# GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Small Holders Are Sellers Early in the Session.

REACTION COMES AND LOSS IS SMALL

**Corn Firm, with Trade Light—Complaint of Condition of Grain in Country Elevators—Oats Close Unchanged.**

OMAHA, Jan. 20, 1906.

Following the lead of large bulls yesterday small holders were selling in large numbers today. The selling was overdone, and good buying developed around 87c for May. Indications for a cold wave were a bullish factor, because of the unprotected condition of the crop. The market showed a small loss for the day, May closed at 87¼@87⅜c. July at 84⅞c, and September at 83⅜c.

Corn was firm, with light trade, the effect of wet weather on general sentiment was noticeable. Clearances were large. Few country sales were reported, and from some places came complaint of condition of corn in the elevators. May closed at 54¼c. July at 45⅝, and September at 45⅞c.

Oats were firm and practically unchanged. The export demand was better, and the seaboard was a good buyer today. May finished at 32⅛c, July at 30⅝@30⅜c, and September at 29⅛c.

Liverpool closed ¼@½d lower on wheat and unchanged on corn.

Broomhall estimates world's wheat shipments for Monday at 8,800,000 bushels.

The seaboard yesterday sold 320,000 bushels Manitoba wheat, of which 40,000 bushels were to France. Export sales of corn were 144,000 bushels, of oats 100,000 bushels and of barley 50,000 bushels.

Australian wheat shipments were 1,584,000 bushels, against 652,000 bushels the previous week and 1,032,000 bushels last year.

Carlot receipts were 619,000 bushels and shipments 199,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 672,000 bushels and shipments of 219,000 bushels. Corn receipts were 547,000 bushels and shipments 492,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 630,000 bushels and shipments of 246,000 bushels. Clearances were 886,000 bushels of corn, 16,000 bushels of oats, 262,000 bushels of wheat and 30,000 bushels of flour.

From the Record-Herald: "Some of the export sales of oats yesterday from Chicago direct to Germany were at the highest prices on the crop. Offerings of cash oats were limited. This somewhat curtailed the demand. Export bids on oats are now higher than the domestic. Shippers are expecting a good domestic shipping demand soon, as the eastern distributive stocks are now greatly reduced. The demand here and at the seaboard for barley for export was brisk, and available supplies are light. Two New York exporters were here looking over the field in person.

**Omaha Cash Sales.**

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 1 car, 80c; No. 3 hard, 1 car, 76c; No. 4 hard, 1 car, 76c; no grade, 1 car, 71c.

CORN—No. 4, 2 cars, 37c; 1 car, 36¼c; no grade, 2 cars, 36¼c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 1 car, 29½c; No. 4 white, 1 car, 28¾c.

**Omaha Cash Prices.**

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 78@80½c; No. 3 hard, 75@77½c; No. 4 hard, 73@75½c; No. 2 spring, 75½@77c; No. 3 spring, 73@75½c.

CORN—No. 2, 38@38½c; No. 4, 36¼@37¼c; no grade, 33@36c; No. 3 yellow, 38½@38¾c; No. 3 white, 39@39½c.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 28½@29c; No. 3 white, 29½@29¾c; No. 4 white, 28¾@29c.

RYE—No. 2, 62c; No. 3, 60½c.

**Carlot Receipts.**

| | Wheat. | Corn. | Oats. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 19 | 270 | 160 |
| Kansas City | 72 | 57 | 29 |
| Minneapolis | 355 | ... | ... |
| Omaha | 15 | 90 | 25 |
| Duluth | 80 | ... | ... |
| St. Louis | 52 | 116 | 93 |

**CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS**

**Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade.**

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Heavy shipments of wheat from Australia had a depressing effect today on the local wheat market. Covering by shorts, however, caused a steady tone at the close, final quotations on May being off only ⅛c. Corn was down ⅛c. Oats were practically unchanged. Provisions were 2½@7½c higher.

At the opening sentiment in the wheat pit was overwhelmingly bearish. There was much liquidation by discouraged holders and lower cables, heavy shipments from Australia and liberal shipments in the northwest all inspired selling. The shipments from Australia for the week were 1,584,000 bushels, compared with 1,252,000 for the corresponding time one year ago. Initial quotations on May were off ¼@⅜c to ½@⅝c at 86⅞@87¼c. Further decline was prevented by covering by shorts and by purchasing by some of the larger commission houses. This buying caused a slight recovery in prices before the end of the first hour. For the remainder of the session the market held steady. Trading in the July option showed increased activity, buying being induced by spring-like weather in the southwest, many purchasers acting on the theory that a quick drop in temperature would cause heavy damage to the unprotected crops of fall sown wheat. The market closed steady, with May at 87¼@87⅜c, the highest point of the day. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 397,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 691,000 bushels, compared with 672,000 one year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 454 cars, against 439 last week and 441 a year ago.

Trading in the corn pit was very quiet, but the market was firm because of wet weather throughout the middle west. At the start local traders were inclined to sell because of the break in wheat. Their offerings, however, were eagerly taken by commissioners. The market closed steady. May opened unchanged at 45⅛c, sold up to 45⅜c and closed at 45¼c. Local receipts were 270 cars, with 24 of contract grade.

The oats market was steady on a fair general demand by commission houses. Much of the buying was for the account of outside traders. A continued good export demand was reported. May opened a shade lower at 32c, sold between 31⅞c and 32¼c and at 32⅛c. Local receipts were 160 cars.

Small receipts in live hogs caused a moderately firm provisions market. Heavy shipments of meat and lard lent firmness to prices. At the close May pork was up 5@7½c at $14.22½. Lard was up 2½c at $7.70. Ribs were 5c higher at $7.65.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 32 cars; corn, 365 cars; oats, 235 cars; hogs, 36,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

| Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Wheat— | | | | | |
| May | 86⅞-7¼ | 87¼@⅜ | 86⅞ | 87¼@⅜ | 87⅜@½ |
| July | 84½@⅝ | 84⅞ | 84⅜ | 84⅞ | 84⅞ |
| *Corn— | | | | | |
| Jan. | 41½ | 41½ | 41½ | 41½ | 41⅝ |
| May | 45⅛ | 45⅜ | 45⅛ | 45¼ | 45⅜ |
| July | 45½ | 45⅝@¾ | 45½ | 45⅝ | 45⅝ |
| *Oats— | | | | | |
| Jan. | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31¼ |
| May | 32 | 32¼ | 31⅞ | 32⅛@32 | 32⅛@¼ |
| July | 30⅝@⅜ | 30⅝ | 30⅜ | 30⅝@⅜ | 30⅝@⅜ |
| Pork— | | | | | |
| Jan. | 13 85 | 13 87½ | 13 85 | 13 87½ | 13 80 |
| May | 14 20 | 14 22½ | 14 17½ | 14 22½ | 14 17½ |
| Lard— | | | | | |
| Jan. | 7 50 | 7 55 | 7 50 | 7 55 | 7 50 |
| May | 7 67½ | 7 70 | 7 67½ | 7 70 | 7 67½ |
| July | 7 77½ | 7 82½ | 7 77½ | 7 82½ | 7 80 |
| Ribs— | | | | | |
| Jan. | | | | 7 52½ | 7 47½ |
| May | 7 62½ | 7 65 | 7 62½ | 7 65 | 7 60 |
| July | 7 72½ | 7 75 | 7 72½ | 7 75 | 7 72½ |

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Dull; winter patents, $3.80@4.10; winter straights, $3.60@3.85; spring patents, $3.80@4.00; spring straights, $3.60@3.75; bakers, $2.20@2.10.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 84@86½c; No. 3 spring, 82@85½c; No. 2 red, 86¾@87¾c.

CORN—No. 2, 42¾c; No. 2 yellow, 42¾c.

OATS—No. 2, 31c; No. 2 white, 32¼@32¾c; No. 3 white, 31¼@32c.

RYE—No. 2, 65½c.

BARLEY—Good feeding, 35@38½c; fair to choice malting, 42@50c.

SEEDS—No. 1 flax, $1.08; No. 1 northwestern, $1.14½; clover, contract grade, $12.25.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $13.85@$13.87½. Lard, per 100 lbs., $7.52½. Short ribs sides (loose), $7.27½@7.52½. Short clear sides (boxed), $7.60@7.70.

Following were the receipts and shipments of flour and grain:

| | Receipts. | Shipments. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, bbls. | 26,500 | 13,300 |
| Wheat, bu. | 27,000 | 22,400 |
| Corn, bu. | 280,900 | 284,700 |
| Oats, bu. | 201,800 | 216,200 |
| Rye, bu. | 4,000 | ...... |
| Barley, bu. | 81,700 | 52,200 |

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 18@27c; dairies, 18@24c. Eggs, weaker; at mark, cases included, 16@17½c; firsts, 17½c; prime firsts, 18½c; extras, 20½c. Cheese, firm, 11¾@13c.

**Liverpool Grain Market.**

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—Spot steady; No. 2 red, western winter, 6s 7d; futures dull; January, nominal; March, 7s; May, 6s 10d.

CORN—Spot, American mixed, new, easy at 4s 3¾d; American mixed, old, quiet at 4s 8¼d; futures quiet; January, 4s 2¾d; March, 4s 3d; May, 4s 3⅝d.

**OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.**

**Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.**

EGGS—Fresh receipts, candled stock, 15c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 9½c; old roosters, 4c; turkeys, 14@15c; ducks, 9c; young roosters, 8@9c; geese, 8@9c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, 16@18c; old toms, 14@15c; chickens, 10@11c; old roosters, 7c; ducks, 11@12c; geese, 10@11c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 16½c; choice to fancy dairy, 18@19c; creamery, 21@21½c; prints, 21½c.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Feed company: No. 1 upland, $7.00@7.50; medium, $6.50@7.00; coarse, $6.00@6.50. Rye straw, $6.50.

BRAN—Per ton, $15.50.

HIDES, PELTS AND TALLOW—No. 1 green hides, 10c; No. 2, 9c; No. 1 salted, 12¼c; No. 2, 11¼c; green bull hides, 8@9c; cured, 9@10c; dry hides, 16@20c. Horse hides: Large, $3.25; small, $1.25. Sheep pelts, each, 25c@$1.75. Tallow: No. 1, 4¾c; No. 2, 3¾c; rough, 1½c.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

DATES—Per box of 30 1-lb. pkgs., $2; Hallowe'en, in 70-lb. boxes, per lb., 5½c; Sayers, per lb., 5c; walnut-stuffed, 1-lb. pkgs., $2 per doz., 5-lb. boxes, $1.

ORANGES—California navels, all sizes, $2.75; choice navels, $2.50.

LEMONS—Limoniera, extra fancy, 240 size, $3.25; 300 to 360 sizes, $3.50.

FIGS—California, per 10-lb. carton, 75@85c; imported Smyrna, three-crown, 12c; six-crown, 14c.

BANANAS—Per medium-sized bunch, $1.75@2.25; Jumbos, $2.50@3.00.

TANGERINES—Florida, per box of about 125, $3.

GRAPE FRUIT—Florida, per box, $7.50; California, per box, $6.00@7.00.

FRUITS.

PEARS—Lawrence and Mount Vernon, $2.50.

APPLES—California Bellflowers, $1.40 per bu. box; Ben Davis, $1.75 per bu. box; Winesaps, $2.00 per bu. box; other varieties, $2.00 per bu.; New York apples, $4.75 per bbl.

CRANBERRIES—Jersey, $16.50 per bbl.

GRAPES—Imported Malagas, $5.50@6.00.

OLD VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Home-grown, per bu., 60@65c; South Dakota, per bu., 75c.

ONIONS—Home-grown, yellow and red, per bu., 85c; Spanish, per crate, $1.50; Colorado, red and yellow, per bu., $1.00.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., $2.00.

LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 5½c.

CABBAGE—Home-grown and Wisconsin, in crates, per lb., 2c.

CARROTS, PARSNIPS AND TURNIPS—Per bu., 65@75c.

CELERY—Kalamazoo, per doz. 25c.

SWEET POTATOES — Kansas, per 3-bu. bbl., $1.90.

NEW VEGETABLES.

TOMATOES—California, per crate of 20 lbs., $2.50.

WAX BEANS—Per hamper of about 30 lbs. net, $3.50.

STRING BEANS—Per hamper of about 30 lbs. net, $3.00@4.00.

EGG PLANT—Florida, per doz., $1.25@1.50.

GREEN PEPPERS—Florida, per hamper of about 10 doz., $3.50.

TURNIPS—Louisiana, doz. bunches, 75c.

SHALLOTTS—Louisiana, per doz. bunches, 50c.

HEAD LETTUCE—Louisiana, per bbl., $8.00@10.00; per doz. heads, $1.00.

LEAF LETTUCE—Hothouse, per box of 12 to 15 heads, 65c.

CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, per doz., $2.00.

RADISHES—Hothouse, per doz. bunches, 50c.

MUSHROOMS—Hothouse, per lb., 50c.

BEEF CUTS.

No. 1 rib, 13c; No. 2 rib, 10½c; No. 3 rib, 7½c; No. 1 round, 7½c; No. 2 round, 6½c; No. 3 round, 6c; No. 1 loin, 16½c; No. 2 loin, 12c; No. 3 loin, 9c; No. 1 plate, 4½c; No. 2 plate, 4c; No. 3 plate, 3c; No. 1 chucks, 5½c; No. 2 chucks, 4½c; No. 3 chucks, 3½c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CIDER—Per keg, $3.75; per bbl., $6.75.

HONEY—New, per 24 lbs., $2.50.

CHEESE—Swiss, new, 15c; Wisconsin brick, 15c; Wisconsin limberger, 13½c; twins, 15c; young Americas, 15½c.

NUTS—Walnuts, No. 1 soft shells, new crop, per lb., 15½c; hard shells, per lb., 13½c. Pecans, large, per lb., 14c; small, per lb., 12c. Peanuts, per lb., 7c; roasted, per lb., 8c. Chili walnuts, per lb., 12@13½c. Almonds, soft shells, per lb., 17c; hard shells, per lb., 15c. Shellbark hickory nuts, per bu., $2.25; large hickory nuts, per bu., $1.50. Chestnuts, per lb., 15c. Cocoanuts, $4.50 per sack of 100.

FRESH FISH—Trout, 11c; halibut, 10c; pickerel, dressed, 7c; white bass, 11c; sunfish, 6@8c; perch, skinned and dressed, 8c; pike, 10c; red snapper, 11c, salmon, 11c; crappies, 6@8c; eels, 18c; black bass, 22c; whitefish, 12c; frog legs, per doz., 55c; lobsters, green, 35c; boiled lobsters, 37c; bluefish, 15c; herring, 4c; Spanish mackerel, 16c; haddock, 10c; shrimp, $1.00@1.50 per gal.; smelts, 12c; cod, 12c; fresh standard oysters, $1.40 per gal.; shell oysters, $1.00@2.00 per 100; little neck clams, $1.50 per 100.

SUGARS—Granulated cane, in bbls., $5.06; granulated cane, in sacks, $5.01; granulated beet, in sacks, $4.91.

SYRUP—In barrels, 24c per gal.; cases, 6 10-lb. cans, $1.60; cases, 12 5-lb. cans, $1.85; cases, 24 2½-lb. cans, $1.80.

COFFEE—Roasted: No. 25, 25½c per lb.; No. 20, 20½c per lb.; No. 25, 18½c per lb.; No. 20, 15½c per lb.; No. 215, 12½c per lb.

FLOUR (wholesale)—Best high grade Nebraska, per cwt., $2.10; best high grade patent Minnesota, per cwt., $2.40; straight patent Nebraska, per cwt., $2.00; second patent Nebraska, $1.90.

CURED FISH—Family whitefish, per ½ bbl., 100 lbs., $4.50; Norway mackerel, per bbl., 200 lbs.: Bloaters, $40.00; No. 1, $28.00; No. 2, $26.00; No. 3, $20.00; Irish No. 2, $17.00. Herring, in bbls., 200 lbs. each: Norway, 4k, $12.00; Norway, 3k, $12.00; Holland, mixed, $11.50. Holland herring, in kegs: Milkers, 80c; kegs, mixed, 70c.

BROOMS — No. 1 carpet, $3.25; No. 2 carpet, $2.40; No. 3 plain, $3.25.

CANNED GOODS—Corn, standard western, 55@60c; Maine, $1.25; tomatoes, 3-lb. cans, $1.25@1.50; 2-lb., 97½c@$1.00; pineapples, grated, 2-lb., $2.05@2.30; sliced, $1.85@2.20; gallon apples, fancy, $3.15; California apricots, $1.40@2.00; pears, $1.75@2.50; peaches, fancy, $1.75@2.40; H. C. peaches, $2.00@2.50; Alaska salmon, red, $1.15; pink, 90c; fancy Chinook, F., $2.10; fancy sockeye, F., $1.95; sardines, ¼-oil, $2.50; ¾-mustards, $5.50@3.10; sweet potatoes, $1.15@1.25; sauerkraut, $1.00; pumpkins, 80c@$1.00; wax beans, 2-lb., 75@90c; Lima beans, 2-lb., 75@90c@$1.35; spinach, $1.35@2.60; cheap peas, 2-lb., 80c; extra, 75@90c; fancy, $1.35@1.75.

EVAPORATED FRUITS — Fancy Muir peaches, 12½c; choice Muir peaches, 11¾c; fancy yellow, 12½c; 50-60 prunes, 7¾c; 60-70, 7¼c; fancy New York ring apples, 11¼c; choice, 10½c; fancy 4-crown loose muscatel raisins, 7½c; 3-crown, 7c; 2-crown, 5½c; fancy seeded raisins in 1-lb. cartons, 7c; choice seeded, in 12-oz. cartons, 7¼c; eastern pitted cherries, 17c; New York evaporated black raspberries, 35c; fancy pears, 18c; choice, 15c; fancy nectarines, 8c; fancy apricots, 11½c; choice royal, 10¼c; hallowe'en dates, 5½c; glace citron, 17c; candied, 16c; lemon, 14½c; orange, 14½c.

**Kansas City Grain and Provisions.**

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—Steady; May, 79½c; July, 77c; September, 75½c; cash No. 2 hard, 81@82c; No. 3, 71½@79½c; No. 2 red, 82@83½c; No. 3, 80@81c.

CORN—Steady; May, 40½c; July, 40⅝c. Cash: No. 2 mixed, 40c; No. 2 white, 41⅛c; No. 3, 39¾c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 32@32¼c.

HAY—Steady; choice timothy, $11.00@11.50; choice prairie, $8.50@8.75.

RYE—Steady at 62@63c.

EGGS—Steady; Missouri and Kansas, new No. 2 whitewood cases included, 17c per dozen; case count, 16c per dozen; cases returned, ½c less.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 25c.

| | Receipts. | Shipments. |
|---|---|---|
| Wheat, bu. | 60,000 | 55,000 |
| Corn, bu. | 49,000 | 21,000 |
| Oats, bu. | 19,000 | 13,000 |

The leading futures at Kansas City, as reported by the Von Dorn Grain company, ranged as follows:

| Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | | |
| May | 79⅜@¼ | 79⅝ | 79⅜ | 79⅝ | 79⅝@⅞ |
| July | 77 | 77 | 76⅞ | 77 | 77⅛@⅜ |
| Corn— | | | | | |
| May | 40½ | 40⅝ | 40½ | 40½ | 40⅝ |
| July | 40⅝ | 40⅞ | 40⅝ | 40⅞ | 40⅞@41 |
| Oats— | | | | | |
| May | 30⅞ | 31 | 30⅞ | 31 | 31 |
| July | 29⅝ | 29⅝ | 29⅝ | 29⅝ | 29⅝ |
| Pork— | | | | | |
| May | 14 10 | 14 12 | 14 07 | 14 12 | 14 10 |
| Jan. | 13 75 | | | 13 75 | 13 70 |
| Lard— | | | | | |
| Jan. | 7 45 | 7 47 | 7 45 | 7 47 | 7 45 |
| May | 7 60 | 7 65 | 7 60 | 7 65 | 7 60 |

**St. Louis General Market.**

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—Futures weak; cash firm; No. 2 red, cash elevator, 91@92c; track, 94½@95¼c; May, 85⅝c; July, 82⅝@82½c; No. 2 hard, 83@86½c.

CORN—Firm; No. 2 cash, 42c; track, 42½@43c; May, 43⅛@43⅜c; July 43⅝c.

OATS—Futures steady, cash, weak; No. 2 cash, 31c; track, 31½c; May, 31⅝c; No. 2 white, 32½@33c.

FLOUR — Steady; red winter patents, $4.30@4.50; extra fancy and straight, $3.90@4.25; clear, $2.90@3.25.

SEED—Timothy, steady, $2.50@2.80.

CORNMEAL—Dull; $2.20.

BRAN—Firm; sacked east track, 84@88c.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $8.00@14.50; prairie, $9.00@11.00.

IRON COTTON TIES—89c.

BAGGING—9⅝c.

HEMP TWINE—7½c.

PROVISIONS — Pork, higher; jobbing, $14.00. Lard, higher, $7.37½. Dry salt meats, steady; boxed, extra shorts, $7.87½; clear ribs, $8.12½; short clears, $8.37½. Bacon, steady; boxed, extra shorts, $8.62½; clear ribs, $8.87½; short clears, $9.12½.

POULTRY — Dull; chicken, 9@9½c; springs, 11c; turkeys, 15c; ducks, 11c; geese, 7½c.

BUTTER—Firm, creamery, 22@28c; dairy, 18@21c.

EGGS—Lower, 16c case count.

| | Receipts. | Shipments. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, bbls. | 8,000 | 12,000 |
| Wheat, bu. | 52,000 | 48,000 |
| Corn, bu. | 116,000 | 112,000 |
| Oats, bu. | 93,000 | 78,000 |

**NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET**

**Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—FLOUR—Receipts, 17,219 bbls.; exports, 8,187 bbls.; market dull, steady; Minnesota patents, $4.90@5.00; Minnesota bakers, $3.60@3.90; winter patents, $4.10@4.50; winter straights, $3.90@4.00; winter extras, $2.85@3.25; winter low grades, $2.75@3.20. Rye flour, quiet; fair to good, $3.70@4.00; choice to fancy, $4.05@4.35. Buckwheat flour, dull, $2.10@2.15, spot and to arrive.

BUCKWHEAT—Steady, 62½c, delivered New York.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, $1.20; coarse, $1.08@1.10; kiln dried, $2.85@2.95.

RYE—Nominal; No. 2 western, 73c, f. o. b. New York.

BARLEY—Steady; feeding, 42c, c. i. f. Buffalo; malting, 45@52c, c. i. f. Buffalo.

WHEAT—Receipts, 25,000 bu.; exports, 59,321 bu. Spot market barely steady; No. 2 red, 90c, elevator; No. 2 red, 91½c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 96½c, f. o. b. afloat. Further weakness was developed in wheat at the opening today, reflecting bearish cables, liquidation and large Australian shipments, but the market finally rallied, closed slightly higher. May, 91⅛@91¼c.

CORN—Receipts, 135,250 bu.; exports, 19,288 bu. Spot market easy; No. 2, 54c, new elevator and 51¼c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 51½c; No. 2 white, 51⅝c. Option market was without transactions, closing net unchanged. January closed at 56c; May closed at 51¼c; July closed at 51⅛c.

OATS—Receipts, 40,500 bu.; exports, 1,145 bu. Spot market steady; mixed, 26 to 32 lbs., 36½@37c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 37½@38c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 40@42¼c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, $5.00@5.50; good to choice, $8.50.

HOPS—Firm; state, common to choice, 1905, 10@19c; 1904, 10@14c; olds, 5@8c. Pacific coast, 1905, 10@14c; 1904, 9@12c; olds, 5@8c.

HIDES—Firm; Galveston, 20 to 25 pounds, 20c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 21c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 lbs., 19c.

LEATHER—Firm; acid, 26½@27½c.

PROVISIONS — Beef, steady; family, $11.50@12.00; mess, $9.00@10.00; beef hams, $20.00@21.50; packet, $10.50@11.00; city, extra India mess, $18.50@19.00. Cut meats, quiet; pickled bellies, $8.25@9.00; pickled shoulders, $6.50@7.00; pickled hams, $9.25@9.75. Lard, steady; western steamed, $7.85@7.90; refined, steady; continent, $8.04; compound, $6.12½@6.37½. Pork, steady; family, $16; short clear, $15.00@17.00; mess, $14.75@15.00.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 5⅛c; country, 5@5¼c.

RICE—Firm; domestic fair, 3½@6c; Japan, nominal.

FEED—Firm; spring bran, $16.85, January shipment; middlings, $19.85, January shipment, city, $20.00@23.50.

BUTTER—Slightly easier; western imitation creamery extras, 21c.

CHEESE—Firm; state full cream, small and large, colored and white, September, fancy, 14½c; state, October, best, 13½@13¾c; state, late made, small, colored and white, average best 12¾c; state large, 12½c; state, fair, 11¼@12c.

EGGS—Easy; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 26@27c; state choice, 24@25c; state mixed, extra, 21@22c; western firsts, 20c; western seconds, 18½@19c.

POULTRY—Live quiet; western chickens, 12c; fowls and turkeys, 14c. Dressed, irregular; western chickens, 10@17c; turkeys, 12@20c; fowls, 10@14c.

**Minneapolis Grain Market.**

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 20.—FLOUR—Firm; first patents, $4.40@4.50; second patents, $4.30@4.40; first clears, $3.50@3.60; second clears, $2.45@2.55.

BRAN—In bulk, $14.50@14.75.

(Superior quotations for Minneapolis delivery). The range of prices, as reported by F. D. Day & Co., 110-111 Board of Trade building, was:

| Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | | |
| May | 84⅜@⅝ | 84⅞ | 84⅜ | 84⅞ | 85⅛ |
| July | 86@86⅛ | 86⅛ | 86 | 86⅛ | 86½ |
| Flax— | | | | | |
| May | 1 18½ | 1 18½ | 1 15 | 1 18 | 1 19 |
| July | 1 19¼ | 1 19¼ | 1 16½ | 1 18⅝ | |
| Sept. | 1 15⅜ | 1 17½ | 1 15⅜ | 1 17½ | 1 18 |

Minneapolis Cash Close—Wheat: No. 1 hard, 82⅞c; No. 1 northern, 82⅜c; to arrive, 82⅜c; No. 2 northern, 80¼c; to arrive, 80¼c; No. 3, 77¼@78¾c; No. 1 durum, 73c; No. 2 durum, 69c. Corn: No. 3 yellow, 37⅝c; No. 3, 37c. Oats: No. 3 white, 29¼c; No. 3, 27½@28¼c. Barley: 37@47c. Rye: 62@63½c. Flax: $1.12.

**Peoria Market.**

PEORIA, Jan. 20.—CORN—Steady; No. 3 yellow, 42c; No. 3, 42c; No. 4, 41c; no grade, 35@37c.

OATS—Easy; No. 2 white, 31¾c; No. 3 white, 31¼c; No. 4 white, 30½c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2, 69c.

WHISKY—On the basis of $1.29 for finished goods.

**Milwaukee Grain Market.**

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—Market steady; No. 1 northern, 85½@86c; No. 2 northern, 84@84½c; May, 87¼c, bid.

RYE—Strong; No. 1, 69½c.

BARLEY—Steady; No. 2, 54½@55c; sample, 38½@54½c.

CORN—Unsteady; May, 45¼c, asked.

**Philadelphia Produce Market.**

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 20.—BUTTER—Firm; extra western creamery, 28c.

EGGS—Steady; western fresh, 20c, at mark.

CHEESE—Firm; New York full creams, fancy, 13½@14½c.

**Duluth Grain Market.**

DULUTH, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—To arrive: No. 1 northern, 82⅜c; No. 2 northern, 80⅝c. On Track: No. 1 northern, 82⅜c; No. 2 northern, 80⅝c; May, 85c; July, 86c.

OATS—To arrive and on track, 29⅝c.

**Wool Market.**

LONDON, Jan. 20.—WOOL—The offerings at the wool sales today amounted to 12,724 bales; a large supply of good fine merinos was in active request at full rates. A few lots of medium and good Victorian greasy combing were taken for America. South Australian interior, steadier. Cross breeds were in spirited demand chiefly for home and German buyers. Cape of Good Hope and Natal sold freely. The withdrawals to date amounted to 2,600 bales. following are sales in detail: New South Wales, 4,000 bales; scoured, 1s@1s 11d; greasy, 6d@1s 1½d. Queensland, 2,100 bales; scoured, 1s 4d@2s 1½d; greasy, 7d@1s 1d. Victoria, 2,500 bales; scoured, 1s 1d@1s 1½d; greasy, 6½d@1s 6d. South Australia, 700 bales; scoured, 1s 4½d@1s 5d; greasy, 4¾d@11½d. New Zealand, 2,700 bales; scoured, 1s@1s 7d; greasy, 7d@1s 2½d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 500 bales; greasy, 6½d@11d. River Plata, 100 bales, scoured, 1s ½d@1s 4d. The arrivals of wool for the second series amount to 24,140 bales, including 20,000 bales forwarded direct to spinners. The imports this week were: New South Wales, 3,211 bales; Queensland, 787 bales; Victoria, 4,968 bales; South Australia, 2,847 bales; New Zealand, 4,887 bales; Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 119 bales; elsewhere, 619 bales.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—WOOL—Steady; medium grades, combing and clothing, 26@30c; light fine, 21@26c; heavy fine, 19@21c; tub washed, 23@41½c.

**London Closing Stocks.**

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Closing quotations on the Stock exchange were as follows:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Consols, money | 89 13-16 | N. Y. Central | 159⅝ |
| do account | 89 13-16 | Norfolk & W. | 91 |
| Anaconda | 14⅝ | do pfd | 96 |
| Atchison | 98⅝ | Ontario & W. | 56⅝ |
| do pfd | 107 | Pennsylvania | 74⅝ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 119⅛ | Rand Mines | 7⅞ |
| Canadian Pacific | 181⅝ | Reading | 80 |
| Ches. & Ohio | 62⅝ | do 1st pfd | 49 |
| Chicago Gt. W. | 22⅝ | do 2d pfd | 50 |
| C., M. & St. P. | 191 | Southern Railway | 40⅝ |
| DeBeers | 18⅝ | do pfd | 105 |
| Denver & R. G. | 47⅛ | Southern Pacific | 71⅜ |
| do pfd | 92⅛ | Union Pacific | 162⅜ |
| Erie | 51⅝ | do pfd | 101 |
| do 1st pfd | 84⅝ | U. S. Steel | 47⅛ |
| do 2d pfd | 78 | do pfd | 114⅝ |
| Illinois Central | 184 | Wabash | 24⅝ |
| Louisville & Nash. | 160 | do pfd | 48⅝ |
| M., K. & T. | 41⅛ | | |

SILVER—Bar, steady, 30⅛d per ounce.

MONEY—3½@4 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅞ per cent; for three months' bills, 3⅞@3⅞ per cent.

**Foreign Financial.**

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Supplies of money were scarcer and in much request today. Discounts were fairly steady. It was difficult to maintain rates in view of the continental demand for bills. Trading on the Stock exchange was quiet and a fairly good tendency prevailed. Consols were steady and home rails, as a rule, were lower. Americans were irregular at mostly above parity. Reading was the feature. Union Pacific and Ontario & Western were harder. Norfolk & Western and Erie were in good request. The operations were restricted and prices closed firm. Anaconda was strong. Foreigners were steady. Peruvians were active. Japanese were firm. Russians were easier. Kaffirs were a shade harder. Japanese imperial 6s of 1904 were quoted at 102.

PARIS, Jan. 20.—Prices on the Bourse today were irregular and trading was inactive. Rio tintos rose on London and New York advices and closed firm. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at 84.40 and Russian bonds for 1904 at 4.87. The private rate of discount was 2 7-16 per cent.

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—Trading on the Bourse today was light, but prices were steady. Americans were higher upon New York advices.

**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET**

**Cattle and Sheep Steady—Hogs Strong to Higher.**

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 400 head; market steady; beeves, $3.60@6.25; cows, $1.25@4.35; heifers, $2.40@4.85; calves, $6.00@8.00; good to prime steers, $5.50@6.25; poor to medium, $3.50@5.30; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 20,000 head; estimated Monday, 52,000 head; market strong to shade higher; mixed and butchers, $5.25@5.55; good heavy, $5.40@5.55; rough heavy, $5.25@5.35; light, $5.25@5.47½; pigs, $4.90@5.30; bulk of sales, $5.40@5.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,000 head; market steady; sheep, $3.50@6.00; yearlings, $6.00@6.75; lambs, $5.75@7.80.

**St. Louis Live Stock Market.**

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500 head; market, steady; native shipping and export steers, $4.00@5.10; dressed beef and butcher steers, $3.25@4.95; steers under 1,000 lbs., $2.90@4.25; stockers and feeders, $2.40@3.80; cows and heifers, $2.00@3.00; canners, $1.75@2.50; bulls, $2.65@3.25; calves, $2.00@8.00; Texas and Indian steers, $2.70@4.40; cows and heifers, $2.00@3.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,500 head; market, strong; pigs and lights, $4.60@5.40; packers, $5.00@5.40; butchers and best heavy, $5.30@5.45.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 300 head; market, steady; native muttons, $5.00@5.80; lambs, $6.00@7.75; culls and bucks, $3.00@4.00; stockers, $2.50@3.10; Texans, $3.00@4.00.

**New York Live Stock Market.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—BEEVES—Receipts, 411 head; Market feeling weak; no trading; dressed beef dull; exports, 210 beeves and 5,165 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Receipts, 143 head. An ordinary carload of westerns sold at $3.45; market feeling about steady for all kinds of calves; city dressed veals slow at 9@14c; country dressed, 9@12c.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,788 head; market feeling nominally firm.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sold at $7.25@8.00; dressed mutton in poor demand at 8@10c; dressed lambs slow and weak at 10½@12c.

**St. Joseph Live Stock Market.**

ST. JOSEPH, Jan. 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 222 head; market, steady; natives, $3.75@6.00; cows and heifers, $1.50@4.70; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.10.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,730 head; market, a shade lower; light, $5.25@5.40; medium and heavy, $5.30@5.45; bulk, $5.32½@5.40.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, none; market nominally steady.

**Sioux City Live Stock Market.**

SIOUX CITY, Jan. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 200 head; market steady; beeves, $3.50@5.15; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.50@4.00; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.00; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,300 head; market steady; selling at $5.10@5.35; bulk of sales, $5.22½@5.27½.

**Stock in Sight.**

Receipts of live stock at the six principal western markets yesterday:

| | Cattle. | Hogs. | Sheep. |
|---|---|---|---|
| South Omaha | 108 | 7,451 | 3,783 |
| Sioux City | 200 | 4,300 | .... |
| Kansas City | 1,000 | 6,000 | .... |
| St. Joseph | 223 | 7,730 | .... |
| St. Louis | 500 | 2,500 | 300 |
| Chicago | 400 | 20,000 | 2,000 |
| Totals | 2,431 | 47,981 | 6,083 |

**Cotton Market.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 12.25c; middling gulf, 12.50c; sales, 2,213 bales.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 20.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 11 13-16c; sales, none; receipts, 450 bales; shipments, 101 bales; stock, 42,020 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 20.—COTTON—Spot closed firm; sales, 2,100 bales; good ordinary, 10¼c; low middling, 11¼c; middling, 11⅞c; good middling, 12⅛c; middling fair, 12 7-16c; receipts, 5,908 bales; stock, 318,508 bales.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 20.—COTTON—Spot in fair demand; prices 2 points higher. American middling fair, 6.80d; good middling, 6.46d; middling, 6.28d; low middling, 6.12d; good ordinary, 5.94d; ordinary, 5.78d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,000 bales American. Receipts, 17,000 bales, including 11,900 bales American.

**Oils and Rosin.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—OIL—Cottonseed, irregular; prime crude nominal at 30½@23c. Petroleum, steady; refined, New York, $7.60; Philadelphia and Baltimore, $7.55; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, $5.65. Turpentine, quiet at 67½@68c.

ROSIN—Quiet; strained, common to good, OIL CITY, Pa., Jan. 20.—OIL—Credit balances, $1.58; shipments, 72,872 bbls.; average, 65,642 bbls.; runs, 80,656 bbls.; average, 60,699 bbls.; Lima, shipments, 88,821 bbls.; average, 62,820 bbls.; Lima, runs, 48,313 bbls.; average, 41,089 bbls.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 20.—OIL—Turpentine, firm at 65c; sales, 283 bbls.; receipts, 571 bbls.; shipments, 577 bbls.

ROSIN—Firm; sales, 2,310 bbls.; receipts, 5,666 bbls.; shipments, 3,163 bbls.; stock, 58,446 bbls.; Quote: A, B and C, $3.52½; D, $3.67½; F, $3.70@3.72½; G, $3.75; H, $3.80; I, $4.50; K, $5.00; M, $5.25; N, $5.75; WG, $6.05; WW, $6.15.

**Sugar and Molasses.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—SUGAR—Raw, Steady; fair refining, 3⅛c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅝c; molasses sugar, 2⅞c; refined, steady; No. 6, 4.10c; No. 7, 4.05c; No. 8, 4c; No. 9, 3.95c; No. 10, 3.90c; No. 11, 3.85c; No. 12, 3.80c; No. 13, 2.75c; No. 14, 3.75c; confectioners' A, 4.55c; mould A, 5.05c; cut loaf, 5.40c; crushed, 5.40c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.70c; cubes, 4.95c.

MOLASSES—Firm; New Orleans open kettle to choice, 30@31c.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 20.—SUGAR—Firm; open kettle, 2¾@3⅛c; open kettle centrifugal, 3⅛@3⅜c; centrifugal whites, 3⅞@4c; yellows, 3⅛@3⅝c; seconds, 2@3⅛c.

MOLASSES—Open kettle, 20@30c; centrifugal, 22@25c.

SYRUP—25@30c.

**Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—EVAPORATED APPLES—The market continues quiet, but shows rather a steady tone. Common are quoted at 7½@8¼c, nearly prime at 8⅛@9c; prime at 8⅞c; choice, 10c; fancy, 11c.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes are in fair demand of a jobbing character and quotations are firmly held from 4⅛c to 8c. Apricots remain as recently quoted, at 9⅛@10c for choice; extra choice, 10½c; fancy, 11@11½c. Peaches are unchanged. Extra choice are quoted at 10c; fancy, 10½@11c; extra fancy, 11½@13c. Raisins are without change, although still unsettled in tone. Loose Muscatel are quoted at 3½@6¾c; seeded raisins, 5¼@7½c, and London layers, $1.60.

**Bank Clearings.**

OMAHA, Jan. 20.—Bank clearings for today were $1,516,106.22 and for the corresponding date last year $1,161,169.07. For the week and the corresponding week of 1905 the record is:

| | 1906. | 1905. |
|---|---|---|
| Monday | $1,829,659.50 | $1,372,115.04 |
| Tuesday | 1,402,497.76 | 1,364,844.00 |
| Wednesday | 1,346,519.29 | 1,329,628.33 |
| Thursday | 1,517,436.60 | 1,337,511.14 |
| Friday | 1,375,266.41 | 1,346,823.54 |
| Saturday | 1,516,106.22 | 1,161,169.07 |
| Totals | $8,788,467.78 | $8,112,091.12 |
| Increase | | $676,376.66 |

**Coffee Market.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—COFFEE—Futures opened steady at unchanged prices, or ...... the European markets. The close was steady, unchanged to 5 points higher. Sales were reported of 52,500 bags, including March at $7.00; April, $7.10; May, $7.15@7.20; July, $7.25; September, $7.50; November, $7.65; December, $7.70. Spot, steady; No. 7 Rio, 8⅛c.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Margaret B. Burgess and husband to Arthur L. Farnald, parcel formerly known as lots 1 and 2, block 82; lots 1, 2 and n½ 3, block 234¼ and portions of Market street and Capitol avenue | $4,000 |
| Mary S. Dundy and wife to Mary H. Dundy, lot 4, block 20, West Omaha add. | 1 |
| The Equitable Trust company to Mary Duffy, north 43 feet lots 1 and 2, block 1, Rush & Selby's add. to South Omaha | 75 |
| G. H. Payne, trustee, to Charlotte Enders, parcel in northwest lot 8, block 2, Park Place | 1,300 |
| Samuel Bokowies to A. F. Ahlstrom, s½ se¼ se¼ 6-16-13 | 1,200 |
| Same to John F. Wuerth, east 28 acres sw¼ se¼ 6-16-13 | 1,560 |
| Wilson T. Graham and wife to Tome Hudecek, north 3 feet of south 54 feet lot 15, block 15, Improvement association add. | 1 |
| William F. Fowler and wife to same, north 2 feet of south 56 feet lot 15, block 15, Improvement association add. | 1 |

# OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Fat Cattle Ten to Fifteen Lower for the Week—Feeders Higher

HOGS OPEN HIGHER, CLOSE OFF LOWER

**Sheep Little Different from Week Ago, but Twenty-Five Lower Than High Time on Tuesday of Last Week.**

SOUTH OMAHA, Jan. 20, 1906.

| Receipts were: | Cattle. | Hogs. | Sheep. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Official Monday | 4,043 | 5,969 | 7,174 |
| Official Tuesday | 4,141 | 6,991 | 10,705 |
| Official Wednesday | 4,322 | 10,762 | 8,555 |
| Official Thursday | 2,802 | 12,896 | 2,760 |
| Official Friday | 2,230 | 11,018 | 1,871 |
| Official Saturday | 108 | 7,451 | 3,783 |
| This week | 15,846 | 54,926 | 31,357 |
| Last week | 19,361 | 59,377 | 32,168 |
| Week before | 12,423 | 38,847 | 22,218 |
| Three weeks ago | 8,565 | 33,961 | 9,858 |
| Four weeks ago | 18,232 | 61,908 | 17,213 |
| Same week last year | 17,062 | 54,035 | 32,928 |

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, compared with last year:

| | 1906. | 1905. | Inc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cattle | 50,630 | 45,800 | 4,830 |
| Hogs | 144,150 | 131,397 | 12,753 |
| Sheep | 85,640 | 85,365 | 278 |

The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

| Date. | 1906. | 1905. | 1904. | 1903. | 1902. | 1901. | 1900. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. 1 | 5 14 | * | 4 64 | 6 23 | 6 22 | 4 95 | 4 23 |
| Jan. 2 | 5 11 | 4 39 | 4 61 | 6 36 | 6 22 | 4 96 | 4 32 |
| Jan. 3 | 5 07 | 4 43 | * | 6 29 | 6 18 | 4 96 | 4 29 |
| Jan. 4 | 5 14 | 4 45 | 4 77 | * | 6 29 | 5 02 | 4 27 |
| Jan. 5 | 5 22 | 4 47 | 4 68 | 6 29 | * | 5 04 | 4 37 |
| Jan. 6 | 5 26 | 4 45 | 4 58 | 6 54 | 6 24 | * | 4 35 |
| Jan. 7 | * | 4 50 | 4 56 | 6 46 | 6 09 | 5 15 | * |
| Jan. 8 | 5 25 | * | 4 60 | 6 49 | 6 09 | 5 06 | 4 34 |
| Jan. 9 | 5 22 | 4 61 | 4 62 | 6 39 | 6 15 | 5 14 | 4 38 |
| Jan. 10 | 5 20 | 4 62 | * | 6 40 | 6 14 | 5 25 | 4 35 |
| Jan. 11 | 5 22 | 4 58 | 4 53 | * | 6 04 | 5 24 | 4 42 |
| Jan. 12 | 5 28 | 4 62 | 4 61 | 6 46 | * | 5 18 | 4 50 |
| Jan. 13 | 5 25 | 4 63 | 4 75 | 6 48 | 6 00 | * | 4 54 |
| Jan. 14 | * | 4 60 | 4 73 | 6 37 | 6 13 | 5 16 | * |
| Jan. 15 | 5 29½ | * | 4 69 | 6 41 | 6 22 | 5 25 | 4 35 |
| Jan. 16 | 5 29½ | 4 52 | 4 74 | 6 50 | 6 15 | 5 21 | 4 52 |
| Jan. 17 | 5 24 | 4 51 | * | 6 50 | 6 17 | 5 20 | 4 48 |
| Jan. 18 | 5 27 | 4 55 | 4 69 | * | 6 22 | 5 29 | 4 35 |
| Jan. 19 | 5 29 | 4 55 | 4 74 | 6 39 | * | 5 27 | 4 45 |
| Jan. 20 | | 4 57 | 4 68 | 6 47 | 6 27 | * | 4 54 |

*Sunday.

RANGE OF PRICES.

| | Cattle. | Hogs. |
|---|---|---|
| Omaha | $2.00@6.00 | $4.92½@5.55 |
| Chicago | 1.25@6.25 | 4.80@5.55 |
| Kansas City | 2.00@5.90 | 5.00@5.47½ |
| St. Louis | 2.00@5.30 | 4.60@5.45 |
| Sioux City | 2.50@5.15 | 5.10@5.35 |

FRIDAY'S SHIPMENTS.

The following list shows the number of cars of feeders shipped to the country Friday and their points of destination:

| CATTLE. | Cars. |
|---|---|
| Ed Eno, O'Neill—F. E. | 3 |
| Fred Signall, Beemer—F. E. | 1 |
| F. J. Poyer, Howell—F. E. | 1 |
| J. Moreland, Villisca, Ia.—Q. | 1 |
| James Bell, Brainard—U. P. | 1 |
| W. W. James, Stella—Mo. P. | 1 |
| John Lingo, Shenandoah, Ia.—Wab. | 1 |
| J. H. Hayes, Buck Grove, Ia.—Mil. | 3 |
| Sargeson & F., Wall Lake, Ia.—I. C. | 1 |
| John Hull, Dunlap, Ia.—I. C. | 1 |

The following will show the prices paid for the different kinds of cattle on the South Omaha market:

| | |
|---|---|
| Good to choice cornfed steers | $4.85@5.50 |
| Fair to good cornfed steers | 4.50@4.90 |
| Common to fair cornfed steers | 3.50@4.40 |
| Good to choice cows and heifers | 3.25@3.85 |
| Fair to good cows and heifers | 2.50@3.25 |
| Canners and cutters | 1.75@2.50 |
| Good to choice stockers and feed's. | 3.25@4.10 |
| Fair to good stockers and feeders. | 3.25@3.65 |
| Common to fair stockers and feed's | 2.50@3.25 |
| Bulls, stags, etc. | 2.25@3.75 |
| Good veal calves | 5.00@6.00 |

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

| | Cattle. | Hogs. | Sheep. | H'r's. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| C., M. & St. P. | .. | 4 | .. | .. |
| Wabash | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Missouri Pacific | .. | 4 | .. | .. |
| Union Pacific system. | 2 | 12 | 13 | .. |
| C. & N. W., east | .. | 13 | .. | .. |
| C. & N. W., west | .. | 19 | .. | .. |
| C., St. P., M. & O. | .. | 8 | .. | .. |
| C., B. & Q., east | .. | 10 | .. | .. |
| C., B. & Q., west | .. | 11 | 2 | 4 |
| C., R. I. & P., east | .. | 12 | .. | .. |
| C., R. I. & P., west | .. | 2 | .. | .. |
| Illinois Central | .. | 3 | .. | .. |
| Chicago Gt. Western | .. | 8 | .. | .. |
| Total receipts | 2 | 107 | 15 | 4 |

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

| | Cattle. | Hogs. | Sheep. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Omaha Packing Co. | .. | 1,186 | .... |
| Swift and Company | 7 | 1,760 | .... |
| Cudahy Packing Co. | 23 | 2,308 | 7 |
| Armour & Co. | .. | 1,917 | 392 |
| Swift, from country | .. | 55 | .... |
| Hill & Son | 9 | .... | .... |
| S. & S. | .. | 222 | .... |
| Kergan Packing Co. | .. | 426 | .... |
| Other buyers | 21 | .... | .... |
| Totals | 60 | 7,850 | 339 |

CATTLE—There was the usual light run of cattle here today, not enough of any one kind being in sight to make a test of the market or establish quotations.

There has been a very fair run of cattle this week, the total being not much different from the week before, but larger than a year ago by about 2,000 head. The market this week has not been to the liking of the selling interests as the tendency of values has been lower. However, the week started out with brilliant prospects and prices were a little stronger on all kinds of killing cattle on Monday and Tuesday, both fat steers as well as cows and heifers showing gains. Unfavorable advices from other selling points coupled with liberal receipts locally was the rock that dashed in pieces all the brilliant prospects. On Wednesday and Thursday the market was anywhere from weak to 10c lower each day and Friday's market was weak. Now at the close of the week, after allowing for the strengthening of prices the first of the week it is plain to be seen that the market is 10@15c lower than it was at the close of last week on practically all kinds of killing cattle. As usual when the market is weakening off the trade was not very active the latter half of the week, on the contrary, was very much inclined to drag.

A feature of the week's cattle trade is the very good demand that has prevailed every day for desirable kinds of stock cattle and feeders. At the same time the supply of desirable kinds of cattle has been light so that prices have gradually strengthened. The market was not quoted especially higher any day, but at the close is all of 10c higher than last week. Some would quote the advance more than that on the best kinds.

Representative sales:

COWS.

| No. | Wt. | Pr. | No. | Wt. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 970 | 2 25 | 3 | 1096 | 2 70 |

BULLS.

| No. | Wt. | Pr. | No. | Wt. | Pr. |
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| 1 | 1310 | 2 60 | 1 | 1330 | 2 85 |

CALVES.

| No. | Wt. | Pr. | No. | Wt. | Pr. |
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| 1 | 400 | 3 25 | 1 | 200 | 5 00 |
| 1 | 210 | 3 25 | 1 | 190 | 5 50 |
| 5 | 130 | 4 75 | | | |

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

| No. | Wt. | Pr. |
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| 8 | 1007 | 3 25 |

HOGS—The market opened higher yesterday morning and closed with all the advance lost. Today's market was simply a repetition of the same thing. At the opening prices were 2½c higher than yesterday's general market and the trade was fairly active at the advance. Advices from all points were favorable and the receipts here were moderate, which in the face of the good local demand, created a good healthy market, in spite of the fact that is was a Saturday. A considerable portion of the receipts changed hands in good season in the forenoon at the advance noted above.

Later on buyers seemed to come to the conclusion that they were paying more money than was necessary and that the hogs which they were buying would have to be carried over to Monday. As a result of this feeling on the part of the packers, the advance of the morning was lost, and the trade became very slow and weak at prices no higher than yesterday's general market. As will be noted from the sales below the hogs sold very largely at $5.30@5.32½, with some very choice heavy hogs at $5.40. It will be remembered that the hogs sold yesterday at $5.27½@5.30, with the top at $5.37½, the average of all the sales yesterday being only $5.28. The extreme close was stronger.

There has been a very fair run of hogs this week and the market, upon the whole, has been in very satisfactory condition. It started out at the beginning of the week with an advance of close to 5 cents, which was maintained through Tuesday. On Wednesday all the advance was lost and more too. On Thursday and Friday there was a reaction, which put prices back where they were on Monday. At the close of the week the market is a little stronger than it was on Monday, or 5@7½c higher than the close of the previous week.

Representative sales:

| No. | Av. | Sh. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Sh. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24 | 80 | ... | 4 65 | 81 | 189 | ... | 5 30 |
| 34 | 122 | ... | 4 92½ | 67 | 245 | 80 | 5 30 |
| 60 | 178 | ... | 5 20 | 70 | 199 | ... | 5 30 |
| 90 | 194 | ... | 5 25 | 66 | 220 | ... | 5 30 |
| 80 | 185 | 80 | 5 25 | 80 | 199 | ... | 5 30 |
| 79 | 215 | ... | 5 27½ | 77 | 211 | ... | 5 30 |
| 86 | 215 | 40 | 5 27½ | 81 | 198 | ... | 5 30 |
| 43 | 241 | 40 | 5 27½ | 82 | 213 | ... | 5 30 |
| 77 | 202 | ... | 5 27½ | 80 | 229 | 80 | 5 30 |
| 83 | 208 | ... | 5 30 | 68 | 206 | 120 | 5 30 |
| 74 | 222 | ... | 5 30 | 78 | 204 | 40 | 5 30 |
| 63 | 207 | ... | 5 30 | 39 | 272 | ... | 5 30 |
| 72 | 213 | 120 | 5 30 | 61 | 218 | ... | 5 30 |
| 74 | 200 | 40 | 5 30 | 75 | 219 | ... | 5 30 |
| 85 | 200 | 40 | 5 30 | 66 | 235 | 40 | 5 30 |
| 69 | 240 | ... | 5 30 | 72 | 214 | 40 | 5 30 |
| 69 | 216 | 80 | 5 30 | 80 | 197 | ... | 5 30 |
| 74 | 210 | 40 | 5 30 | 65 | 204 | ... | 5 30 |
| 51 | 262 | 160 | 5 30 | 68 | 224 | ... | 5 30 |
| 68 | 213 | ... | 5 30 | 72 | 216 | 40 | 5 30 |
| 69 | 231 | ... | 5 30 | 73 | 221 | 80 | 5 30 |
| 67 | 242 | 120 | 5 30 | 72 | 218 | ... | 5 30 |
| 62 | 276 | 80 | 5 32½ | 72 | 226 | 80 | 5 30 |
| 69 | 235 | ... | 5 32½ | 74 | 212 | 120 | 5 30 |
| 50 | 246 | 40 | 5 32½ | 73 | 236 | 120 | 5 32½ |
| 64 | 279 | ... | 5 32½ | 64 | 241 | 80 | 5 32½ |
| 60 | 218 | 160 | 5 32½ | 62 | 263 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 61 | 252 | 40 | 5 32½ | 75 | 226 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 61 | 268 | 80 | 5 32½ | 61 | 262 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 65 | 225 | ... | 5 32½ | 78 | 224 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 75 | 192 | ... | 5 32½ | 74 | 232 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 81 | 230 | ... | 5 32½ | 77 | 227 | 120 | 5 32½ |
| 70 | 264 | ... | 5 32½ | 68 | 248 | 80 | 5 32½ |
| 72 | 232 | ... | 5 32½ | 74 | 216 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 59 | 232 | ... | 5 32½ | 82 | 240 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 78 | 229 | 80 | 5 32½ | 68 | 273 | 120 | 5 32½ |
| 58 | 225 | 80 | 5 30 | 68 | 232 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 61 | 262 | 80 | 5 30 | 70 | 241 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 75 | 212 | ... | 5 30 | 65 | 272 | 120 | 5 32½ |
| 65 | 222 | 80 | 5 30 | 58 | 251 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 71 | 213 | ... | 5 30 | 64 | 239 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 61 | 201 | 80 | 5 30 | 67 | 224 | ... | 5 32½ |
| 67 | 225 | 40 | 5 30 | 62 | 211 | 40 | 5 32½ |
| 69 | 248 | 40 | 5 30 | 73 | 242 | 120 | 5 32½ |
| 77 | 242 | 160 | 5 30 | 56 | 317 | ... | 5 35 |
| 68 | 229 | 80 | 5 35 | 115 | 256 | ... | 5 35 |
| 68 | 228 | ... | 5 30 | 48 | 328 | 80 | 5 35 |
| 67 | 260 | 80 | 5 30 | 51 | 270 | ... | 5 37½ |
| 136 | 220 | ... | 5 30 | 54 | 304 | ... | 5 40 |

SHEEP—There were several cars of sheep and lambs in the yards this morning, most of them feeders billed through. The killers among the receipts sold at just about steady prices and there was no quotable change in the situation as compared with yesterday.

Receipts have been light all this week, as will be noted from the tables showing the receipts, both lighter than a week ago and a year ago. At the same time there has been no scarcity in the supply. As has been detailed from day to day in these columns the demand for both sheep and lambs has not been very brisk, owing to the mutton markets of the east having been clogged up by the excessive runs of a week ago at all market points. As to prices, the market at this point has been quoted steady during the last three days, but on Tuesday and Wednesday it was lower, following a strong opening on Monday. In comparing prices with the close of last week it is difficult to see much change on the best grades, but the common and medium kinds are some lower.

Perhaps the best way to get at a correct understanding of the actual conditions prevailing of late would be to get to the very beginning of the break. On Tuesday of last week the market was very strong and active. It started out on Wednesday morning all right, but the close that day was weak, packers announcing that they were filled, both here and at every other market point. Thursday morning the break started and continued over to this week. At the present time values are generally 25c lower, even on the very best sheep and lambs, than they were on Tuesday of last week, the day before the break started. Common and inferior grades may have suffered even more than that.

This decline has not been confined to South Omaha, but has been common to all market points, the only difference being that South Omaha, because of the great effort put forth to keep down receipts, has not suffered as much as some other markets. Prices are high here as compared with some of them.

The future of the market must depend upon the question of receipts and demand for the mutton. Packers have not at this point, at least, acted as if they were wedded to the bear side of the deal, or as if they were trying to break the market. It has seemed to be with them simply a matter of having use for the number of sheep and lambs crowded on to the market. If shippers generally can be induced to let nothing come forward except what is well finished and ripe for sale the situation will be greatly simplified.

Quotations for fed sheep and lambs are as follows: Good to choice lambs, Colorados, $7.00@7.25; good westerns, $7.00@7.25; good yearlings, $6.00@6.10; good wethers, $5.50@5.75; ewes, $4.75@5.25.

Quotations for feeder sheep and lambs: Good feeding lambs, $5.75@6.30; yearlings, $4.75@5.30; wethers, $4.50@5.00; ewes, $3.75@4.50; breeding ewes, $4.50@5.60.

Representative sales:

**Kansas City Live Stock Market.**

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000 head; market unchanged; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5.30; fair to good, $4.00@5.00; western fed steers, $3.50@5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.50; southern steers, $3.00@4.65; southern cows, $2.00@3.50; native cows, $2.00@4.00; native heifers, $3.00@5.00; bulls, $2.25@3.85; calves, $3.00@6.75. Receipts for the week, 53,400 head.

HOGS — Receipts, 6,000 head; market steady; top, $5.47½; bulk of sales, $5.25@5.45; heavy, $5.40@5.47½; packers, $5.35@5.45; pigs and lights, $5.00@5.37½. Receipts for the week, 65,600 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, none; market nominally steady; native lambs, $5.25@7.25; western lambs, $5.25@7.25; ewes and yearlings, $4.25@5.80; western fed yearlings, $5.75@6.25; western fed sheep, $4.50@5.75; stockers and feeders, $3.25@4.75. Receipts for the week, 49,000 head.


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