OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Heavy Receipts of Cattle Caused Beef Steers to Sell Lower.

HOGS SLOW, BUT ABOUT STEADY

Liberal Run of Sheep and Lambs, but the Demand Was in Good Shape and Prices Held Steady to Strong.

SOUTH OMAHA, Feb. 22, 1904.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	5,594	8,253	12,067
Same day last week	3,431	4,709	13,062
Same week before	2,230	5,798	9,850
Same three weeks ago	1,936	3,524	10,684
Same four weeks ago	2,269	4,990	8,986
Same day last year	4,417	8,758	4,514

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE.

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date, with comparisons with last year:

	1904.	1903.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	113,090	126,208	.....	3,118
Hogs	339,766	348,137	.....	8,371
Sheep	261,585	184,286	80,299	.....

Average prices paid for hogs at South Omaha for the last several days with comparisons:

Date.	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.	1900.	1899.	1898.
Feb. 1	4 72½	*	5 93	5 22	4 67	3 64	3 64
Feb. 2	4 73½	6 58	*	5 25	4 68	3 64	3 63
Feb. 3	4 84½	6 70	5 92	*	4 63	3 69	3 73
Feb. 4	4 81	6 30	5 94	5 21	*	3 59	3 72
Feb. 5	4 76½	6 82	6 11	5 23	4 66	*	3 73
Feb. 6	4 80½	6 76	6 16	5 21	4 70	3 56	*
Feb. 7	*	6 74	6 03	5 28	4 68	3 66	3 75
Feb. 8	4 83½	*	5 98	5 22	4 15	3 66	3 71
Feb. 9	4 89	6 71	*	5 26	4 84	3 70	3 71
Feb. 10	5 01½	6 75	6 00	*	4 80	3 71	3 76
Feb. 11	5 00	6 70	6 01	5 31	*	3 65	3 77
Feb. 12	5 01	6 73	6 04	5 30	4 79	*	3 81
Feb. 13	4 95½	6 80	5 98	5 24	4 82	3 68	*
Feb. 14	*	6 85	5 92	5 30	4 76	3 66	3 82
Feb. 15	4 99	*	5 81	5 22	4 73	3 58	3 79
Feb. 16	5 03	6 72	*	5 27	4 83	3 58	3 89
Feb. 17	5 02	7 03	5 78	*	4 76	3 58	3 84
Feb. 18	5 04½	6 70	5 78	5 22	*	3 52	3 87
Feb. 19	5 12½	6 99	5 84	5 23	4 83	*	3 91
Feb. 20	5 24½	6 98	5 86	5 30	4 78	3 50	*
Feb. 21	*	6 98	5 88	5 32	4 74	3 47	3 93
Feb. 22	5 27½	*	5 95	5 29	4 69	3 58	3 84

*Indicates Sunday.

The official number of cars of stock brought in by each road was:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sh'p.	H'ses.
C. M. & St. P. Ry.	10	15	..	..
Missouri Pacific Ry.	..	..	..	2
U. P. System	30	15	22	..
C. & N. W. Ry.	6	6	..	2
F., E. & M. V. R. R.	7	19	5	1
C., St. P., M. & O.	45	15	1	..
B. & M. Ry.	45	23	17	..
C. B. & Q. Ry.	1	8	..	..
K. C. & St. J.	3	..	..	..
C., R. I. & P. east	9	5	..	..
C., R. I. & P., West	8	..	..	..
Illinois Central	2	5	..	1
Chicago Gt. Western	11	2	..	..
Total receipts	249	113	45	6

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	919	1,153	974
Swift and Company	1,015	1,742	8,693
Cudahy Packing Co.	1,198	1,409	1,534
Armour & Co.	1,393	2,161	5,184
Armour, Sioux City	....	1,348	....
Vansant & Co.	136	....	....
Lobman & Co.	59	....	....
McCreary & Carey	25	....	....
W. I. Stephen	89	....	....
Hill & Son	7	....	....
Hamilton & Rothschild	80	....	....
L. F. Huss	23	....	....
Wolf & Murnan	20	....	....
Sol Degan	78	....	....
J. B. Root & Co.	30	....	....
P. P. Lewis	53	....	....
Mike Haggerty & Co.	83	....	....
Others buyers	417	....	608
Totals	5,566	7,793	11,996

CATTLE—There was a liberal run of cattle here this morning and as packers were rather expecting heavy receipts the remainder of the week they were bearish from the beginning, and as a result trading was slow and the day well advanced before a clearance was made.

There was some little uneveness in the market for corn-fed steers. The same as usual the bulk of the offerings was made up of short-fed stuff of only fair flesh and quality. There were so many of that class that buyers discriminated against them and their bids were fully a dime lower than the close of last week. In some cases salesmen thought there were offered 15c less than the same kinds would have brought on Friday. When it came to good heavy cattle, of which there were very few, buyers were more anxious and not much change in the prices paid was noticeable.

There were a good many cows and heifers on sale this morning, but buyers evidently needed quite a few and they took hold with much more life than they did of the general run of steers. The better grades could safely be quoted steady, while the commoner kinds were sometimes steady and again they were weak to a dime lower. Trading, though, was quite active and the bulk of the butcher stock was disposed of at a reasonably early hour.

Bulls, veal calves and stags all sold in about the same notches they did at the close of last week.

There were only a few bunches of stockers and feeders offered and most of those had been fed some corn. Speculators, though, had very few cattle left over from last week and as a result they wanted some fresh supplies. The market could be quoted active and fully steady on good stuff and other kinds while not so active were steady. Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
7	1260	3 60	7	1050	3 80
14	940	3 60	40	1043	3 90
8	770	3 60	18	1210	4 00
1	800	3 60	23	1157	4 00
7	885	3 60	20	1296	4 00
13	1026	3 60	14	1188	4 05
2	730	3 65	16	1064	4 05
19	1060	3 70	25	1050	4 10
8	1053	3 75	67	1174	4 10
21	1170	3 75	13	1196	4 10
1	1040	3 75	12	1199	4 15
16	1182	3 75	13	1214	4 20
16	1063	3 75	20	1236	4 30
14	957	3 75	26	1348	4 35
14	936	3 75	17	1462	4 60
57	1080	3 80	17	1466	4 60
11	1093	3 80			

STEERS AND HEIFERS.

6	973	3 50	11	1168	3 90
11	1021	3 50	28	1044	4 35
11	1092	3 85			

STEERS AND COWS.

17	988	3 75			

COWS.

1	890	2 00	1	1040	3 25
14	1011	2 15	3	1023	3 25
1	920	2 25	4	1075	3 25
1	1170	2 40	1	1040	3 25
4	965	2 40	11	1131	3 25
1	1070	2 50	3	1233	3 25
21	1064	2 50	14	1141	3 25
12	975	2 75	2	1250	3 25
1	1150	2 80	9	1042	3 25
3	1220	2 80	1	1150	3 25
1	1170	2 80	2	1210	3 25
1	1060	2 85	13	1069	3 25
1	1080	2 85	10	1012	3 25
1	983	2 85	11	1189	3 25
1	1440	2 85	14	1119	3 25
2	1033	2 85	12	970	3 30
1	1350	2 90	2	1294	3 35
2	1250	3 00	3	1053	3 35
1	1060	3 03	1	1210	3 35
10	1009	3 00	1	1080	3 35
13	1093	3 00	1	1230	3 35
26	912	3 00	6	896	3 35
21	1061	3 05	23	1069	3 40
50	844	3 05	7	1190	3 40
15	775	3 15	15	1131	3 40
8	1146	3 15	1	1060	3 40
3	1040	3 15	3	1040	3 40
8	908	3 20	3	1155	3 40
1	950	3 20	11	1070	3 50
1	1110	3 25	7	988	3 55
12	1088	3 25	20	960	3 55
1	1160	3 25	4	912	3 60
7	1108	3 25	21	1029	3 65

COWS AND HEIFERS.

1	921	2 40	23	974	3 25
4	895	2 65	14	1111	3 35
11	945	3 10			

HEIFERS.

6	681	2 40	37	890	3 10
1	850	2 40	20	942	3 20
17	740	2 75	8	828	3 20
23	743	2 75	1	1060	3 25
10	754	2 75	1	750	3 35
36	923	2 80	10	964	3 40
9	753	2 80			

BULLS.

1	1250	2 40	1	1060	3 00
1	1810	2 80	3	1043	3 00
1	1780	2 80	1	1550	3 10
1	1010	3 00	1	1490	3 15
4	1275	3 00	1	1810	3 20
1	1270	3 00	1	1110	3 20
1	1470	3 00	1	1940	3 50

CALVES.

26	481	3 85	1	200	5 50
1	190	5 25	7	215	5 50

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

9	460	3 75	14	871	3 50
4	446	3 00	5	748	3 50
13	686	3 25	10	661	3 50
3	580	3 40	16	770	3 50
3	823	3 40	5	734	3 55
1	840	3 40	7	801	3 60
13	763	3 45	20	880	3 60
5	808	3 50	1	790	3 60
9	845	3 50	35	950	3 60
3	740	3 50	1	890	3 65
5	840	3 50	10	943	3 75
10	618	3 50	18	751	3 75

HOGS—There was a liberal run here this morning for a Monday and as a result packers were inclined to be rather bearish. At the beginning some of the buyers picked up a few of the more desirable loads of heavy hogs at prices that looked a little stronger, some sales being possibly a nickel higher. Aside from those, however, the general run of good weight hogs sold at steady prices as compared with last Saturday, while the light stuff was slow and weak all day. In fact trading was not brisk on any kind as salesmen all wanted stronger prices. The close of the market, though, was not so good, trading being extremely slow and prices weak, particularly on the light weights, some of that class selling 5@10c lower than the close of last week. Lightweights sold largely from $5.30 down. The bulk of the good weight hogs sold from $5.25 to $5.35 and as high as $5.47½ was paid for an extra choice load. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
77	115	....	5 75	59	257	120	5 20
15	112	....	4 60	18	266	....	5 30
80	173	....	5 10	60	229	80	5 30
59	188	80	5 15	74	223	120	5 30
79	165	....	5 12	78	219	....	5 30
78	205	120	5 15	62	241	....	5 30
85	189	....	5 20	76	227	160	5 30
65	193	80	5 20	76	227	40	5 30
81	199	....	5 20	61	231	240	5 30
72	194	....	5 20	69	267	....	5 30
59	204	....	5 20	69	208	....	5 30
72	215	40	5 20	67	243	80	5 30
69	195	....	5 20	75	247	120	5 30
76	181	80	5 20	73	217	....	5 30
72	213	....	5 22½	67	229	....	5 30
80	203	....	5 22½	67	220	80	5 30
93	211	120	5 25	66	206	40	5 30
84	208	160	5 25	75	222	....	5 30
64	215	....	5 25	76	241	....	5 30
77	208	....	5 25	76	220	40	5 30
77	209	80	5 25	68	222	....	5 30
71	222	....	5 25	19	353	....	5 32½
64	241	80	5 25	79	241	160	5 32½
42	235	....	5 25	80	238	80	5 32½
93	210	80	5 25	66	221	40	5 32½
64	213	....	5 25	77	257	160	5 32½
88	210	80	5 25	20	282	....	5 32½
67	208	....	5 25	77	290	....	5 32½
68	204	80	5 27½	67	254	....	5 32½
67	236	....	5 27½	65	259	40	5 32½
65	228	....	5 27½	67	249	....	5 32½
79	228	....	5 27½	68	244	80	5 32½
62	237	120	5 27½	58	279	40	5 35
66	230	80	5 27½	71	243	....	5 35
76	225	80	5 27½	62	296	200	5 35
65	234	80	5 27½	71	238	....	5 35
61	218	40	5 27½	55	281	....	5 40
74	233	40	5 27½	70	253	....	5 40
62	217	40	5 27½	62	291	....	5 40
76	225	80	5 27½	75	273	80	5 42½
71	232	....	5 27½	60	279	160	5 42½
74	251	....	5 30	50	315	....	5 47½

SHEEP—There was a liberal run of sheep here this morning, but the demand was fully equal to the occasion. An active and strong market, with some sales, undoubtedly resulted as much as a dime higher. Trading was very brisk on all desirable grades and such kinds changed hands about as rapidly as offered. The quality was good and some new tops were put on the market. The first clipped stock of the season arrived, ewes selling for $3.75 and wethers for $4.00. There were some well fattened ewes and wethers in from Wheatland, Wyo., that brought $4.25 and $5.25 respectively. Some Mexican yearlings also sold for $5.25. An improvement was also noted in the prices paid for some of the medium grades, which were so badly neglected last week. Medium ewes in particular sold well, some sales of that kind being considerably higher than the same grades brought toward the close of last week.

Quotations for cornfed stock: Good to choice western lambs, $5.50@6.00; fair to good lambs, $5.25@5.50; good to choice Mexican yearlings, $5.00@5.25; good to choice western yearlings, $4.75@5.00; fair to good yearlings, $4.25@4.65; good to choice wethers, $4.15@4.40; fair to good wethers, $3.90@4.15; good to choice ewes, $3.85@4.15; fair to good ewes, $3.60@3.80; choice feeder lambs, $4.25@5.00; fair to good, $3.50@4.00; feeder yearlings, $3.75@4.25; feeder wethers, $3.75@4.00; feeder ewes, $2.50@3.25; culls, $1.75@2.00. Representative sales:

No	Av.	Pr.
97 western ewes	96	2 05
33 western ewes	97	3 75
479 western ewes	109	3 75
210 western yearlings	87	4 90
266 western wethers	97	4 25
6 Mexican wethers	88	4 25
346 western wethers	106	4 35
128 western wethers	107	4 35
60 western wethers	108	4 50
55 western lambs	57	4 75
308 western yearlings and lambs	62	4 85
192 Mexican yearlings	76	5 10
282 Mexican yearlings	79	5 15
269 western lambs	69	5 15
84 Wyoming yearlings	100	5 25
146 Wyoming yearlings	98	5 25
118 Wyoming yearlings	101	5 25
82 Wyoming yearlings	98	5 25
1301 Colorado lambs	83	5 75
99 western ewes	93	2 25
59 western ewes	93	3 00
331 western ewes	95	3 25
375 western ewes	99	3 40
3 western ewes	93	3 40
21 western ewes	107	3 75
207 western ewes	105	3 75
2 western ewes	130	3 75
157 western ewes	91	3 70
197 western ewes and wethers	105	3 70
201 western ewes	115	3 80
86 western ewes	101	3 90
133 western ewes	101	3 90
215 western wethers	130	4 00
192 western wethers	123	4 00
34 western ewes	97	4 00
346 Wyoming ewes	107	4 25
1 Wyoming wethers	107	4 25
188 western wethers	120	4 25
482 western feeder ewes	84	2 85
313 western ewes	63	3 65
130 western ewes	98	3 65
108 western ewes	98	3 85
242 western ewes	110	3 85
170 Mexican ewes	108	4 10
69 western ewes	104	4 25
58 western yearlings	67	4 25
16 Mexican ewes and wethers	103	4 25
55 western ewes and wethers	110	4 40
17 western wethers	107	4 40
60 western wethers and y'rlings	95	4 45
375 western wethers and y'rlings	95	4 45
97 western lambs	63	5 00
68 western yearlings	97	5 00
325 western yearlings	103	5 00
25 Mexican lambs	74	5 25
229 Mexican yearlings	85	5 25
226 Mexican lambs	73	5 25

CHICAGO MARKET FOR LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Steady and Hogs from Ten to Fifteen Cents Higher.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 26,000 head; market steady; good to prime steers, $5.00@6.00; poor to medium, $3.50@4.80; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.15; cows, $1.60@4.00; heifers, $2.00@4.75; canners, $1.75@2.00; bulls, $2.00@4.00; calves, $3.50@7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 45,000 head; estimated tomorrow, 25,000 head; market 10@15c higher; mixed and butchers', $5.15@5.62½; good to choice heavy, $5.55@5.75; rough heavy, $5.25@5.55; light, $4.90@5.35; bulk of sales, $5.30@5.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 30,000 head; sheep steady to strong; lambs steady to weak; good to choice wethers, $4.25@4.60; fair to choice mixed, $3.50@4.25; western sheep, $4.10@5.15; native lambs, $5.50@6.00; western lambs, $5.25@6.15.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—BEEVES—Receipts, 2,955 head; market for steers steady to a shade lower; bulls and fat cows 5@10c lower; medium and common cows steady and all sold; native steers, $4.00@5.20; bulls, $2.75@3.85; cows, $1.70@3.80. Cables quoted live cattle steady at 11@11¾c dressed weight; no exports.

CALVES—Receipts, 648 head; market for veals fully 5c higher; barnyard 25c higher and all sold; veals, $4.50@6.25; little calves, $3.50@4.00; barnyard calves, $3.25@3.75; city dressed veals firm at 8½@13½c; country dressed, 7@12c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 9,739 head; market for good sheep strong; others steady; lambs steady to a fraction higher but slow and 4 cars unsold; sheep, $3.50@4.85; choice, $5.00; lambs, $6.00@6.90; culls, $5.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 12,782 head; market 15@25c higher; Pennsylvania and state hogs at $5.50@5.80.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000 head, including 1,000 southerns; market steady to 10c lower; export and dressed beef steers steady at $4.90@5.25; fair to good 5@10c lower at $3.90@4.50; western fed steers 5@10c lower at $3.40@4.30; stockers and feeders strong at $3.00@4.25; southern steers 5@10c lower at $3.35@3.80; southern cows strong at $2.45@3.15; native cows strong at $1.75@3.75; native heifers strong at $3.25@4.25; bulls strong at $2.50@3.60; calves strong at $2.00@6.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,500 head; market strong to 5c higher; top, $5.55; bulk of sales, $5.20@5.45; heavy, $5.40@5.55; packers, $5.30@5.45; pigs and lights, $5.10@5.22½.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 6,000 head; market strong; native lambs, $5.25@6.00; western lambs, $5.00@5.90; fed ewes, $3.95@4.30; western fed yearlings, $4.00@4.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.00.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,500 head, including 4,000 Texans; market steady to strong; native shipping and export steers, $4.25@5.50, the top for strictly fancy; dressed beef and butcher steers, $4.00@5.25; steers under 1,000 lbs., $3.50@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.00; cows and heifers, $2.25@4.25, with fancy corn fed heifers $4.50; canners, $2.25@2.50; bulls, $2.40@4.00; calves, $2.00@7.00; Texas and Indian steers, $2.75@4.50, the top for fed; cows and heifers, $2.10@3.10.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,500 head; market 5c higher; pigs and lights, $4.90@5.30; packers, $4.95@5.45; butchers and best heavy, $5.15@5.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,500 head; market steady; native muttons, $3.75@4.65; lambs, $4.50@5.85; culls and bucks, $2.00@4.25; stockers, $2.00@3.00.

Stock in Sight.

Following are the receipts for the six principal western cities yesterday.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	5,594	8,253	12,067
Chicago	26,000	45,000	30,000
Kansas City	10,000	6,500	6,000
St. Louis	6,500	6,500	2,500
St. Joseph	2,152	4,880	4,792
Sioux City	1,400	4,000	.....
Totals	51,646	74,133	55,359

Sioux City Live stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Feb. 22.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,400 head; market steady; stockers, 10c higher; beeves, $3.50@4.00; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.50@3.45; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.70; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000 head; market steady, selling at $4.75@5.30; bulk, $5.05@5.15.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Receipts, more liberal; market weaker; fresh stock, 24c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 9c; spring chickens, 9c; roosters, according to age, 5c; turkeys, 13@14c; ducks, 9½; geese, 8c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, 16@17c; ducks, 11@12c; geese, 10c; chickens, 9½@10½c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 13c; choice to fancy dairy rolls, 13@15c; separator, 23c.

FRESH FISH—Trout, 9½@10c; pickerel, 5½@6c; pike, 9c; perch, 6@6½c; bluefish, 15c; whitefish, 8@9c; salmon, 11c; haddock, 10c; codfish, 12c; redsnapper, 11c; lobsters, boiled, per lb., 22c; lobsters, green, per lb., 30c; bullheads, 11c; catfish, 13@14c; black bass, 20c; halibut, 16c; crappies, 12c; herring, 4½c; white bass, 12c; bluefins, 8c; smelts, 10@11c.

OYSTERS—New York Counts, per can, 45c; per gal., $2.00; extra select, per can, 35c; per gal., $1.80; standard, per can, 27c; per gal., $1.50.

BRAN—Per ton, $15.50.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Dealers' association: Choice No. 1 upland, $6.50; choice, $6.00; medium, $5.50; coarse, $5.00; rye straw, $5.00. These prices are for hay of good color and quality. Demand fair and receipts light.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Colorado, $1.10; Dakota, per bu. $1.00; nattyes, 90c.

SWEET POTATOES—Illinois, per bbl., $2.50.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., $2.25.

CELERY—Large California, 60c, 75c and 90c.

ONIONS—Spanish, per crate, $1.90; Colorado yellow and red, per lb., 2½c.

CABBAGE—Wisconsin Holland, 3½c; new California, 3½c.

TURNIPS—Canada rutabagas, per lb., 1½c; white, per bu., 60c.

CARROTS—Per bu., 85c.

PARSNIPS—Per bu., 90c.

BEETS—Per bu., 60c.

CAULIFLOWER—California, per crate, $2.25.

CUCUMBERS—Per doz., $1.25@1.50.

TOMATOES—Florida, per 6-basket crates, $4.50.

RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 25c.

LETTUCE HEADS—Per doz. bunches, 90c @$1.00; per bbl., $7.00; leaf lettuce, per doz. bunches, 45c.

TURNIPS—Southern, per doz., 75c.

BEETS—Southern, per doz., 75c.

CARROTS—Southern, per doz., 75c.

PARSLEY—Southern, per doz., $1.00.

FRUITS.

APPLES—California Bellflowers, per box, $1.65; New York export Greenings, Russets and Baldwins, $3.75.

CRANBERRIES—Jersey, per bbl., $7.00; per box, $2.50; Wisconsin Bell and Pugle, $7.50; Bell and Cherry, $6.50.

GRAPES—Imported Malagas, per keg, $8.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Florida, per qt., 50c.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—Navels, all sizes, choice, $2.00 @2.25; fancy, all sizes, $2.25@2.50.

LEMONS—California, fancy, 300 to 360, $3.50; choice, 300 to 360 sizes, $3.00@3.25.

FIGS—California, per 10-lb. cartons, 85c; imported Smyrna, 3-crown, 14c, 5-crown, 16c; 7-crown, 18c.

BANANAS—Per medium sized bunch, $2.00@2.50; Jumbos, $2.75@3.25.

COCOANUTS—Per sack, $4.00; per doz., 60c.

DATES—Persian, per box of 30 pkgs., $2.00; per lb., in 60-lb. boxes, 5c; Oriental stuffed dates, per box, $2.40.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHEESE—Wisconsin twins, full cream, 12c; Wisconsin Young Americas, 13c; block Swiss, 16c; Wisconsin brick, 13c; Wisconsin limburger, 12c.

HONEY—Nebraska, per 24 frames, $3.00; Utah and Colorado, per 24 frames, $3.

MAPLE SUGAR—Ohio, per lb., 10c.

CIDER—Per bbl., $5.50; per ½ bbl., $3.25.

POPCORN—Per lb., 2½c; shelled, 3@3½c.

HORSERADISH—Per case of 2 doz., packed, 90c.

HIDES—No. 1 green, 5c; No. 2 green, 5c; No. 1 salted, 7c; No. 2 salted, 6c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 8½c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 6½c; dry salted hides, 8@12c; sheep pelts, 25@75c; horse hides, $1.50@2.50.

NUTS—Walnuts, No. 1 soft-shell, per lb., 15c; hard-shell, per lb., 14c; No. 2 soft-shell, per lb., 13c; No. 2 hard-shell, per lb., 12c; Brazils, per lb., 11c; filberts, per lb., 11c; almonds, soft-shell, per lb., 15c; hard-shell, per lb., 13c; pecans, large, per lb., 12c; small, per lb., 10c; peanuts, per lb., 6c; roasted peanuts, per lb., 8c; Chili walnuts, 12@12½c; large hickory nuts, per bu., $1.50; shell barks, per bu., $2.00; black walnuts, per bu., $1.25.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Closing:

Consols, money	86 15-16	N. Y. Central	117
do account	86 5-16	Norfolk & W.	67½
Anaconda	2½	do pfd	85
Atchison	77½	Ontario & W.	30½
do pfd	97½	Pennsylvania	58½
Baltimore & O.	77½	Rand Mines	8½
Canadian Pacific	128½	Reading	21
Ches. & Ohio	30½	do 1st pfd	40½
Chicago Gt. West	15½	do 2d pfd	28½
C., M. & St. P.	142½	So. Railway	19½
Delaware & H.	165	do pfd	53
D. & R. G.	19½	So. Pacific	45½
do pfd	68½	Union Pacific	78½
Erie	34½	do pfd	90½
do 1st pfd	64	U. S. Steel	11¼
do 2d pfd	40½	do pfd	57¼
Illinois Central	138½	Wabash	18
Louis. & Nash.	104½	do pfd	35
M., K. & T.	15¾		

SILVER—Bar, steady, 27¼d per ounce.

MONEY—@3¼ per cent; the rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3¾@3 7-16 per cent; for three months' bills, 3¾@3 7-16 per cent.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Feb. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,152 head; market steady; natives, $3.75@5.35; cows and heifers, $2.00@4.40; stockers and feeders, $2.85@4.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,880 head; market 5@10c higher; light, $5.20@5.40; medium and heavy, $5.37½@5.55.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,792 head; market active to steady to 5c higher; lambs, $6.00; yearlings, $5.25; ewes, $4.06.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 22.—WHEAT—Spot, nominal; futures nervous; March, nominal; May, 6s 9½d; July, 6s 9½d.

CORN—Spot, American mixed, new, firm at 4s 3¾d; American mixed, old, steady at 4s 6¾d. Futures irregular; March, 4s 4¾d; May, 4s 3½d.

Holiday on the Cotton exchange.

Whisky Market.

PEORIA, Feb. 22.—WHISKY—On basis of $1.27 for finished goods.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 22.—WHISKY—Steady at $1.31½.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—WHISKY—Steady, on basis of $1.27.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 22.—WHISKY—Quiet, on basis of $1.27 for finished goods.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., Feb. 22.—BUTTER—Market ruled firm on the Board of Trade today at 26c a pound. Sales in the district for the week were 247,000 pounds.

SAYS THE FLIES ARE AT WAR

Insane Man at White House Arrested and Revolver is Found Upon Him.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Edward Relgar, who gave his address as 271 South Clark street, Chicago, was arrested at the White House today and locked up pending an inquiry into his mental condition. Relgar evidently is of unbalanced mind. He has written many letters to the president suggesting that people be named in connection with their occupations. Thus, he maintains, a dealer in wood should be named Wood, a carpenter should be named Carpenter, and so on throughout the list of names. He says that the present scheme of naming people has caused a war among the flies which may be ended only by the adoption of his suggestion.

For many weeks the secret service officers have been on the lookout for him and when he appeared today he was promptly placed in custody. Relgar desired to see the president to ascertain why his letters had not been answered. When he was searched a loaded revolver and a box of cartridges were found in his pockets. The officers had no difficulty in getting him away from the White House. He was then taken to police headquarters, where he was turned over to the authorities. Relgar says he is a miner and railroad man. He arrived here Saturday night.

An examination of his effects disclosed copies of several letters he had written to the president and some documents indicating that he was interested in patent devices.