

The unexpected weakness in cables induced general selling on the part of local longs whose offerings were too much for the market, resulting in a decline of more than a cent at the opening.

Beerbohm's cable: Cargoes off coast, wheat steady, corn firm. California wheat off coast 39s, red winter 35s. California just shipped, 38s 3d, nearly due 36s 6d. English market slow. French firm. Liverpool spot wheat quieter, corn quiet on passage. Wheat increase 72,000 bushels. Board of trade cable notes Liverpool wheat ½d lower.

Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to Christie-Lathrop Com. Co.: The wheat news has continued steadily bullish and operators have shown a disposition to give it due consideration, but the speculative situation does not materially improve. Covering by shorts and a little more investment buying by traders, who buy on bulges and sell on breaks, was the cause of the bulge late in the session, but as soon as it was announced that Pardridge was in, the market suddenly turned weak and a decline of 1½c followed. At the eleventh hour bulls let go their holdings when they began to show losses and Pardridge, rather disgusted by his want of nerve in being forced to cover, showered his offerings upon the pit with conspicuous liberality. It was weak at the close, confirming our advice of the past two days. It would be hard to sustain a bull move thus early in the season with such large local stocks. We do not, by any means, overlook the strength of the situation. Outside of Chicago and Minneapolis no considerable quantity of cash wheat can be bought without paying fancy prices for it. The accumulation at the points named renders it comparatively easy for powerful bear cliques to hold prices down, and we do not look for any improvement of consequence until these stocks are reduced. Later in the season, unless deliveries from first hands should increase, which is hardly probable, it is believed that a good advance in prices may be realized. C. Pardridge was a good buyer of corn most of the session, doubtless taking in short stuff. Among the sellers were Congdon, McCormick, Schwartz, Dupee and Sterling. The market followed wheat and closed weak. Oats were rather strong and inactive. Provisions lower on free movement of hogs. Further liquidation has taken place. Longs have been selling pork more than anything else. Packers were moderate sellers. The market closed steady and we think prices will be lower tomorrow. When May pork gets below $10.00 a rapid decline seems probable.

F. G. Logan & Co. to Toncray & Bryan: Wheat opened at 96¼c for May, a full cent under the closing price of yesterday. On the decrease of 780,000 bushels in the visible supply, it advanced from the lowest point a cent. Free covering by a local short who kept steady in the market gave it all the support it needed, when late cables came quoting the market ¼d and the purchasing by the prominent shorts over the decline was rapid. It closes sellers at 95⅝c. The want of rain on the Pacific coast and heavy shipments of flour from the Atlantic seaboard all favor buying on breaks. Corn fairly active. Buying by a local short kept it steady. Provisions, dull and lower. Receipts of hogs continue heavy. Telegrams from California read, rain wanted for wheat, otherwise generally favorable. A dispatch from St. Louis says the visible supply will show a greater decrease this week than last, and the demand for No. 2 red, is in excess of the supply. Pardridge appears to be the main support of the market at Chicago. He is a moderate and steady buyer of wheat and corn.

W. G. McCormick & Co. to F. C. Swartz & Co.: The wheat market today has been a great disappointment to both bulls and bears, most of whom expected that the opening up of the eastern wires would bring a large number of buying orders. Cables received from public sources quoted Liverpool weak and ¼ penny lower but private advices were strong and higher. The contrast between the two caused considerable comment. Nearly all the traders seemed to have long wheat on hand and influenced by the weak cables were free sellers at the opening, causing a break of a cent. From this point there was a sharp rally on enormous purchases for account of our principal bear, whose buying undoubtedly prevented a still further decline. After some reaction the market again broke and closed very heavy. The visible supply showed a decrease of about 200,000 larger than the same time last year, but this seemed to have no influence. Corn showed fair strength early in covering of shorts by the above mentioned "ursa major" and on estimates of light receipts for tomorrow, but closed weak and heavy. We believe there is only one side to this deal and that as soon as we get the good receipts which must come, prices will decline. Provisions—The receipts of hogs were 48,000, which was 12,000 more than estimates, and this caused a sharp break in prices. We fear that the provision market will not be able to withstand these excessive receipts of hogs. Holders are showing great tenacity and seem inclined to increase their lines rather than sell out. Their great danger is that on a further break they will not show as much courage.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—Although there are 6,000 less in sight than this time last week, and that too on a moderate run last week, there was no great excitement in the market and no great advance. Buyers that had urgent orders for shipping steers paid a shade more money, others reasoned that if prices ruled higher they would hold off until tomorrow. The advance on prime steers for the week, so far, may be quoted at 15c to 25c. Cow stock has also advanced 15c to 25c, and stockers are selling higher than last week. The top prices today for steers was $5.60 and twenty-six loads sold within a range of $5.00@5.30. All other sales of good to choice steers were within the range of $4.50 to $4.90 with plain and medium at $3.75@4.25; cows, $2.00@3.25; stockers, $2.25@3.60.

HOGS—A big run and a large increase in the receipts as compared with this time last week, together with a break and bearish feeling in the provision trade, sent prices down a strong 10c, in some cases 15c, the general market closing weak and a large number left unsold at the close. Rough and common were at $3.40@3.45; good to choice packers, $3.50@3.60; prime heavy and butcher weights, $3.65@3.70; light, $3.50@3.60; pigs, $2.75@3.25.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS.—There were two complete changes in the sentiment in stocks this morning. The market opened with a very fair recovery all around from the closing figures of Monday. From the first prices there was a general falling off in prices, extending from ¼ to ¾ per cent through the list wherever there was any activity. This was followed toward midday by a very slow rally, which gained strength as it proceeded and developed into a strong and advancing market before 1 o'clock, while many standard stocks showed net gains of ¼ to 1 per cent from yesterday. Villards showed the best support from the start, followed later by a remarkable recovery in the Gould properties. Union Pacific dropped to 42¼ early and recovered to 43⅝, Missouri Pacific from 62¼ to 63¾, Northwestern rose to 105¼, Burlington, after a break to 86⅝, rallied to 88¼. St. Paul sold at 52⅜ and 53¼. Northern Pacific preferred showed 1¼ recovery from 69⅞ to 71⅛. Chicago Gas was not specially active and simply recovered the early loss to 40⅛. There was more interest in the market than for a week past. A better outlook in western railroad circles induced very good buying of stocks late in the day. Short sellers took the alarm and this increased the demand for shares. The advance which set in at 11 o'clock continued to the close. The last prices were about the best of the day. The gains in the leading stocks were: Louisville, 1; Lake Shore, 2; North American, 1⅜; Northern Pacific, preferred, 1¼; Atchison and Burlington, each, ⅝; Northwestern, 1⅛; Rock Island, 1⅜; St. Paul and Union Pacific, each, 1⅞; Missouri Pacific, 1⅜. Sugar rose to 81 while Chicago Gas was ⅛ lower. The sales reached 200,000 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s registered	120	Northern Pacific	28⅜
U. S. 4s coupons	120	do preferred	71⅛
U. S. 4½s registered	103	C. & N.W.	106⅛
U. S. 4½s coupons	103	do preferred	134½
Pacific 6s of '95	109	New York Central	101⅜
Central Pacific	30	P., D. & E.	17⅜
Chicago & Alton	127	Rock Island	69⅜
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	88⅛	C., M. & St. P.	54⅝
		do preferred	110
D., L. & W.	136⅜	St. Paul & Omaha	24
Illinois Central	99	do preferred	80
I. B. & W.	...	Union Pacific	44⅜
Kansas & Texas	13⅛	W., St. L. & P.	10
Lake Shore	107⅜	do preferred	19⅛
Michigan Central	91	Western Union	79
Missouri Pacific	63⅜		

MONEY—On call, easy; closed offered at 2 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@7¼ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Active; strong; sixty-day bills, $4.85; demand, $4.87½.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Stocks.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest'y
W. & L. E.	......	......	......	......	......
Hocking Val	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	26¼	26
Manhattan	97⅜	99	97⅜	98⅜	100⅛
Wabash pfd	18⅜	19	18⅜	19	18⅛
Erie	19⅜	19⅛	19⅜	19⅛	19⅞
Canada So.	48⅞	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	48⅛
Pacific Mail	32⅛	32⅜	32⅛	32⅛	32
Lake Shore	107	107⅜	107	107⅜	106⅜
L & N.	72⅜	74⅛	72⅜	74⅜	73⅛
Lead Trust	19⅛	19⅜	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛
C. C. C.	61	61⅜	61	61⅜	60⅜
Northwest'n	105⅛	106⅛	105⅛	106⅛	104⅜
Mo. Pac.	63⅜	64⅜	63	64⅜	62⅜
Union Pac.	42⅜	44⅛	42⅜	44⅛	42⅜
N. Pac. pfd.	70⅛	71⅜	70	71⅜	69⅞
N. Pac. com.	27	28⅜	26⅜	28⅜	26⅞
C. B. & Q.	87⅛	88⅜	86⅝	88⅜	87⅛
Rock Island	68⅛	69½	68⅛	69⅛	68⅛
St. Paul	52⅜	54⅛	52⅛	54⅛	52⅛
S. Paul pfd.	......	......	......	......	......
West. Union	77⅜	78⅛	77⅛	78⅛	77⅜
D., L. & W.	135⅜	136⅜	134⅞	136⅜	135⅜
Sugar Trust	79⅜	81	79⅜	81	78
Am.Sug.Rf.	60⅜	61⅛	60⅜	61⅛	60⅜
Jersey Cent.	108⅛	110	108⅛	110	107⅛
New Engl'd.	36⅞	38	36⅜	38	36⅜
Rich. Term'l	18	18⅛	17⅜	18⅛	17⅛
Atchison	29⅛	29⅜	29	29⅜	29
Chicago Gas	38⅜	40⅛	38⅛	39⅞	38⅛
Reading	31⅛	31⅜	31⅜	31⅜	31⅛
Del. & Hud.	133	133	133	133	133
Pullman	189⅜	189⅜	189⅜	189⅜	189⅜
No. Am.	15⅜	16⅛	15⅜	16⅛	15
Mich. Cent.	92	92	92	92	92
Silver	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛	103⅞
Ill. Cent.	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜
Wis. Cent.	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	20⅜
Mex. Cent.	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	20⅞
A. C. Oil	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜
Texas	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜
Tenn. C. & I.	34⅜	36	34⅜	35⅛	35

Mining Shares.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	185	Horn Silver	270
Adams Con	170	Ontario	3900
Aspen	600	Savage	205
Gould & Curry	240	Sierra Nevada	200
Hale & Norcross	150	Standard	140
Homestake	825	Yellow Jacket	200

The Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—COFFEE—Options opened steady and unchanged to 15 points down; closed steady; 5@20 points down. Sales: 38,750 bags, including January, $16.85@16.90; February, $16.60@16.70; March, $16.20@16.35; April, $15.95@16.10; May, $15.70@15.85; June, $15.55@15.60; August, $15.10@15.20; September, $14.80@14.85; December, $13.80@13.85; spot Rio fairly active and firm; fair cargoes, $19.00; No. 7 $17.50.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 27.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—There is a continued good demand for wool and prices are firm. Territory wools sell freely and principally on a scoured basis of 60@63c for fine, 58@60c for fine medium and 53@55c for medium. Choice territories are in small stock and command outside prices. Texas, California and Oregon wools are selling well and in the range of previous prices. Ohio fleeces are firm at 31@32c for X and at 33@34c for XX and above. Michigan fleeces are held mostly at 30c. Combing and delaine fleeces remain firm. Pulled wools are in good demand. Choice supers, 40@45c; fair to good supers, 30@40c; extra, 22@30c. Foreign wools are firm.

PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Close—Wheat—Weak; cash, 90⅛c; May, 95⅝c.

Corn—Steady; cash, 49c; May, 51⅞@52c.

Oats—Easy; cash, 43¼@44c; May, 45⅝c.

Rye—Steady at 71c.

Barley—Nominal at 75@77c.

Timothy—Steady at $1.24@1.25.

Flax—Steady at $1.17.

Whisky—$1.14.

Pork—Steady; cash, $9.50@9.55; May, $10.00@10.02½.

Lard—Steady; cash, $5.67½; May, $6.05@6.07½.

Short Ribs—Steady; cash, $4.60@4.67 bid; May, $5.10@5.12½.

Flour—Unchanged; winter patents, $4.50@4.80; spring patents, $4.40@4.80; bakers', $3.30@3.75.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $4.05@4.10; short clear, $4.75@4.80; short ribs, $4.75@4.80.

Butter—Easier; creamery, 16@25c; dairy, 14@23c.

Cheese—Firm; full cream cheddars, 9¼@10c; flats, 9½@10¼c; Young Americas, 9¾@10¾c.

Eggs—Unchanged; fresh, 22@24c.

Hides—Unchanged; light and heavy green salted, 5¼@5½c; green, 4¼@4½c; salted bull, 4½c; green salted calf, 8c; dry flint, 8c; salt bull, 6@7c; dry calf, 8@9c; deacons, each, 25c.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1, solid packed, 3⅞c; No. 2, 3c; cake, 4c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	14,030	10,000
Wheat, bu	29,000	42,000
Corn, bu	179,000	144,000
Oats, bu	176,000	138,000

The Visible Supply.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—The visible supply of grain, as compiled by the secretary of the Chicago board of trade, is as follows:

	Bushels.
Wheat	24,320,000
Corn	2,648,000
Oats	3,387,000
Rye	417,000
Barley	3,382,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Wheat—Receipts, 19,250 bushels; exports, 7 bushels; spot very dull and unsettled; No. 2 red, $1.07½@1.07¾ in elevator; $1.08⅞@1.08⅞ afloat; $1.08¼@1.09¾ f. o. b.; options weak; No. 2 red, January closed at $1.06¾.

Corn—Receipts 32,500 bushels; exports, 43,700 bushels; spot steady; No. 2, 61¾@62c in elevator; 62¾@63c afloat; ungraded mixed, 61½@62c; options unchanged and weak; January closed at 62c.

Oats—Receipts, 65,000 bushels; exports, 830 bushels; spot unchanged; No. 2 white, 52¾@53c; mixed western, 50@51; white western, 53@56c; options easier; January, 51⅞c.

Sugar—Raw quiet and firm; refined quiet and easy.

Petroleum—United closed, February, 74⅛c.

Eggs—Steady; western, 25¼@25½c.

Lard—Weak; western steam sales $6.05@6.07½.

Butter—Weak; western dairy, 12@20c; creamery, 18@27; Elgin, 27½@28c.

Cheese—Strong; light skims, 5@8½.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 27.—Wheat—Firm; cash, 96@97½c; May, 96¼c.

Corn—Lower; cash, 48½c; May, 49½c.

Oats—Lower; cash, 45c; May, 45½c.

Pork—Weak at $10.12½@10.25.

Lard—Weak at $5.55.

Whisky—$1.14.

Butter—Lower; creamery, 18@20c; choice dairy, 18@20c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 27.—Wheat—Demand for cash wheat good but prices lower. Receipts, 185 cars; shipments, 120 cars. Closing: No 1 hard, January, 91c; on track, 92c; No. 1 northern, January and February, 90½c; May, 93½c; on track, 91c; No. 2 northern, January, 88c; on track, 88½@90c.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 27.—Wheat—Easy; No. 2 spring, on track, cash, 90c; May, 91c.

Corn—Firm; No. 3, 49@49½c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 45@46c.

Provisions—Easy; pork, May, $10.02½.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 27.—Wheat—Stronger; No. 2 hard, cash and January, 82½c bid; No. 2 red, cash, 90c bid.

Corn—Easier; No. 2, cash, 47⅞c bid; January, 47⅞c bid.

Oats—Steady; No. 2, cash, 44⅞c bid; January, 44⅞c bid.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 27.—Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, 97c.

Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 53c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 42c.

Whisky—$1.14.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000 head; steers, $3.75@5.60; cows, $2.00@3.25; stockers, $2.25@3.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 48,000 head; market weak and lower; rough and common, $3.40@3.45; good to choice packers $3.50@3.60; prime heavy and butcher weights, $3.65@3.70; light, $3.50@3.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; market steady to a shade lower; natives, $3.75@5.50; westerns, $4.50@4.85; Texans, $3.60@4.40.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,400 head; shipments, 200 head; market higher; fair to fancy native steers, $3.80@5.30; stockers and feeders, $2.10@3.40.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,700 head; shipments, 1,200 head; market lower; heavy, $3.50@3.60; mixed, $3.15@3.50; light, $3.25@3.40.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,450 head; shipments, 1,250 head; market about steady; steers, $3.50@5.25; cows, $1.75@3.25; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.40.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,400 head; shipments, 800 head; market lower; all grades, $3.00@3.65.

OMAHA MARKETS.

OMAHA, Jan. 27, 1891.

CATTLE—Estimated receipts of cattle 2,350 as compared with 918 yesterday and 3,099 Tuesday of last week. The market on desirable steers was active and strong to 10c higher, common stock active and steady; on desirable butchers' stock active and 10c higher, common grades about steady. Feeders were about steady.

HOGS—Estimated receipts of hogs 7,850 as compared with 3,616 yesterday and 9,654 Tuesday of last week. The market opened 5c to 10c lower, with three-fourths of the receipts sold. The range of the prices paid was $3.00@3.50, the bulk selling at $3.25@3.45. Pigs, $1.50@2.50; light-lights, $2.50@2.90; light, $3.00@3.35; heavy, $3.30@3.50; mixed, $3.20@3.40. The average of the prices paid was $3.31, as compared with $3.37½ yesterday and $3.36½ Tuesday of last week.

SHEEP—Estimated receipts of sheep 1,038 as compared with 502 Tuesday of last week. The market was lower. Natives, $2.50@4.40; westerns, $2.00@4.25.

Disposition of Stock.

Showing the number of cattle, hogs and sheep purchased on this market as reported by the weighmaster of the Stockyards company for January 27:

CATTLE.

Swift & Co	554
The G. H. Hammond Co	349
The Cudahy Packing Co	89
Omaha Packing Co	10
Lee Rothschild	60
Hamilton & Stephen	134
R. Becker & Degen	36
Nels Morris	662
Shippers and feeders	170
Joseph Damron	34
Van Sant & Carey	104

HOGS.

The Cudahy Packing Co	4,045
Omaha Packing Co	1,566
Swift & Co	978
G. H. Hammond Packing Co	566
Shippers and feeders	961

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
3	613	$2 75	1	1380	$4 00	20	1278	$4 25
1	1090	3 25	4	1210	4 00	28	1146	4 30
11	1037	3 50	1	1210	4 00	40	1248	4 35
2	1055	3 50	22	1093	4 00	37	1229	4 40
29	1191	3 60	4	1020	4 00	18	1179	4 40
23	1046	3 70	47	1185	4 10	30	1322	4 70
6	1075	3 75	45	1131	4 10	21	1242	4 50
18	980	3 85	10	1238	4 15	11	1346	4 55
12	1156	3 85	18	1222	4 15	20	1338	4 60
19	1071	3 90	22	1181	4 15	19	1348	4 70
38	1249	3 90	19	1240	4 15	21	1329	4 70
18	1187	3 90	15	1172	4 20	36	1514	4 75
18	1086	3 95	18	1316	4 20	30	1437	4 90
2	1140	4 00	22	1306	4 25	40	1449	4 90

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
10	820	1 25	3	1026	1 85	1	1130	2 25
2	920	1 25	14	942	1 90	7	925	2 80
1	1030	1 25	11	1098	1 95	2	1000	2 80
4	860	1 25	2	1250	2 00	10	1050	2 30
2	1015	1 40	2	1130	2 00	4	975	2 35
11	794	1 40	19	883	2 00	17	1055	2 35
3	866	1 40	1	930	2 00	4	1148	2 40
1	930	1 50	2	965	2 00	14	969	2 40
2	950	1 50	12	912	2 10	3	910	2 40
2	1020	1 50	44	889	2 10	20	1023	2 40
1	800	1 75	22	889	2 10	3	1100	2 50
23	838	1 75	17	832	2 10	1	1200	2 50
17	835	1 75	3	896	2 10	21	1045	2 55
3	1033	1 75	15	986	2 15	15	1012	2 60
1	895	1 75	14	1000	2 15	10	862	2 60
1	1120	1 75	23	948	2 15	2	985	2 65
14	872	1 75	16	982	2 20	7	1138	2 70
9	588	1 75	14	954	2 25	6	1193	2 85
8	735	1 75	1	540	2 25	18	971	2 90
4	937	1 75	3	953	2 25	1	1320	3 30
13	963	1 80	1	1140	2 25	9	1110	3 35
20	918	1 85	21	979	2 25			

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
4	1275	1 85	2	1480	2 15	5	1502	2 75
3	1366	2 00	1	1680	2 15	14	1523	2 85
1	1330	2 00	1	1000	2 25	4	1650	3 00
4	1442	2 00	1	1330	2 25	15	1517	3 05
2	1450	2 00	3	1263	2 25	1	1660	3 10
2	1435	2 00	1	1420	2 30	1	1830	3 10
2	1075	2 00	1	1900	2 50	2	1780	3 10
2	1410	2 10	1	1520	2 75			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	740	2 00	2	775	2 55	3	780	2 55
30	558	2 35	3	720	2 60	11	780	2 65
1	660	2 50	3	770	2 65	29	773	2 75
11	680	2 50	3	699	2 65	5	706	2 80
22	557	2 50						

STAGS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1000	2 00	1	1363	3 25	1	1360	3 35
1	1040	2 25	1	1419	3 33			

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
4	375	1 75	2	255	2 50	1	100	4 00
1	340	1 75						

MIXED.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
25	730	2 60	13	1142	3 30	20	1114	3 85

OXEN.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
3	1480	2 00	4	1065	3 00

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1000	2 80

MILKERS AND SPRINGERS.

1 springer	$25 00
1 milker	27 50
1 springer	30 00
3 milkers	65 00
1 milker	20 00
1 springer	24 00

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
74	170	40	3 00	69	248	160	3 30
201	150	280	3 01	67	243	40	3 30
73	160	40	3 00	59	243	120	3 30
94	181	240	3 05	58	264	40	3 30
91	171	360	3 05	74	257	80	3 30
82	175	160	3 10	90	207	80	3 32½
70	197	160	3 10	74	265	440	3 35
75	184	40	3 12½	65	265	160	3 35
74	171	80	3 15	64	285	40	3 35
84	180	80	3 15	84	259	120	3 35
75	171	—	3 15	68	232	80	3 35
80	180	120	3 15	61	286	80	3 35
6	213	—	3 15	67	275	200	3 35
7	191	—	3 15	4	347	—	3 35
85	215	120	3 15	65	295	200	3 35
71	180	—	3 15	63	302	120	3 35
65	289	320	3 15	61	252	160	3 35
73	215	480	3 15	55	342	240	3 35
78	207	220	3 20	3	456	—	3 35
78	186	—	3 20	71	230	120	3 35
60	217	200	3 20	55	295	—	3 35
68	226	80	3 20	47	328	—	3 35
78	179	40	3 20	58	275	160	3 35
81	209	240	3 20	62	314	120	3 35
145	193	300	3 20	66	246	40	3 35
74	184	120	3 20	69	295	120	3 37½
3	306	—	3 25	50	293	80	3 37½
72	210	160	3 25	65	289	—	3 37½
5	286	—	3 25	63	295	80	3 37½
61	241	40	3 25	67	330	40	3 40
86	197	160	3 25	71	283	120	3 40
75	222	160	3 25	62	281	80	3 40
86	202	120	3 25	61	275	240	3 40
70	212	—	3 25	55	256	40	3 40
67	204	80	3 25	57	277	120	3 40
70	234	40	3 27½	62	290	120	3 40
65	227	80	3 27½	67	284	240	3 40
60	247	80	3 30	11	403	40	3 40
70	251	120	3 30	59	330	120	3 40
63	256	120	3 30	56	324	480	3 40
71	223	160	3 30	62	313	—	3 40
88	227	160	3 30	50	335	240	3 40
97	233	240	3 30	54	308	80	3 40
60	263	120	3 30	51	346	160	3 40
65	264	240	3 30	54	345	160	3 45
71	244	160	3 30	63	285	120	3 45
63	262	240	3 30	38	300	—	3 45
3	336	80	3 30	47	355	40	3 45
6	311	—	3 30	62	306	80	3 45
11	304	—	3 30	70	300	240	3 45
59	243	120	3 30	69	255	—	3 45
77	217	—	3 30	68	283	—	3 47½
67	259	200	3 30	63	362	120	3 50
67	213	40	3 30	76	378	200	3 50
59	264	120	3 30	50	391	120	3 50
71	254	320	3 30	47	381	40	3 50
55	237	40	3 30	98	383	120	3 50
63	278	80	3 30	65	368	40	3 50
74	202	40	3 30				

PIGS AND ROUGH.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
93	137	160	2 75	1	60	—	3 00
93	136	200	2 90				

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Provisions.

SMOKED MEATS—Sugar Cured—Hams, 14 to 16 lb average, 8¾c; hams, 20 to 22 lb average, 8¼c; hams, 10 to 12 lb average, 9c; skinned hams, 9¼c; shoulders, 5¾c; clear breakfast bacon, 7½c; boneless breakfast bacon backs, 6¼c; boned ham, 7c; California, or picnic hams, 5½c; boneless ham, 7½c; dried beef hams (sets), 7½c; dried beef clods, 6c; short spiced rolls or ham roulette, 6¾c; smoked beef tongues (per doz), $5.50; special hams, 12 to 15 lb average, 10c; special boneless breakfast bacon, 10c; selected dried beef hams, insides and knuckles, 9c; selected wide clear breakfast bacon, 9c.

DRY SALT MEATS—Fancy light weight short clears, 6c; long clears, 5⅞c; short clears, 5⅝c; short ribs, 5⅝c; shoulders, 4¼c; clear bellies, 5⅝c; clear backs, 5⅜c.

SMOKED MEATS—Dry salt cured—Fancy light weight bacon short clears, 6¾c; bacon short ribs 6c; bacon short clears, 6⅛c; bacon long clears, 6c; bacon clear backs, 6⅛c; bacon clear bellies, 6¼c; bacon shoulders, 4¾c.

SWEET PICKLED MEATS—Hams, tierces, 8c; shoulders (N. Y. cut), tierces, 4¾c; bellies, tierces, 6½c; California ham, tierces, 5c; beef ham, barrels, $12.00.

PICKLED BEEF TONGUES—Barrels, $20.00; half barrels, 100 lbs, $10.50; quarter barrels, 50 lbs, $6.00; eighth barrels, 25 lbs, $3.50.

LARD—Compound, per lb tierce basis, 5c; pure leaf, per lb tierce basis, 6c; pure lard, per lb tierce basis, 6c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb tierce basis, 6¾c.

PORK AND BEEF, BARRELED—New mess pork, per bbl, $10.75; family pork, $9.50; back pork, $11.50; short cut clear pork, $9.75@11.50; prime mess pork, $9.50@12.00; boneless pig pork, fancy, $13.00; extra mess beef, $5.75; plate beef, $7.00; extra plate beef, $8.00; extra family beef, boneless, $8.00; rolled beef, boneless, $8.50; rump butts, $8.50; choice boneless family beef, $4.75.

PIG PORK, BONELESS—Barrels, 200 lbs each, $13.00; half barrels, 100 lbs each, $7.00.

SAUSAGE—Bologna, 4c; smoked sausage, 7c; blood sausage, 4½c; liver sausage, 4½c; head cheese, 4½c; fresh pork sausage, (links) 6c; fresh pork sausage, (bulk) 5½c; smoked pork sausage, 8c; Frankfurt sausage, 7c; smoked head cheese, 6c; Polish sausage, 7c; Knoblauch sausage, 7c; tongue sausage, 8c; summer sausage, 13c.

The above prices are for lots of fifty pounds and upwards; a less quantity a half cent more.

OILS—Prime lard oil, (winter strained) 49c; extra lard oil, (winter strained) 47c; extra No. 1 lard oil, 39c; No. 1 lard oil, 34c; No. 2 lard oil, 30c; extra neat's-foot oil, 45c; tallow oil, 42c. half barrels 3c over barrels; 5 gallon cans (2 in case) 5c over barrels.

Vegetables.

CABBAGE—Another car of California cabbage will arrive today. Per lb, 2½@3c.

CELERY ROOTS—Per doz, 40c.

ONIONS—Supplies are light and holders of good stock are asking as high as $2.00 per bush. Spanish, per crate, $2.00.

PARSLEY—Fresh stock, 50c.

PERSNIPS—Per bbl. $2.50.

POTATOES—The supply of Colorado potatoes is quite large and carload lots are offered at at $1.10 and smaller lots at $1.20. Home grown stock in small lots at the store is held at 95c@$1.00.

LETTUCE—Choice stock 40c.

SWEET POTATOES—Supplies are not heavy and the market is quiet. Some Iowa stock, reds, are offered at $3.50; choice Kansas, $4.00@4.50 per bbl.

CELERY—Choice stock 30@40c.

RUTABAGAS—Michigan stock, per bu, 60c.

BEETS—Per bu, $1.00@1.25.

Fresh Fruits.

QUINCES—There are still a few on the market, but the movement is slow and prices nominal at 50c@$1.00 per box.

PEARS—A few large California pears, winter varieties, are offered at $2.50@3.00 per box.

ORANGES—The market is lower than last week. A fresh car of California stock has just arrived. Riversides are selling at $3.25@3.50; Navels, $4.50@5.00; Rauchito, a variety between Riversides and Los Angeles, $3.00@5.00. Mexican oranges, $3.00@3.25; Florida bright, $1.00@3.50; russett, $2.50@3.00.

LEMONS—Choice Messina, $3.50@4.00; fancy, $4.00@5.00. Tangerines—Per double case, $8.00.

MALAGA GRAPES—Per bbl, $8.00@9.00.

APPLES—The supply is very light and choice lots are hard to find. Choice varieties in good condition are quoted at $5.00 per bbl.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz, $4.50@5.00.

CRANBERRIES—Supplies are not heavy. Jersey, per bbl, $11.00; Cape Cod, $12.00 fancy Cape Cod, bell and bugle, $13.00@14.00.

Country Produce.

EGGS—Dealers generally were reporting their sales at 18c, but buyers claimed in some instances to have bought as low as 17c or 17½c.

POULTRY—The receipts were not heavy, but the market was quiet. Chickens sold at 6@7c; geese and ducks, 6@8c; turkeys, 10@11c.

GAME—Rabbits were slow sale. Cotton tails bring about 75c, but jacks in any quantity are hard to sell.

BUTTER—Good butter was in good request. Choice selected rolls bring 16@18c and the shippers are paying about 13c for good sweet rolls. Low grades sell about as low as at any time.

Flour.

R. T. Davis Mill Co., high patent, No. 1 and Cream, $2.60; Blue D, full patent, $2.40; Hawkeye, half patent $2.20; special royal patent No. 10, $2.70; Minnesota patent, $2.65; Kansas hard wheat patent, $2.45; Nebraska spring wheat patent, $2.50.

S. F. Gilman's gold medal, $2.70; Snow White, $2.30; Snow Flake, $2.00; low grade, $1.60.

Broken Bow roller mills Cream, $2.70; Myrtle, $2.40; Claim, $2.20; XXX, $1.80; Fidelity, $2.80; Minnesota Chief, $2.40; Patent, $2.60.

Oskhamp's ready to raise buckwheat flour, $4.50 per case of 50 2-lb packages; buckwheat in bbls. N. Y., $6.00; Excelsior brand, $5.50; Slap Jack meal, $3.75 per case of 50 2-lb packages.

Dry Goods.

FLANNELS—Plaid, raftsman, 20c; Goshen, 32½c; Clear Lake, 32½c; Maple City, 36½c; white G H No. 2, 23½c; G H No. 2, ¾, 27½c; B H No. 2, ¾, 21½c; B H No. 2, ¾, 26½c; Quebec No. 1, 42c; Quebec No. 3, ¾, 42½c; Quebec, ½, No. 4, 32½c; Agwan, 13½c; Windsor X C, 21 in, 15½c; G F, 15c; H A F, ¾, 25c; J R F, ¾, 27½c; G, ¾, 20c.

DUCK—West Point, 28 in, 8 oz, 10½c; West Point, 28 in, 10 oz, 12½c; West Point, 29 in, 12 oz, 15c; West Point, 40 in, 11 oz, 15½c.

BATTS—Standard, 8c; Mowhawk, 10½c; Snowflake, 11½c; Peper, 12c; Bee, $1.75 per case.

KENTUCKY JEANS—Memorial, 15c; Dakota, 22c; Dunham, 28½c; Hercules, 10c; Cottswood, 27½c; Melville, 25c; Springfield, 12½; Rapidan, 16½c; Berroyn, 18c; Hamburg, 22½c; Neb. Schoolboy, 25c.

PRINTS—Fancy—Eddystone, 6½c; Steel River, 6c; Ramapo, 4½c; St. Ledger, 5½c. Shirting—Martha Washington, 4½c; Merrimac 4¾c. Turkey Red—Fountain, 6¼c; Garner, 7c; Crenfield, 8½c; Berlin, 6¾c.

PRINTS—Indigo Blue—Net—Martha Washington, 5½c; American, 6c; Arnold, 6¼c; Arnold B, long cloth, 10c; Stifle A, 11½c; Merrimac, 7-8, 10c; Gold Leaf, 8½c; Hamilton, 5½c; Allen Pinks, 6¼c; Allen Chambray, 6c; Gloucester, 5¼c; Hartel, 5¼c.

COTTON WARP—Bibb, S, white, 18¼c; colored, 8c.

SHEETING AND PILLOW CASINGS—Brown—Net—Pepperell, 45 in, 10½c; Pepperell, 8-4, 18c; Pepperell, 9-4, 20c; Pepperell, 10-4, 22½c; Utica, 48 in, 15c; Utica, 58 in, 17½c; Utica, 72 in, 24c; Utica, 84 in, 26c; Utica, 90 in, 28½c. Bleached Net—Pepperell, 42 in, 10½c; Pepperell, 46 in, 11½c Pepperell, 6-4, 15c; Pepperell, 8-4, 20c; Pepperell, 9-4, 22½c; Pepperell, 10-4, 25c; Utica, 8-4, 24c; Utica, 9-4, 26c; Utica, 10-4, 28c.

TICKS—York, 32 in, 12½; Swift River, 7½c; Thorndyke, OO, 8½c; Thorndyke, RS, 8½c; Thorndyke, 120, 9½c; Thorndyke, XX, 14c; Cordis, No. 5, 9c; Cordis, No. 4, 10c.

CHECKS—Empire, 9½c; Caledonia XX, 10½c; Economy, 8½c; Otis, 8½c; Excelsior, 10c.

COTTON FLANNEL—Guardian LL, 5½c, net; On Guard CC, 6½c; SS, 7½c; EE, 8½c; GG, 9½c; XX, 10½c; OO, 11½c; NN, 12½c; AA, 14c; DD, 15½c; TT, 16½c; YY, 18c; BB, 10c; bleached, No. 20, 8½c; No. 60, 11½c; No. 80, 12½c; brown and slate, No. 50, 9c; No. 70, 12½c; No. 90, 16c; colored Missouri valley, 12½c.

BLEACHED COTTON—Berkeley Cambric—No. 60, 9½c; Best Yet, 6½c; Buttercloth, XX, 4½c; Cabot, 7½c; First Call 5½c; Fruit of the Loom, 8¾c; Housekeeper, 8½c; King Phillip cambric 10c; Langdon G B, 9½c; Lonsdale, 8¾c; Lonsdale cambric, 10½c; New York mills, 11c; Oak Lawn, 7c; Full Width, 6c; Clover, 6½c.

COLORED CAMBRIC—Crown, 4½c; Red Star, 4½c; Clover, 5c; Slater Rolled, 6½c; high colors, 1c extra.

GINGHAMS—Plunket checks, 6½c; Whittenton, 6½c; York, 6½c; Normandi dress, 8c; Calcutta dress, 7½c; Whittenton dress, 8c; Bedford dress, 8½@12c.

GINGHAM—Amoskeag, 7c; Amoskeag dress, 8½c; Bates, 6½c; Warwick dress, 8c; Lancaster, 6½c; Glenaire, 6½c; Whittenton dress, 8c.

FINE BROWN COTTONS—Atlantic LL, 6c; Aurora B, 6½c; Aurora R, 6½c; Atlas, ONB, 7½c; cheese cloth, 4c; Clinton FF, 5½c; Pepperell R, 6½c; Langdon GB, 7c.

COTTONADES—York, nankin, 10½c; Everett, 8-oz, 18c; Lewiston, 10-oz, 22½c; Workingman, 14c; Maple Hill, 15c; Tiger Brand, 18c.

HEAVY BROWN COTTONS—Atlantic A, 7½c; Atlantic O, 7c; Atlantic D, 6½c; Atlantic P, 6c; Aurora C, 4½c; buck's head, 7½c; Cabot W, 6½c; Darlington, 6½c; Farmers' No. 1, 4½@4½c; Indian head, 7½c; Lawrence LL, 5½c; Henrietta LL, 5½c.

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

WIGANS—Net—Thistle, 6½c; Red Cross, 7½c.

CRASH—Stevens' B, 16-inch, 5½c; Stevens' D, 18-inch, 6½c; Stevens' A, 16-inch, 7½c; Stevens' P, 18-inch, 8c; Stevens' M, 18-inch, 9c; Stevens' N, 20-inch, 9c; Stevens' NN, 22-inch, 10c; Stevens' SRT, 20-inch, 12c; bleached, 1c extra.

Furs.

RACCOON—No. 1, large, 60@70c; No. 1 medium, 35@40c; No. 1 small, 30@40c; No. 2, 3 and 4, 5@20c.

MINK—No. 1 large, 50@60c; No. 1 medium, 40@45c; No. 1 small, 25@35c; No. 2, 3 and 4, 5@25c.

MUSK RAT—Fall, 8@10c; Kit, 3c.

SKUNK—Black, 75c@$1.00; Striped No. 1, 35@40c; Striped No. 2, 15@25c; Striped No. 3, 10@15c; Striped No. 4, 5@10c.

FOX—Cross, No. 1, $1.50@4.00; No. 2, $2.00@2.50; red, No. 1, $1.00@1.25; No. 2, 50@60c; grey, No. 1, 40@50c; No. 2, 20@25c.

WOLF—Mountain, No. 1, $2.50@3.00; No. 2, $1.00@1.50; prairie, No. 1, 75c@$1.00; No. 2, 40@50c.

BEAVER—No. 1, per lb, $2.50@3.50; No. 2, per lb, $1.50@2.50; No. 3, per lb, 50@75c; No. 4, per lb, 50c.

OTTER—No. 1, large prime, $5.00@7.00; No. 1, medium, $4.00@5.00; No. 1, small, $2.50@3.50; No. 2, 3 and 4, 50c@$1.50.

LYNX—No. 1, $3.50@5.00.

WILD CAT—No. 1, 40c; No. 2, 20@25c.

OPPOSSUM—No. 1, cased, 10@12c; No. 1, open, 7@10c.

BADGER—No. 1, full furred, 50@75c; No. 2, 20@30c; No. 3, 5@10c.

WOLVERINE—No. 1, $4.00@5.00.

BEAR—Black, No. 1, $10@20.00; Grizzly, No. 1, $5.00@15.00; brown, No. 1, $5.00@10.00; cub, $1.00@5.00.

BUCKSKIN—Indian dressed, per lb, 75c@$1.00.

DEER—Summer, per lb, 25@30c; fall, 20@25c; winter, 20@23c; green salt, per piece, 75@80c; elk, per lb, 12c; antelope, 15@20c.

FISHER—No. 1, $3.00@5.00.

MARTIN—No. 1, 75c@$1.50; No. 2, 25@50c.

Ground hog, weasel, rabit and squirrel skins have no value.

Lumber.

Quotations arge for car lots on board cars at Omaha:

DIMENSIONS—

	12, 14 & 16 ft.	18 ft.	20 ft.	22 ft.	24 ft.
2x4	$15 00	$15 50	$16 00	$17 00	$18 00
2x6	15 00	15 50	16 00	18 00	18 00
2x8	15 00	15 50	16 00	17 50	18 00
2x10	15 00	15 50	16 00	17 50	18 00
2x12	16 00	16 00	17 00	18 50	19 00
4x4 to 8x8	16 00	17 00	18 00	18 00	19 00

FENCING—No. 1, 6 in, 12 and 14 ft, rf, $19.00; No. 1, 6 in, 16 ft, $19.00; 4 in, $19.00; No. 2, 6 in, 12 and 14 ft, rf, $14.00; 4 in, $14.00; No. 2, 6 in, 16 ft, $16.00; 4 in, $16.00; No. 3, 6 in, 12 and 14 ft, $13.00; 4 in, $13.00; No. 3, 6 in, 16 ft, $13.00; 4 in, $13.00.

SIDING—A, 12, 14 and 16 ft, $22.00; C, $17.50; B, 12, 14 and 16 ft, $20.50; D, $14.50.

BOARDS—No. 1, com, $18.50; No. 2, com, $15.00; No. 3, com, $13.50; No. 4, com, $11.50.

FLOORING—A, 6 in, white pine, $38.00; C, $29.50; B, 6 in, white pine, $36.00; D, $20.50; E, 6 in, white pine (sel. fencing), $17.00; drop siding, 50c per M extra.

STOCK BOARDS—A, 12 in, s1s, $48.00; B, 12 in, s1s, $45.00; C, $40.00; D, $25.00; No. 1 common, 12 in, s1s, 10, 12 and 18 ft, $21.00; No. 2, $18.50; No. 1 common, 12 in, s1s, 14 ft, $20.00; No. 2, $17.50; No. 1 common, 12 in, s1s, 16 ft, $19.50; No. 2, $17.00; No. 1 common, 12 in, s1s, 20 ft, $21.00; No. 2, $18.50.

SHIPLAP—No. 1 plain, 8 and 10 in, $10.00; No. 2, $16.00; No. 1, O. G., 8 in, $19.00; No. 2, $16.50; 10 in, grooved roofing, 12, 14 and 16 ft, $19.50.

FINISHING—1st and 2d cl., 1 in, s2s, $49.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in, $49.00; 3d clear, 1 in, s2s, $45.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in, $47.00; A, select, 1 in, s2s, $41.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in, $45.00; B, select, 1 in, s2s, $31.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in, $40.00; C, select, 1 in, s2s, $27.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in, $35.00.

A, B or C select, all 16 ft, $1.00 extra.

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