THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Bears on Top and Everybody Anxious to Buy.

THERE WAS A PANIC AMONG THE SHORTS.

Another Remarkable Bulge in Corn, and Some Excitement in Oats with a Sharp Advance in Prices.

CHICAGO, March 17.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The day on 'Change opened with a bear rail over the floor. In all the leading markets to the surprise of the trade, there was nothing for sale, and forthwith everybody wanted to buy. There was a panic among the shorts at once. It was difficult to say where the flurry was the greatest. For May contracts wheat rose from $1.02½ to $1.02¾, and sold back to $1.02¼; corn went for dear to 62½c without many trades to speak of, and then advanced to 62¾c, oats rose to 37½c; pork opened at 15c up at $12.35, and went flying to $12.47½; May lard sold from $6.40 to $6.47½; ribs from $5.50 to $5.60.

There was a panic among the shorts in wheat this morning which caused an advance of nearly 2c the first half hour. There was no great piece of bull news to account for the bulge. When the crowd wanted wheat it was not for sales and they took freely and bid the price up to 2c. It. Perhaps one influence which started buying was Mark Lane's statement that European countries, France, Germany, Holland, Belgium, Spain, even with fair crops will be 20 per cent short in the requirements, which must be made good by America, Australia and Russia. The early Liverpool cable was firm and 1d up for near futures. New York cleared 52,000 bushels of wheat and 29,000 packages of flour, and New Orleans cleared 20,000 bushels of wheat. The receipts in the northwest were less heavy, with 461 cars at the two points. This was the sum of all that could be called bull news. On the other hand the public elevators gave an increase of 3,775,000 bushels of wheat on passage. A Liverpool cable to Baker, later, called this an error and placed the increase at 1,350,000. In the face of these facts the price of May wheat started at $1.01¾ and went flying to $1.02¾, and some claim $1.03. July started at 97⅞c and rose to 99⅞c. The advance stopped as it started, without any special influence. About the same time the rumor of the failure of Muriatta & Co of London, and the engagements of gold for export at New York, with a sharp decline in stocks, caused pretty general selling, and May went back to $1.02 and July to 98c. On the second bulge May sold at $1.02⅝, July at 99⅛c, and then declined to $1.01⅞ for May and 98⅛c for July. The closing continental cables were again slightly bullish, and the input May to $1.02¾ and July to 99⅛c. At 1 o'clock May rested at $1.02 and July at 98c. The feature of the early trade was the buying by Schwartz-Dupee, Metcalfe & Co. and Millmine-Bedman. It was claimed that Mitchell, who was short, covered freely. Later in the day foreign houses were reported sellers. The estimate for Wednesday was very light, at 33 cars for this market. The only disappointed ones in wheat were those who expected to see the market flatten out at the close. Instead it held firm and maintained a good advance. May closed at $1.02 and July at 98⅞c. March was quoted at 96⅞c and $1.00⅞ to the close.

Corn had another remarkable bulge during the morning hour. May started with bids all the way from 62c to 62½c, and little corn to be had till 62½c was touched, and the price went on to 62¾c. July was equally as erratic, and little could be had from 60½c to 62⅛c, and the price went to 62⅛c with a rush. After a period of quiet and a little decline May went to 62¾c and July again touched the top figure. The action then was slowly downward without heavy business until May rested at 62½c and July at 61⅞c. The extreme high prices for corn on the second bulge of the morning were quoted at the close by retail dealers at 63c for May and 62½c for July. The close was 62½c for May and 61⅞c for July. This was a net gain of 1c from last night for May and 7⅛c for July. March was quoted at 61⅞c and closed at 62c. April was at 62c high and closed at 62⅛c; June sold at 62½c and closed at 62⅛c; August 62½c, and closed at 61⅞c. There was some buying by brokers early which could not be placed. St. Louis was caught short on sales around 61½c on Saturday. May corn puts sold at 62⅛c and calls at 61½c to 61¾c.

The oats market was excited with the others early in the day and the high prices on the crop were reached on a sharp advance. May sold at 37½c to 37¾c, July at 35c to 35⅛c, 49c to 50c, and the closing prices were 37⅝c for May, 35⅞c for June, and 36½c for July. There was no unusual feature to trading on either side.

There were three things to account for the sharp advance in provisions the first hour. Corn was up about 5c with none for sale, the receipts were 10,000 under the estimates, with prices at the yards advanced, and there was remarkable buying by brokers credited both to Cudahy and Armour. May pork opened at 15c up at $12.35 to $12.40, broke to $12.35 and closed at $12.40 or 25c higher. July sold at $12.20, off to $12.00, and closed at $12.32½. Lard acted with pork. May sold at $6.40 to $6.45, to $6.37½, to $6.42½, or 12½c higher, May closed at 6c up at $6.40. Other prices are given below. On the advance the talk was that Cudahy was heavily short and covered freely. There was little doubt that Armour brokers also bought, while sellers were longs, who held good profits on the bulge.

PRICES AT CHICAGO.

COMMODITY	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesty
WHEAT—					
May	1 01¼	1 02¾	1 01¼	1 01⅞@2	1 01⅛
July	97⅞	99⅞	97⅞	98⅞@⅞	97⅞
CORN—					
May	62⅝@¾	63⅞	62⅝ ¾	63⅞	62⅝
July	61⅛	62⅛	61⅛	61⅞	60⅞
OATS—					
May	37¼	37¾	37	37¼	36⅝
July	36⅝	36	36⅛	36⅛	35¾
PORK—					
May	11 35	11 50	11 25	11 37	11 20
July	11 80	11 90	11 62	11 75	11 57
RIBS—					
May	5 30	5 50@2	5 47	5 50@2	5 37
LARD—					
May	6 40@	6 42	6 40	6 42	6 32
July					

PRICES AT ST. LOUIS.

COMMODITY	Open	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesty
WHEAT—					
May	1 02⅜	1 02⅞	1 01⅝	1 01⅝	1 00⅞
July	92¾	94¼	92¾	93¾	92⅝
CORN—					
May	59	60	59	59¼@⅜	57⅞
OATS—					
May	52⅝	53	52½	52½	51¾

Notes and Gossip.

Receipts at Duluth: 47 cars wheat.

Receipts at Minneapolis: 284 cars wheat.

Receipts at Kansas City: Wheat, 40; corn, 20; oats, 9.

St. Louis receipts: Wheat, 50,800; corn, 100,925; oats, 36,000.

Estimated cars at Chicago for Wednesday: Wheat, 33; corn, 190; oats, 152.

Clearances of flour from New York: 29,400 packages; wheat, 32,000 bushels.

Chicago receipts: Wheat, 121 cars, 48 No. 3; corn 34 cars, 21 No. 2; oats, 59 cars, 17 No. 2.

Beerbohm's cable: Cargoes wheat off coast firmer. On passage firmer, corn steadier. Weather in England wet. Liverpool wheat firmly held, corn firmer. Cargoes wheat on passage, increase 3,775,000 bushels.

Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to S. A. McWhorter—There was nothing of importance to bull wheat this morning, but a few shorts took fright and that served to drag the rest into the race to get ashore as soon as possible. It is much easier to stampede them than the longs, for while the bears have no confidence in present values, they have a wholesome respect for an oversold market and recently have not waited for a second invitation to get under cover when they see a storm brewing. This almost universal fear of being short is really an element of weakness, because it furnishes a limited market to absorb long wheat when offerings are free. Ordinarily such an enormous increase in ocean passage (nearly 4,000,000) would have caused a decline and we think this will be its ultimate effect, but the urgent demand from shorts outweighed all other considerations today. This having apparently been satisfied, lower prices shortly would seem probable. Corn and oats—The short interest which was formed on the break at the close of last week was forced to cover, those who took their offerings last week being the sellers today. The clique will probably permit prices to decline moderately to encourage short selling, forcing the misguided traders to cover on the next rally. One of these days, however, we expect to see the boot on the other leg. Provisions again advanced sharply, with no apparent cause further than the bull feeling which now prevails. Shorts were thoroughly alarmed. Short selling is now out of favor. Some portion of the advance was lost, but the close was steady.

W. G. McCormick & Co. to F. C. Swartt & Co.: Today's wheat market has furnished quite a surprise to the bears. Cables were firm, but noted an increase in cargoes on passage of nearly three and three quarter millions. This was accepted by our local traders as a very bearish feature and resulted in heavy short sales by them which they were joined by St. Louis and the northwest. Their offerings, however, were readily absorbed, and when they undertook to buy back their shorts the market advanced with great rapidity in front of them. It is difficult to state by whom the wheat was bought, but whenever the market approaches 101 for May there seems a demand from some unexpected source. We do not believe it possible to break our market so long as the strength abroad is maintained. Receipts were large at the primary points but seemed to have very little influence on the market. Closing cables are strong at half penny advance. Corn and oats have been controlled by bullish factions today. The opening of both markets was wild and excited, a marked advance being at once established, after which the crowd traded with great vitality, taking very little punishment either way. Prices were reckless lots, but we hesitate to advise selling except for the purpose of taking profit. Provisions opened firm and higher. The advance however, was not by free trading which broke prices below those of the opening. The market seems to took a little rest, and having had an advance of $2 a barrel in pork, we believe a reaction is due, and advise taking profits on long stuff.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, March 17.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—Business was active from the opening to the close, with an advance of about 5c on prime to extra steers, two lots selling at $5.70 and $5.75 respectively. Other grades sold in the same proportion. The demand for butcher's stock was not so active as on Monday's last week. The supply yesterday was heavy and many of the buyers bought liberally, hence they were not as eager today. Canning stock was in fair demand and steady, stockers and feeders extra, with fancy stock selling for the highest prices this year. Anything similar useful in steers sold at $5.05@5.50; others at $4.30@4.90; heifers, $3.00@5.50; cows, $1.25@3.25; stockers, $2.75@4.25.

HOGS—Business was active from the opening to the close, with an advance of about 10c that covered about all grades, the general market closing steady with nearly everything sold. Rough and common $4.75@4.85; prime mixed and packers, $4.85@4.95; prime heavy and butcher weight, $4.90@4.95; light, $4.80@4.95.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

NEW YORK, March 17.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—There was a good feeling at the opening in stocks. There was both strength and activity. Coalers were well supported and heavy business was begun in grangers. What promised to be an advance turned into a decline, owing to engagements of gold for shipment and other unforeseen causes. The opening prices as a rule were in most cases slight fractions better than those of last evening, and a further improvement was made, but these gains were all lost, with something in addition, before the end of the hour. The feature of dealings was the activity in Ontario & Western, which advanced ¾ per cent to 17¾, the moving causes being the possibility that the New York Central would be compelled to acquire the road. In the downward movement Mobile & Ohio, Sugar, New England, Atchison, Burlington and Missouri Pacific led, the losses from the highest points in these shares being from ⅝ to ⅞ per cent. Union Pacific and St. Paul were very active, but moved within narrow limits, and were rather better held than the rest of the list. Activity disappeared from the market toward 11 o'clock, only to return with renewed selling about noonday on bearish financial advices from London. That centre had sellin orders from the start, but on the rumors regarding the failure of Muriatta & Co. selling became general. Chicago Gas dropped to 71, Louisville to 73⅞c, Atchison to 23, Burlington to 79, Northwestern to 95, Rock Island to 66½, St. Paul to 85⅞, Union Pacific to 44⅝ and Lackawanna, which rose to 135⅞, early lost to 134. The whole sentiment changed from the opening to 1 o'clock. The stock market was unsettled after noonday. Burlington took a quick turn to 80¾ and dropped back to 79⅞ at the close. St. Paul regained its early price, 85⅞, and closed at 85⅛. Much of the short interest has been eliminated and the market is left without this support. Prices of western stocks closed ¼ to ¾ lower. Lackawanna closed steady. London was a seller all day. The sales reached 307,623 shares.

Bennett, Hopkins & Co. to S. A. McWhorter—The stock market has been more active today, with frequent changes in the speculative temper. The opening was steady and closing was only steady. Our market had a setback shortly after the announcement that $1,000,000 in gold had been taken in shipment by tomorrow's steamer and one of the rallies in prices later was made under the influence of the report that the treasury had refused to furnish gold bars to shippers who had applied for them. The secretary of the treasury had authority to do this under the law passed by the last congress. The result will be that double eagles will have to be shipped and these will of necessity be taken subject to delay, loss and restriage and consequently cannot be shipped profitably at as low a rate of exchange as good bars. It may be therefore that the shipments announced will not take place tomorrow. The most conspicuous feature of the day has been in western stocks and of these Chicago, Burlington & Quincy has taken the lead. Its price declined early in the day to 78⅞, but subsequently rose to 80, on large transactions, but part of this advance was lost later. The bright prospects for the next winter wheat crop are regarded as good reasons for buying western stocks at the present comparatively low price. The announcement that Chairman Finley had authorized all roads to accept the 2c mileage tickets because Jacksonville & Southeastern could not comply with the demand to remove tickets from the market had little effect upon prices. The coal stocks have been sustained because of the determination of the Lehigh Valley to test the power of the interstate commerce commission to fix rates as announced in their recent decision, but Cox Brothers have also given notice that they will not comply with the demands of the coal combine in the recent position and insist upon the Lehigh Valley company furnishing all the cars necessary to transport the coal that they mine. The complications in the trade, therefore, are numerous and we do not see any good reason for buying stocks of coal carrying roads. In the specialties Ontario & Western advanced 2 per cent on the report that the road would be leased to the New York Central and under favorable conditions, now that the New York Central has got control of the Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg, but this report is semi-officially denied. The market closed steady at considerable reaction from highest prices. Money easy. Sales 228,000.

The following are the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s registered	121	Northern Pacific	25⅞
U. S. 4s coupons	122	do preferred	71⅞
U. S. 4½s registered	102	C., N. & W.	101¾
U. S. 4½s coupons	102	do pref (ex div)	143
Pacifics of '95	111	New York Central	103¾
Central Pacific	28¾	P., D. & E.	19¾
Chicago & Alton	124	Rock Island	66⅞
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	79¾	C., M. & St. P.	85⅞
		do preferred	111
D., L. & W.	154⅞	St. Paul & Omaha	22
Illinois Central	94⅞	do preferred	78
L. E. & W.	12	Union Pacific	45⅝
Kansas & Texas	12	W., St. L. & P.	9
Lake Shore	109¾	do preferred	18⅛
Michigan Central	91	Western Union	81
Missouri Pacific	67		

MONEY ON CALL—Easy; closed offered at 2½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet but firm; sixty-day bills, $4.83¾; demand, $4.88¼.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, Mass., March 17.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The demand for wool continues steady and the position of the market is very firm. The stocks are small and sales are only made at full prices. In Ohio fleeces there have been sales of X at 31@32c, and of XX and XXX and above at 33@34c. Michigan X fleeces have been selling at 29@30c. No. 1 combing wools rule firm at 40@45c; Ohio fine delaine at 36@37c and Michigan fine delaine at 35@36c. Unwashed combing wools have been in demand—Delaines 28@28c for one-quarter blood and at 25@26c for three-quarters blood. Territory wools are firm and sell on a secured basis of 60@65c for fine, at 56@60c for fine to medium and at 50@56c for medium. Texas, California and Oregon wools are quiet. Pulled wools are active and firm. Choice supers are selling at 40@45c, fair to good supers at 36@38c and extra at 22@30c. Foreign wools are firm, and Australian sells well.

The Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, March 17.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—COFFEE—Options opened barely steady, at 5 points up to 15 points down, and closed barely steady at 5 points up to 25 points down. The sales were 15,000 bags, including March, $17.75; May, $17.30@17.45; June, $17.05@17.10; July, $16.85@16.90; August, $16.60; September, $16.15@16.25; October, $15.55; December, $14.35. Spot Rio quiet but steady; fair cargoes, $20.00; No. 7, $18.50@18.62½.

Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, March 17.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	140	Adams Con	170
Eureka Con	335	Gould & Curry	325
Iron Silver	250	Hale & Norcross	280
Plymouth	175	Sierra Nevada	170
Standard	140	Savage	290

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, March 17.—Close.—Wheat—Steady; cash, 96c; May, $1.01⅞@1.02.

Corn—Steady; cash, 61½@62c; May, 61¾c.

Oats—Firm; cash, 37⅝c; May, 38⅝c.

Pork—Firm; cash, $12.32½; May, $12.37½.

Lard—Firm; cash, $6.25; May, $6.42½.

Short Ribs—Firm; cash, $5.30@5.35; May, 5.52½.

Rye—Easy at 90c.

Barley—Quiet at 76@78c.

Flax—Steady at $1.35.

Prime Timothy—Easy at $1.38@1.39.

Whisky—$1.16.

Flour—Firm and unchanged; winter patents, $4.50@5.00; spring patents, $4.60@5.10.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $4.75@4.87½; short clear, $5.30@5.35; short ribs, $5.30@5.35.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 20@30c; dairy, 16@28c.

Cheese—Stronger; full cream cheddars, 10½@10¾c; flats, 10½@10c; Young Americas, 11@11½c.

Eggs—Stronger; fresh, 10½@10½c.

Hides—Unchanged; light green-salted, 6@6½c; green, 4½c; salted bulls, 4½c; green salted calf, 8c; dry flint, 8c; dry salted, 6@6½c; dry calf, 9@9½c; deacons, 35c each.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1 solid packed, 4c; No. 2, 3½@3¾c; cake, 4½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	6,000	6,000
Wheat, bu	57,000	51,000
Corn, bu	255,000	178,000
Oats, bu	300,000	120,000

NEW YORK, March 17.—Wheat—Receipts, 88,250 bushels; exports, 62,440 bushels; spot closed easy; No. 2 red, $1.04¾, in elevator; $1.15¾ afloat; $1.12@1.12⅛, f. o. b. Options closed firm; No. 2 red, March closing at $1.14½.

Corn—Receipts, 82,500 bushels; exports, 15,500 bushels; spot higher; No. 2, 73c@74c in elevator; 74@74½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 73@75c. Options advanced 1½@2c, reacted ¼@¾c; closed steady; March closing at 73c.

Oats—Receipts, 79,000 bushels; exports, 80 bushels; spot firm; No. 2 white, 38½@39c; No. 3 white, 38c; No. 2 white western, 38½@39c; No. 3 white western, 38@38½c.

Options stronger; March, 36½c.

Sugar—Raw, easier; refined, dull.

Petroleum—United, quiet. April, 73½c.

Eggs—Firmer; western, 10½c.

Pork—Higher; new mess, $11.75@12.25.

Lard—Strong; prime steam, $6.35.

Butter—Irregular; western, dairy, 16@25c; western creamery, 20@32c; Elgins, 33c.

Cheese—Strong; skims, 6½@8c.

ST. LOUIS, March 17.—Wheat—Higher; cash, $1.01⅝@1.01⅞; May, $1.01.

Corn—Higher; cash, 59½c.

Oats—Higher; cash, 36c.

Pork—Higher; $11.37½.

Lard—Higher; $6.30.

Whisky—$1.16.

Butter—Sharply lower; creamery, 28@30c; dairy, 20@27c.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 17.—Wheat, receipts, 236 cars; shipments 130 cars. Cash wheat buying light; poor grades unusually dull. Closed: No. 1 hard, March, 99c on track, 99½c; No. 1 northern, March and April, 99c; May, 98⅝@99c bid; track, 99⅝@97⅞c; No. 2 northern, March, 96c; on track, 97c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 17.—Wheat—Quiet, No. 2 hard, cash and March, 88c bid; No. 2 red, cash, 93½c bid.

Corn—Higher; No. 2, cash, 56½c bid; March, 56c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2, cash, 37½@37½c; March, 38@38⅛c bid.

MILWAUKEE, March 17.—Wheat—Market quiet; No. 2 spring, cash, 97½c.

Corn—Firmer; No. 3, 60c.

Oats—Firmer; No. 2 white, 32c.

Provisions—Easier; pork, May, $11.65.

CINCINNATI, March 17.—Wheat—Strong and held higher; cash, $1.02.

Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 62½@63c.

Oats—Strong; No. 2 mixed, 39@39½c.

Whisky—$1.16.

LIVERPOOL, March 17.—Wheat—Firm and demand fair; holders offer sparingly; California No. 1, 8s 3½d.

Corn—Steady, demand improving; mixed western, 5s 8d per central.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, March 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,500; market active and higher; steers, prime to extra, $5.70@5.75; others, $4.30@5.50; heifers, $3.00@5.50; cows $1.25@3.25; stockers, $2.25@4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; market active and higher; rough and common, $4.75@4.85; prime mixed and packers, $4.85@4.95; prime heavy and butcher weights, $4.90@4.95; light, $4.80@4.95.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; market steady; natives, $4.00@5.70; westerns, $5.00@5.75; Texans, $3.75@5.00; lambs, $5.50@6.15.

ST. LOUIS, March 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,800; shipments, none; market higher; fair to fancy natives steers, $4.80@5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.35.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,100 head; shipments, none; market higher; heavy, $4.80@4.90; mixed, $4.50@4.85; light, $4.60@4.80.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000 head; shipments, 600 head; market steady; steers, $4.00@5.40; cows, $2.50@4.00; stockers and feeders, $2.00@4.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market higher; all grades, $4.60@5.00.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

OMAHA, March 17.

CATTLE—Estimated receipts of cattle 1,000 as compared with 1,342 yesterday and 2,939 Tuesday of last week. The market was active and strong 10@15c higher on all grades of beeves and butcher stock. The cards were cleared early. Feeders were dull and unchanged.

HOGS—Estimated receipts hogs 9,300 as compared with 7,779 yesterday and 5,712 Tuesday of last week. The market opened active and steady to 5@10c higher and closed 5@10c higher with all sold. The range of the prices paid was $4.25@5.70, the bulk selling at $4.60@5.05.

Pigs, 6@7½c; light-lights, $4.50@4.60; light, $4.55@4.60; heavy, $4.60@4.70; mixed, $4.60@4.65.

The average of the prices paid was $4.32 as compared with $4.15 2-3 Saturday and $4.35½ Tuesday of last week.

SHEEP—Estimated receipts of sheep 887, as compared with 280 Saturday and 501 Tuesday of last week. The market was active and firm. Natives, $2.75@5.10; westerns, $4.50@4.95.

Disposition of Stock.

Showing the number of cattle, hogs and sheep sold on this market as reported by the weighmasters of the Stockyards company for March 17:

CATTLE.

Buyers.	No.
Swift & Co.	357
The U. S. Hammond company	61
The Cudahy packing company	120
Omaha packing company	11
Lee Rothschild	250
R. Becker & Degen	41
Nels Morris	240
Shippers and feeders	230

HOGS.

The Cudahy packing company	4,503
Omaha packing company	1,530
Swift & Co.	914
The G. H. Hammond packing company	671
Shippers and feeders	2,369

SHEEP.

Swift & Co.	311
The Cudahy packing company	199
The G. H. Hammond packing company	97
Shippers and feeders	100

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	820	$3 50	19	1102	$4 35	22	1148	$4 60
19	974	3 70	15	1053	4 40	93	1222	4 65
3	960	3 75	21	1193	4 40	5	1112	4 65
1	900	3 75	22	1052	4 40	41	1137	4 65
7	736	3 75	15	1051	4 40	20	1293	4 65
2	1025	4 00	21	1189	4 40	19	1162	4 65
1	1130	4 00	14	1172	4 45	23	1200	4 70
5	886	4 00	16	1155	4 45	17	1194	4 72½
20	914	4 00	17	1052	4 45	5	1228	4 75
4	950	4 10	20	1219	4 50	20	1216	4 75
6	991	4 10	15	1037	4 50	22	1155	4 75
21	983	4 15	22	1129	4 50	39	1306	4 80
18	1093	4 25	17	1124	4 50	16	1266	4 85
2	910	4 25	14	1164	4 55	13	1252	4 85
27	869	4 25	24	1088	4 55	40	1285	4 85
21	1154	4 25	18	1160	4 60	18	1431	5 00
4	1122	4 30	8	1165	4 60	20	1313	4 95
17	1041	4 30	20	1152	4 60	13	1337	5 00
24	1059	4 30	42	1285	4 60	16	1413	5 05
16	1050	4 35	15	1169	4 60	18	1388	5 10
5	1042	4 35	23	1319	4 60			

COWS.

2	840	1 00	1	890	2 50	22	1065	3 00
19	540	1 00	1	950	2 50	18	1005	3 00
9	667	1 50	20	893	2 60	14	847	3 10
1	880	1 50	1	960	2 60	9	1003	3 15
4	945	1 75	10	1041	2 65	15	1056	3 20
13	843	1 75	2	755	2 65	6	1039	3 25
2	785	1 75	6	885	2 70	1	1000	3 25
6	801	1 80	3	996	2 75	3	876	3 25
1	960	2 00	2	950	2 75	1	1240	3 25
1	770	2 00	10	1027	2 75	7	740	3 25
1	861	2 00	2	1135	2 80	20	918	3 30
1	820	2 00	1	1050	2 85	7	1037	3 35
3	1070	2 00	1	1090	2 85	2	1195	3 35
1	1050	2 00	4	1010	2 85	2	855	3 45
1	740	2 10	1	1040	2 90	6	875	3 50
4	943	2 25	16	972	3 00	16	869	3 50
12	915	2 25	1	1130	3 00	3	1016	3 50
1	1140	2 35	6	983	3 00	1	1230	3 50
1	1090	2 35	1	990	3 00	5	1178	3 60
5	812	2 35	5	876	3 00	4	1155	3 70
1	980	2 50	2	885	3 00	1	1130	3 75

COWS AND HEIFERS.

10	827	3 10						

BULLS.

1	510	2 00	2	1285	2 60	1	1580	3 15
1	1220	2 25	2	1605	2 75	1	1800	3 25
1	1030	2 25	2	1410	3 00	3	1113	3 25
1	1490	2 35	3	1283	3 05	1	1500	3 50
5	1152	2 35	1	1460	3 10	1	1400	3 50

CALVES.

1	330	2 10	5	142	3 75	7	152	4 00
1	380	2 75	3	136	4 00	4	125	4 00
1	110	3 00	1	100	4 00	1	150	4 50
1	210	3 00	1	100	4 00			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

9	853	2 40	9	565	2 55	2	830	3 25
11	697	2 50	6	595	2 60	24	1029	3 55
3	560	2 50	22	878	2 60			

HEIFERS.

21	804	3 00	55	974	3 85	1	1330	4 00
46	794	3 40						

STAGS.

1	1400	4 25

MILKERS AND SPRINGERS.

1 cow and calf	$28 00
1 cow and calf	24 00
1 milker	20 00
1 springer	20 00

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
94	194	120	$4 25	57	246	200	$5 55
82	174	40	4 55	65	241	160	5 55
86	194	240	4 50	54	247	80	5 55
80	199	120	4 50	81	260	80	5 55
80	187	160	4 55	66	248	280	5 55
71	183	120	4 55	70	195	—	5 55
66	188	160	4 55	77	214	125	5 55
85	202	240	4 60	55	266	80	5 55
83	198	80	4 60	66	300	—	5 55
79	185	40	4 60	70	213	—	5 55
76	171	80	4 60	69	230	80	5 55
79	185	40	4 60	80	232	—	5 55
105	177	80	4 60	62	268	40	5 55
93	174	40	4 65	77	217	120	5 55
91	214	200	4 65	67	237	40	5 55
66	233	40	4 65	77	240	200	5 55
78	208	360	4 65	67	245	240	5 55
74	188	—	4 65	67	247	160	5 55
74	198	40	4 65	87	257	40	5 57½
80	184	120	4 65	67	273	40	5 57½
80	190	40	4 65	80	192	80	5 60
82	158	—	4 65	62	274	160	5 60
81	168	—	4 65	69	191	120	5 60
72	171	240	4 65	69	241	80	5 60
87	177	200	4 65	65	242	80	5 60
84	184	160	4 65	71	257	160	5 60
105	200	80	4 65	50	282	40	5 60
77	214	40	4 55	72	245	120	5 60
80	231	160	4 50	57	253	—	5 60
80	234	40	4 50	51	248	80	5 60
84	214	200	4 50	61	267	40	5 60
86	212	120	4 50	52	251	—	5 60
104	202	160	4 50	17	198	—	5 60
70	189	40	4 50	51	248	80	5 60
80	226	160	4 50	75	251	80	5 60
80	220	200	4 50	76	249	40	5 60
45	218	80	4 50	60	218	—	5 60
79	243	160	4 50	11	300	80	5 60
74	240	40	4 50	41	243	80	5 60
68	174	—	4 50	56	300	120	5 60
76	211	80	4 50	158	189	160	5 60
76	188	—	4 50	61	253	80	5 62½
51	246	320	4 50	51	281	80	5 65
81	205	—	4 50	54	259	80	5 65
82	194	80	4 50	65	274	40	5 65
167	216	360	4 50	71	224	—	5 65
77	206	240	4 50	77	255	80	5 65
62	216	80	4 50	61	278	40	5 65
82	214	40	4 50	72	253	80	5 65
81	188	240	4 50	56	301	160	5 65
71	205	40	4 50	71	248	40	5 65
71	189	40	4 50	62	269	40	5 65
69	224	40	4 50	70	310	40	5 65
71	201	160	4 50	70	310	40	5 65
85	202	200	4 50	67	278	—	5 70
81	192	80	4 55	60	328	120	5 70

PIGS AND HOGHOLE.

1	140	—	4 50	42	121	—	5 50
120	84	—	4 75	16	134	80	5 60
5	96	—	5 00				

SHEEP.

No.		Av.	Pr.
97	westerns, mixed shorn	95	$4 50
100	westerns, mixed shorn	95	4 50
99	westerns, ewes	99	4 75