THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Again Disappoints All the Speculators' Expectations.

NATURAL STRENGTH OF THE SITUATION.

No Great Item of Bull News—Effect of the Poor Telegraphic Service—Corn is Comparatively Mild—Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—On 'change the markets started with wheat ½c lower, other cereals steady and provisions at slightly better prices. The trading of the first hour brought good strength and higher prices to all the grain markets, while products changed but little and the activity in the provision pit soon died out. The unexpected happened in wheat again today. The majority of the trade came on the floor expecting a reaction from the advance of Wednesday. There was a hesitating market the first hour, with the first trading at ⅛c decline from the close yesterday. About 11 o'clock there was a bulge that put the price of May 1c over the opening figure. After a slight drop from this price, a second period of excellent buying set in and the price moved up slowly at first and then with a jump to 98⅝c, or 2⅛c advance from the opening at 96½c. July wheat sold at the same time from 91⅝c to 94c. There was no one great item of bull news. It was the natural strength of the situation which was forced on the trade by outside buying. Perhaps the key to the market was the cash wheat demand. Minneapolis at noon quoted cash wheat strong at 92½c to 93c. Buffalo reported liberal sales to New York state millers. Milwaukee reported sales of 20,000 bushels to Rochester millers to go by rail. Detroit reported 40,000 bushels of cash wheat sold at advanced prices. Duluth reported a cargo of five boat loads of No. 1 northern sold for Glasgow at a fancy figure. The sales of 15,000 bushels of spring were here reported at 4c under May. The report of the rainfall at San Diego, Cal., was interpreted early to mean a breaking of the drouth in that state. Later advices reported the great wheat valleys still without rain. There were snows in some portions of the west and northwest, but Kansas and Missouri had none and colder weather is predicted. Cables were bullish. Early, they were ¼d higher and firm and the close was ½d higher. The poor wire service left the trade with meager news from seaboard points. In the pit Pardridge was a buyer early, followed by Mitchell, Baxter, Armour & Co., Hutchinson and others. At first the scalpers were sellers. On the first good bulge Logan & Co. led the buying, supposed to be on St. Louis orders. On the second strong bulge St. Louis bought through S. V. White & Co. The scalpers and shorts saw their early mistake and scrambled for wheat, getting it back at a loss. The advance was accompanied by great activity and for the hour at least there was a genuine bull market and Pardridge was lost sight of. At 1 o'clock the price of May was back to 97⅞c, but there was no indication of any sharp reaction. There was some reaction in wheat the last half hour on realizing, but the market showed good staying qualities after a great advance to 98⅜c from 96½c at the opening. The close of May was at 98½c, 2c over the opening and ⅜c over the close yesterday. January was quoted at 91½c to 93¼c, closing at 93½c. The estimate for tomorrow was sixty cars. Vessel room has been taken for 222,000 bushels of wheat here this month. There was a very bullish feeling among the trade at the close.

There was a mild market in corn compared with the great trading in wheat. Although the receipts were 258 cars, against the estimate of 175 cars, the market started about steady at 52⅜c for May. With an easier feeling in wheat early the price of corn touched 52¼c, but at once recovered to 52½c. The estimate for Friday was quite liberal at 200 cars, but the strength in the other markets could not be disregarded, and before 1 o'clock the price of May moved up to 53c. Liverpool cables were ¼d to ¾d up at the opening, and at the close ½d higher. The extreme top price for May corn was 52⅞@53c, not 53c straight. The close was at 52⅝c seller, or but ¼c up from last night. January at the close called 50¼c, February, 49½@50¼c, closing at 50¼c; July, 52⅜c to 52⅞c to 52⅜c, practically with May. Light stocks continue to be the bull factor. There was no remarkable trading.

The trade in oats felt bullish all day, but the advance was slight, owing to the fact that Hutchinson was against the market, selling all day. May sold at 45⅜c early and up to 46¼c, closing at 46c seller. June closed at 45⅝c bid; July, 41½c to 42⅛c, closing at 42c.

There was some strength in provisions at the opening, on the receipts of hogs falling below the estimate at 43,000 and prices at the yards being up 10c. Later in the day the cash demand for meats was reported improved and the buying in the pit became quite brisk for all products, pork and ribs leading. The strong feeling in all other markets no doubt helped the price. On the early show of strength the packers undertook to sell the crowd all they wanted, but later offerings were less free and prices moved up. May pork sold at $10.15@10.12½ to $10.25, closing at $10.22½. This was 12½c up for the day. Lard sold at $6.05@6.10, and closed 2½c up at $6.07½. Ribs were stronger, selling 7½c up at $5.17½, and closing at $5.15, or 5c higher.

PRICES AT CHICAGO.

COMMODITY	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y
WHEAT—					
May	$ 96¼	$ 98⅜	$ 96¼	$ 98⅜	$ 96⅝
July	91⅝	94	91⅝	93⅛	92
CORN—					
May	52⅝	52⅞-3	52⅜	52⅝-¾	52⅛
Year	.....	.....	.....	49⅛	.....
OATS—					
May	45¾	46¼	45¾	46	45¾
PORK—					
May	10 15	10 25	10 10	10 22½	10 12½
RIBS—					
May	5 12½	5 17½	5 12½	5 15	5 10
LARD—					
May	6 07½	6 10	6 07½	6 07½	6 05

PRICES AT ST. LOUIS.

COMMODITY	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
WHEAT—					
May	96⅞	1 00	96⅞	99¾-¼	97⅛
July	89	88⅛	86	88¾	86⅝
CORN—					
May	49⅛	50⅜	49⅛	50	49⅝
OATS—					
May	45¾	46¼	45¾	46	45¾

Notes and Gossip.

Estimated hog receipts for Chicago on Friday, 36,000.

Receipts, Minneapolis: Wheat, 231; Duluth, 17 cars.

St. Louis receipts: Wheat, 12,500; oats, 57,000; corn, 29,000.

St. Louis shipments: Wheat, 19,802; corn, 19,370; oats, 8,570.

Estimated receipts for Chicago Friday: Wheat, 60; corn, 200; oats, 103.

Chicago receipts: Wheat, 12,800; corn, 67,700; oats, 98,300. Shipments: Wheat, 27,200; corn, 94,000; oats, 145,000.

A sale of cash wheat was made at Chicago at 4c under May. This strength of cash has given a sudden spurt to the futures.

Eckert & Swan report the sale of 4,200 sacks of flour in a foreign market which has taken nothing from them since last March.

Receipts at Chicago: Winter wheat, 12; Colorado, 3; spring, 65. Inspected regular winter wheat, none; Colorado, none; spring, 48.

Milwaukee reports 20,000 bushels of wheat taken for Rochester. All rail freights. Buffalo reports 10,000 bushels of wheat taken by interior millers.

A California message says: No indications of rain in the San Joaquin valley. Merchants are countermanding orders for bags and farm machinery on account of the continued drouth.

Without communication with the east either by private or public wires business is much restricted at Chicago. Private cables generally denote firm and higher markets, while the public cables are not so favorable.

Beerbohm's cable: Cargoes off coast—Wheat at opening quieter; maize at opening firm. Arrivals wheat cargoes since last report, 2; sold, 1; waiting, 1. Arrivals maize, 3, waiting, 4. Cargoes on passage and for shipment: Wheat at opening rather easier; maize firm. Walla Walla wheat off coast 3d bid present and following month 3d bid. Weather in England wet. Liverpool wheat at opening firm; maize spot at opening stronger.

G. F. Logan & Co. to Toneray & Bryan—The wheat market opened quiet at 96¼c. May offerings were light. The principal cause of the sudden advance of ⅞c is the good demand for cash wheat. Early reports from the Pacific coast said they had had rains, but later the signal service report stated no rains, with a cloudless sky. All foreign advices are strong and point to higher prices. A sale of No. 1 hard spring for shipment to Glasgow at 4s per quarter, say equal to $1.21 at the seaboard, was made this morning by a Duluth house. It may be prudent to take profits on such advances, but on all breaks we recommend buying. The trading in July is light. It sold as high as 94c during the excitement. This is a high price for the new crop, unless there is some disaster to the growing crop.

Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to Christie-Lathrop Com. Co.—The bullish advices we sent out yesterday have materialized rather sooner and to a more positive extent than seemed possible at the time. Converts are much more numerous today than yesterday and a few days' missionary work like today will draw in recruits by the regiment. Of course we shall have sharp and frequent reactions, and the taking of profits on bulges is the policy of a good trader, but it is believed that the strength of the surrounding conditions is such that no prudent observer can fail to be impressed with them. Though our cash wheat is nominally 5c to 5½c under May, it is a fact that no considerable quantity of even the poorest can be had at more than 3½c under May, while 2c under May has been refused for quite a quantity. Most of it is owned by elevator proprietors who, having no corn or oats with which to fill bins, will hang on to their wheat unless they can get close to May prices rather than have warehouses empty. There is a steady demand in Indiana, Ohio, Michigan and southern Illinois. Many sections that were sellers of wheat last fall are now buyers. It does not necessarily follow that these localities are bare of wheat, but local holders are convinced that higher prices are in prospect and current bids are refused, thus compelling country millers to buy at distant markets. Of course it is an unsettled question how much still remains in the farmers' hands, but we think it is considerable in the states named. The market has been broad in all active and a more confident feeling prevails at the close. There is nothing new to be said of corn. We can see no inducement to buy for investment at present prices, and it seems foolhardy to sell it short. Should there be any considerable short interest and grading shows no improvement, shorts might have trouble in getting contracts filled. That hogs should be higher when so plenty alarmed certain shorts in provisions this morning, who proceeded at once to get out of harm's way. The advance made by their buying was held by the buoyant grain market. The upturn considered as a rally after a great decline is insignificant and affords, as we think, favorable opportunity for short selling.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—Business opened slow and for the time ruled rather weak, some of the early sales showing a slight decline, but later, there was an improved demand or rather salesmen accepted bids made when the business moved along more actively, the general market closing much better than the opening, yet values are 15c to 25c lower than on Monday on all grades of fat cattle. Low priced canning stock and cows show little or no change and fat cows are selling fully as high as last week and also all good grades of stockers. The top price today was $5.10 and only a few loads sold as high as $5.00, the bulk of the fat steers sold at $4.25@4.90, while large numbers of medium sold at $3.50@4.50; cows, $1.25@2.75; stockers, $2.50@3.50.

HOGS—Business was active from opening to close with an advance of 5@10c over the low prices of yesterday. The shipping demand is free and the run at smaller points was quite light today. Rough and common sold at $3.45@3.50; good to choice mixed, $3.55@3.60; prime heavy and butchers' weights, $3.65@3.70; light, $3.50@3.60; pigs, $2.75@3.25.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS.—The day in stocks began with a slow recovery from the sharp drop in railway shares late yesterday. The foreign situation was favorable, with another reduction in the Bank of England rate to 3 per cent. There were some buying orders also from London. The public on this side were still shut off from the street because of the poor telegraphic service. There was no remarkable feature in the market. First prices were generally a fraction over last night and an upward movement, which proved to be a hesitating one, followed up to 1 o'clock. The changes were limited to ⅛ and ¾ per cent gains. Chicago Gas rose to 41⅛; Sugar to 83⅛; Northern Pacific, preferred, to 72⅜; Burlington to 87⅛; Rock Island to 63⅜; St. Paul to 53¾; Missouri Pacific to 65¾; Union Pacific to 44. Until the railway agreements in the west mean something, there can be no well supported stock list. There was a greatly improved feeling in a few stocks late in the day. Gould and Villard stocks appeared to have the best support. Northern Pacific preferred led the list with a gain of 1⅛ to 73⅛; Lead common and North American each up ½. Missouri Pacific was the next leader with a gain of 1⅜ to 66, followed by Union Pacific to 44⅜; St. Paul to 54; Rock Island to 63¾, while Burlington and Atchison were up but ⅝ each. Northwestern was the exception with a loss of ⅛. Chicago Gas held up at 41 and sugar receipts about a point up. The sales reached 341,600 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s registered	120	Northern Pacific	29
U. S. 4s coupons	120	do preferred	73⅛
U. S. 4½s registered	103	C. & N.W.	105
U. S. 4½s coupons	103	do preferred	133
Pacific 6s of '95	109	New York Central	101⅛
Central Pacific	30	P., D. & E.	17¼
Chicago & Alton	126	Rock Island	63⅜
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	86⅝	C., M. & St. P.	83¾
D., L. & W.	137	St. Paul & Omaha	23
Illinois Central	98⅛	do preferred	75
L. S. & W.	72¼	Union Pacific	44⅜
Kansas & Texas	12¾	W., St. L. & P.	20¼
Lake Shore	107¾	do preferred	19⅜
Michigan Central	91	Western Union	79⅝
Missouri Pacific	65¾		

MONEY—On call, easy; closed offered at 2½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@7½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet; steady; sixty-day bills, $4.83; demand, $4.87½.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Stocks.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest'y
W. & L. E.	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
Rock'ng Val	101⅜	101	100⅛	100⅛	101
Manhattan	199¼	199¼	199¼	199¼	199¼
Wabash pfd	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Erie	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
Canada Sou	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾
Pacific Mail	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾	108
Lake Shore	74⅛	74⅛	73⅞	74⅛	74¾
L. & N.	19⅞	19⅞	19⅝	19⅝	19⅞
Lead Trust	62¼	62¼	62¼	62¼	62¼
C. C. C.	104¾	105¾	104¾	105¾	105¾
Northwest'n	66	66	64⅞	66	64⅞
Mo. Pac.	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾	45½
Union Pac.	44⅜	44⅜	44⅛	44⅜	43½
N. Pac. pfd.	71⅞	73⅛	72¼	73⅛	71⅛
N. Pac. com.	28⅝	29⅛	28⅝	29	28⅛
C., B. & Q.	86½	87⅛	86¼	86⅝	86¾
Rock Island	63⅛	63¾	63⅛	63¾	63¾
St. Paul	53¾	54	53⅝	53⅞	53¾
St. Paul pfd.	87	87	87	87	87
West. Union	79	79¼	79	79	79⅛
D., L. & W.	137	137¼	136¾	137⅛	137⅛
Sugar Trust	82¾	83⅞	82¼	83⅞	82⅛
Am.Sug.Rf.	69	69	68⅛	68¾	69
Jersey Cent.	111	111	111	111	110¼
New Eng'd.	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	37¼
Rich. Term'l	18⅜	18¾	18⅛	18⅝	18¼
Atchison	29¾	29⅞	29⅛	29⅜	29
Chicago Gas	40¾	41⅛	40¾	41	40¾
Reading	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛
Del. & Hud.	134⅛	134⅝	134¼	134⅝	134⅝
Pullman	189	189	189	189	189
No. Am.	16	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	15⅞
Mich. Cent.	92	92	92	92	92
Silver	109¾	109⅞	109¾	109⅞	109⅞
Ill. Cent.	22	22	22	22	22
Wis. Cent.	22	22	22	22	22
Mex. Cent.	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
A. C. Oil	21	21	21	21	21
Texas	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	15
Tenn. C. & I.	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾

Mining Shares.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Adams Con	175	Mexican	230
Aspen	575	Ontario	3900
Colorado Con	100	Savage	335
Con. Cal. & Va	400	Sierra Nevada	195
Eureka	250	Standard	140
Homestake	825	Union Con	160
Iron Silver	280	Yellow Jacket	300

The Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—COFFEE—Options opened steady at 5 points up to 20 points down; closed steady at 5 points down to 15 points up. Sales: 20,000 bags, including January, $16.75@16.80; February, $16.75; March, $16.30@16.40; April, $16.10; May, $15.70@15.80; June, $15.50@15.55; July, $15.30@15.45; August, $15.10; September, $14.65; December, $13.60; spot Rio, firm and quiet; fair cargoes, $19.00; No. 7 $17.50.

PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Close—Wheat—Steady: cash, 93@94c; May, 98⅛c; July, 93¼c.

Corn—Firm; cash, 49¾c; May, 52⅝@52¾c.

Oats—Easy; cash, 46c; May, 45⅞@46c.

Pork—Steady, cash, $9.75; May, $10.20@10.22½.

Lard—Steady; cash, $5.70; May, $6.05@6.07½.

Short Ribs—Steady; cash, $4.62½@4.75; May, $5.15.

Rye—Steady at 71c.

Barley—Slow at 73@76c.

Flax—Firm at $1.17.

Prime Timothy—Steady at $1.26.

Whisky—$1.14.

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, $4.95@5.05; short ribs, $4.50@4.65.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 19@26c; dairy, 14@24c.

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

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1, solid packed, 3¾c; No. 2, 3c; cake, 4c.

Cheese—Strong; full cream cheddars, 9¼@10c; flats, 10¼@10¾c; Young Americas, 10½@11c.

Eggs—Easier; fresh, 21c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	21,000	22,000
Wheat, bu	13,000	27,000
Corn, bu	68,000	94,000
Oats, bu	98,000	146,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Receipts, 10,800 bushels; exports, 33,300 bushels; spot 1¼@2¼c higher and strong; No. 2 red, $1.08@1.09¼ in elevator; $1.09¼@$1.10⅛ afloat; $1.10¼@1.12 f. o. b.; options 1¼@1⅝c higher; closed strong; No. 2 red, January closed at $1.09⅞.

Corn—Receipts 17,350 bushels; exports, 3,600 bushels; spot higher and strong; No. 2, 62½@63⅛c in elevator; 63½@64¼c afloat; ungraded mixed, 62@64½c; options closed strong; January closed at 63c.

Oats—Receipts, 29,000 bushels; exports, 450 bushels; spot higher; No. 2 white, 52¾@53½c; mixed western, 50@54; white western, 53@60½c; options firmer; January, 52½c.

Sugar—Raw dull; refined, quiet.

Petroleum—Steady; United closed, February, 74½c.

Eggs—Western, 25c.

Lard—Firm; western steam sales, $6.05 bid.

Butter—Weak; western dairy, 12@19c; creamery, 17@26½; Elgin, 27@27½c.

Cheese—Strong; light skims, 5@8½.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Higher; cash, 98@99c; May, 98⅛c.

Corn—Higher; cash, 49@49½c.

Oats—Higher; cash, 46c.

Pork—$10.00.

Lard—$5.55.

Whisky—$1.14.

Butter—Creamery, 18@20c; dairy, 19@20c.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Stronger; No. 2 hard, cash, 84c bid; January, 84c bid; No. 2 red, cash, 91c bid.

Corn—Easier; No. 2, cash and January, 47½c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2, cash, 45@45½c asked; January, 45c bid.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 29.—Wheat—In good demand; inquiry is growing for wheat to ship to country mills. Receipts 233 cars; shipments, 160 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, January, 93c; on track, 93½c; No. 1 northern, January and February, 92c; May, 95½c; on track, 92½c; No. 2 northern, January, 88½c; on track, 89@90c.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Firm; No. 1 northern, 97c; May, 92⅞c.

Corn—Firm at 49½c.

Oats—Quiet at 45c.

Provisions—Pork, firmer; May, $10.20.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Scarce and stronger; No. 2 red, 98c.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 52½@53c.

Oats—Barely steady; No. 2 mixed, 47½c.

Whisky—$1.14.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29—Wheat—Firm; demand fair; holders offer sparingly; red western, spring, 7s 6½d@7s 7d per central; red western, winter, 7s 6½d.

Corn—Strong; demand improving; mixed western, 5s 7d per central.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; market slow and weak; steers, $3.00@5.10 for best; others $3.50@4.60; cows, $1.25@2.75; stockers, $2.50@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 45,000; market active and higher; rough and common, $3.45@3.50; good choice mixed, $3.55@3.60; prime heavy and butcher weights, $3.65@3.70; light, $3.50@3.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; market a shade stronger; natives, $4.00@4.20; westerns, $4.20@4.80; Texans, $3.75@4.80; lambs, $5.00@5.75.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,200 head; shipments, 1,000 head; market easier; fair to fancy native steers, $3.75@5.10; stockers and feeders, $2.10@3.40.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,500 head; shipments, 2,100 head; market higher; heavy, $3.40@3.55; mixed, $3.10@3.45; light, $3.25@3.40.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,400 head; shipments, 1,400 head; market steady; steers, $3.45@5.25; cows, $1.50@3.50; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,600 head; shipments, 2,700 head; market higher; all grades, $3.00@3.60.

OMAHA MARKETS.

OMAHA, Jan. 29, 1891.

CATTLE—Estimated receipts of cattle 950 as compared with 2,285 yesterday and 2,155 Thursday of last week. The market on steers, on very light receipts, was steady; on butchers' stock, was active and strong on desirable grades, and steady on others; feeders were unchanged.

HOGS—Estimated receipts of hogs 2,050 as compared with 8,477 yesterday and 6,257 Thursday of last week. The market was active and uneven, but in general 10c higher. The range of the prices paid was $3.15@3.55, the bulk selling at $3.30@3.40. Pigs, $1.50@2.60; light-lights, $2.50@2.9½; light, $3.15@3.40; heavy, $3.35@3.55; mixed, $3.30@3.45. The average of the prices paid was $3.39, as compared with $3.26½ yesterday and $3.32½ Thursday of last week.

SHEEP—There were no fresh receipts of sheep. The market is nominally steady. Natives, $2.50@4.40; westerns, $2.00@4.50.

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 29:

CATTLE.

Swift & Co.	264
The G. H. Hammond Co.	182
The Cudahy Packing Co.	173
R. Becker & Degen	73
Lee Rothschild	62
Nels Morris	16
Shippers and feeders	194

HOGS.

The Cudahy Packing Co.	618
Omaha Packing Co.	57
Swift & Co.	706
The G. H. Hammond Packing Co.	647
Shippers and feeders	162

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	820	$3 00	10	1011	$3 65	3	1066	$4 00
2	915	3 25	13	984	3 70	20	1056	4 00
8	979	3 40	2	1130	3 70	18	1180	4 00
7	1100	3 40	19	1047	3 70	14	1157	4 10
22	861	3 50	19	1112	3 80	9	1286	4 25
1	1050	3 50	16	1095	3 85	13	1227	4 40

COWS.

5	666	1 25	12	960	1 75	1	1130	2 40
2	805	1 25	1	1150	1 85	9	910	2 40
1	1050	1 35	5	1112	2 10	10	1111	2 40
4	956	1 35	2	1145	2 00	3	930	2 40
8	917	1 55	9	952	2 00	9	1108	2 40
15	868	1 40	1	1020	2 00	26	990	2 45
62	965	1 50	20	972	2 10	21	1091	2 50
1	940	1 50	3	1016	2 10	1	1230	2 50
62	965	1 50	1	1050	2 10	17	984	2 50
21	921	1 60	19	916	2 20	14	942	2 62½
22	720	1 60	15	884	2 25	3	1076	2 75
8	1103	1 60	11	966	2 25	1	1090	2 80
21	881	1 75	1	1110	2 35	1	1090	3 25
2	1180	1 75	4	975	2 40	22	1205	3 35

BULLS.

1	1110	2 00	4	1185	2 10	1	1340	2 60
4	980	2 00	1	1560	2 60	1	1500	2 60

CALVES.

4	217	1 50	2	95	2 00	1	190	4 00

HEIFERS.

10	450	1 25	1	450	1 50			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS

1	700	2 60	18	770	2 95			

STAGS.

1	1140	2 60						

WESTERN CATTLE.

No.		Av.	Pr.
	Equitable C. Co.—		
45	cows	972	$2 70
	D. T. Cattle Co.—		
61	steers, hay fed	1117	3 25
	E. J. Fahlan]		
15	steers, hay fed	1071	3 15

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
4	157	—	$3 00	54	345	360	$3 45
71	157	40	3 02½	66	235	160	3 47½
72	231	240	3 15	1	240	—	3 50
39	266	400	3 30	55	344	360	3 50
64	246	200	3 30	55	338	160	3 50
65	266	—	3 35	56	311	40	3 50
75	213	—	3 35	45	391	120	3 50
85	218	160	3 35	56	328	280	3 50
70	242	—	3 40	58	296	—	3 50
63	247	240	3 40	60	258	—	3 50
63	248	—	3 40	55	395	80	3 50
56	290	280	3 40	59	282	40	3 50
65	254	200	3 40	56	351	40	3 50
60	294	80	3 40	48	419	—	3 50
30	235	40	3 45	52	414	—	3 55
50	326	40	3 45				

PIGS AND ROUGH.

18	125	—	2 50	119	130	—	3 05
90	139	160	3 00				

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Grocers.

COFFEE—Green—Rio 22@24c; Java, 27c; Mocha, 28c. Roasted—Arlosa, 25 1-10c; Bunola, 25 1-10c; German, 24¾c; Dillilworth's, 25 1-10c; Lion, 25c; Cordovia, 25 1-10c; Mocha, 31c; O. G. Java, 29c. Coffee—Essence—½ gro. boxes, $1.45@1.50; chicory, 7½@8¾c.

WOODENWARE—Per dozen—Tubs, No. 1, $8.00; No. 2, $7.00; No. 3, $4.00; keeler, oak grain, 5-in. best, $1.50; white cedar, 4-in. best, $1.25; pails, 3-hoop, oak grained, $1.75; hoop, $1.50; syrup, $1.85; dowell, $1.75; paper, metal hoop, $2.50; cedar, 3 brass hoops, No. 1, all red, $3.50; cedar, 3 brass hoops, No. 2 red, $3.00; cedar, 3 brass hoops, No. 1 striped, $3.00; cedar, 3 brass hoops, No. 2 striped, $4.50; horse, extra heavy, No. 1, $2.75; well buckets, $3.25. Butterware—Tubs, ash, 3-inch, per nest, 70c; ash, 2-inch, 2 large size, per nest, 45c; butter ladles, hard wood, 70c; butter paddles or spades, 70c. Washboards—Single, $1.50@2.00; double, $2.50@3.25. Clothespins—5 gross boxes, 60c.

SUGAR—Granulated, 6⅞c; cubes, 7¼c; cut loaf, 7½c; powdered, standard, 5½c; XXXX powdered, 7⅞c; yellow C, 7½c; canary, 6c; light extra C, 5⅝@6⅜c; confectioners, A, 6⅜c.

SALT—Dairy, 280 lbs in bbls, bulk, $2.10; best grade, 60 lbs, $2.40; best grade, 100 lbs, $2.50; best grade, 28 lbs, $2.30; rock salt, crushed, $2.10.

SODA—Packages, 60 lbs to box, 5¾c; kegs, 4½c.

BAKING POWDER—Royal, dime cans, per doz, 98c; ¼-lb cans, $1.45; ½-lb cans, $2.65; 1-lb cans, $5.00; Price's ¼-lb cans, $1.35; ½-lb cans, $2.50; 1-lb cans, $4.75; other kinds, 1-lb cans, per doz $1.0@3.85.

CANNED VEGETABLES—Tomatoes—3-lb, $1.05@1.10. Corn—Very fine, $1.20@1.35; 1-lb sugar, $1.15; 2-lb standard western brands, $1.10. Mushrooms—1-lb French, extra fine, 22@25c; 1-lb French, fine, 18@22c; 1-lb French, ordinary, 10@15c. Peas—2-lb early June, $1.35; 2-lb Marrow, standard brands, $1.10; 2-lb saked, 75c. French peas—Per case of 100, $1.50@2.00. String beans—2lb high grade, 90c; 2-lb wax beans, 85c; 2-lb string beans, 80c. Lima beans—2-lb soaked, 85c. Boston baked beans—3-lb, $1.35@1.55. Sweet potatoes—3-lb New Jersey $1.50; 3-lb okra and tomatoes, $1.65; 3-lb okra, $1.00; asparagus, 3-lb, $2.85@3.75; rhubard, 3-lb, $1.40; succotash, $1.00@1.25.

CRACKERS—Soda, 6c; oyster, 5½c; cream, 8½c; ginger snaps, 8½c; 10 per cent off on box lots.

DRIED FRUITS—Turkish prunes, less than bbds, 18@9c; apples, evaporated, new ring choice, 15c; apricots, fancy, in sacks, 20c; blackberries, new, 9c; raspberries, 25 lbs to box, 22c; currants, new, 3½c; Vostizzi currants, extra, in boxes, 6½c; peaches, Cala., choice, 17½c; California dried grapes, in bags, 5½c; seedless Sultanas, sacks, 10½c; muscatels, 8½c; new Valencia, 8c; Ondura layer, 9c; figs, ayers, 14@20c; citron, Leghorn, 20c; lemon peel, 10c.

NUTS—Per lb—Almonds, 18c; Brazils, 21c; filberts, 13c; pecans, 10@14c; walnuts, 18c; peanuts, fancy white, 8c; roasted, 10c.

WRAPPING PAPER—Per lb, best straw, 15x18 to 32x44, 1¾c; dry goods, 4¾c; extra quality, manilla, 6½c; manilla tea, 12x18, 9c; dark rag, hardware, 2¾c.

OILS—150 prime white, 9½c; 150 water white, 11½c; headlight, 13c; 74 gasoline, 11½c. Oil cans—1 gal, $3.00@3.25; 2 gal, $3.75@4.80; 5 gal, 3.50@13.10.

TEAS—Japan, basket fired, 20@35c; sundried, 6@15c; green, 20@30c; gunpowder, 20@30c; English breakfast, 30@75c; Young Hyson, 20@Ec; Oolong, 25@45c; 2-lb package dust, 15c.

AXLE GREASE—Per gross—Frazier's large ons, $30.00; medium tins, $27.00; small, $15.00; 5ther makes, wood, $5.50@8.50.

BLACKING—3 doz in box, 30@75c; ladies' shoe dressing, 45c@$1.00; stove polish, per gross, $2.00@5.50.

BLUEING—Liquid, 4 oz, 3 doz in box, 90c@$1.75; 8 oz, 3 doz in box, $1.50@2.75; dry, small, 25c; large, 45c.

SPICES—Pepper—Singapore, sifted, 15@16c; shot, 22c; allspice, 10c; cloves, Penang, selected, 17@19c; cassia, China, 4-lb, mats, 9c; nutmegs, No. 1, 75c; macassor, 65c; pickling spices, 10-lb boxes, 25c.

CHOCOLATE, ETC.—Per 12-lb boxes, 34@35c; German sweet, 22@24c; cocoa, 39@49c; Bromo, 32c.

COCOANUT—15-lb cases, ¼ and ½ lb packages, per lb, 26@27c; bulk,