GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Wheat Receipts Are Good and Most of the Sales Are Made at Advanced Prices.

QUALITY OF NEW CORN POOR

OMAHA, December 4, 1915.

The cash wheat market was strong again today and advanced about a cent. The receipts of this cereal were pretty heavy and a good percentage of it was sold at advanced prices.

Corn sold from unchanged to a cent lower. About fifty cars of corn were received today, but as most of it was new corn and being wet and immature there was hardly any demand for it. The old corn was of good quality and sold very readily.

Oats receipts were comparatively light, and the demand for this cereal was quite active, the market ranging from unchanged to a cent higher.

There was a moderate demand for rye and it sold at practically unchanged prices.

Barley was quoted normally unchanged.

Clearances were: Wheat and flour equal to 941,000 bu.; corn, 201,000 bu.; oats, 4,000 bu.

Liverpool Close—Wheat, unchanged; corn, unchanged.

CAR-LOT RECEIPTS.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	66	248	181
Minneapolis	1,016	...	...
Duluth	483	...	...
Omaha	125	35	22
Kansas City	276	172	9
St. Louis	101	47	20
Winnipeg	1,543	...	...

These sales were reported today:

Wheat—No. 2 hard winter, 2 cars, $1.04; 2-5 car, $1.03. No. 3 hard winter: 6 cars, $1.02; 18 2-5 cars, $1.01; 5 cars, $1.00. No. 4 hard winter: 1 car (62 lbs.), $1.01; 1 car, $1.00; 1 car, 99½c; 1 car, 89c; 2 cars, 98½c; 1 car, 96c; 3 cars, 97½c; 11 cars, 97c; 1 car, 96½c; 3-5 car, 96c; 1 car, 95½c; 4 cars, 95c. Sample: 2 cars, 90c; 1 car, 91c. No. 3 spring, 1 car, $1.02; 1 car, 99c. No. 4 spring: 1 car, 96c. No. 2 mixed: 1 car, $1.04; 2 2-5 cars, 99c. No. 5 mixed: 3 cars, $1.02; 1 car, $1.00½; 1 car, 98c. No. 2 durum: 1 car, $1.09; 1 car, 99c. No. 3 durum: 1 car, 97c. No. 2 mixed durum: 5 cars, 99c. No. 3 mixed durum: 2 cars, 99c; 1 car, 95½c. Corn—No. 2 white: 3 cars (old), 67c. No. 3 white: 3-5 car (old), 67c. 1 car, 67½c. No. 4 white: 1 car, 62c; 3 cars, 61½c. No. 5 white: 1 car, 60c. No. 3 yellow: ¼ car (old), 68½c; 2-5 car (old), 68½c; 1 car, 67c. No. 4 yellow: 1 car, 65c; 1 car, 64c; 1 car, 63c. No. 5 yellow: 1 car, 60½c. No. 6 yellow: 1 car (old), 68½c; 1 car, 59½c; 1 car (poor), 55c. No. 3 mixed: 2 cars, 63½c. No. 4 mixed: 1 car, 63c; 1 car, 60c. No. 5 mixed: 3 cars, 59c; 1 car, 57c. No. 6 mixed: 1 car, 53c; 1 car (poor), 50c. Sample: 2 cars (poor), 40c. Oats—No. 3 white: 1 car, 39¾c; 2 cars, 39½c; 1 car, 39½c; 4½ cars, 39c; 1 car, 38¾c. No. 4 white: 1 car, 38½c; 1 car 38¼c. Sample: 1 car, 38c; 2 cars, 36¾c. Rye—No. 3: 4 cars, 90c. No. 4: 3 cars, 89c.

Omaha Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 turkey, $1.03@1.05; No. 3 turkey, $1.01@1.04; No. 2 hard, $1.01@1.04; No. 3 hard, 99½c@$1.02; No. 4 hard, 94c@$1.01; No. 2 spring, $1.01@1.04; No. 3 spring, 99c@$1.00; No. 2 durum, 99c@$1.00; No. 3 durum, 95½@98c; sample, 85c@93c. Corn (new): No. 2 white, 67½@68c; No. 3 white, 63½@64c; No. 4 white, 61½@62c; No. 5 white, 60@61c; No. 6 white, 59½@60½c; No. 2 yellow, 67½@68c; No. 3 yellow, 66½@67c; No. 4 yellow, 65@65c; No. 5 yellow, 63@63c; No. 6 yellow, 59@60c; No. 2 mixed, 63½@64c; No. 3 mixed, 63@63½c; No. 4 mixed, 60@62c; No. 5 mixed, 57@59c; No. 6 mixed, 56@63c. Oats: No. 2 white, 40½@41c; standard, 40@40½c; No. 3 white, 39@39¾c; No. 4 white, 38¼@38½c. Barley: Malting, 55@60c; No. 1 feed, 50@54c. Rye: No. 2, 90@90½c; No. 3, 89½@90c.

Chicago closing prices furnished The Bee by Logan & Bryan, stock and grain brokers, 318 South Sixteenth, Omaha:

Article	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat					
Dec.	1 11⅝@1 11½	1 16⅝	1 10⅛	1 16⅝	1 12⅛
May	1 13⅛@1 12⅞	1 16¼	1 12⅛	1 16⅛	1 12⅛
Corn					
Dec.	65¾@⅔	66¾	65¼	66¾	66⅛
May	69½@⅝	70¼	69⅛	70¼A	69⅞
Oats					
Dec.	42½@43	43	41¾	43	42¾
May	44⅞@½	45½	44½	45⅝@½	45
Pork					
Jan.	18 00	18 15	18 00	18 15	17 92½
May	18 00	18 10	18 00	18 10	17 90
Lard					
Jan.	9 42½	9 50	9 40@9 42½	9 50	9 45
May	9 72½	9 80	9 70	9 77½	9 75
Ribs					
Jan.	9 65@9 67½	9 80	9 65@9 67½	9 77½	9 67½@9 70
May	9 85	9 97½	9 85	9 97½	9 87½@9 90

A—Asked.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Highest prices yet on the 1915 crop were reported today in the wheat market here as the result of an excited advance. Buying on a huge scale, said to be partly on orders from a foreign government, sent prices upward 6¼ cents above the low point of the day. The close was buoyant at $1.16⅝ for December and $1.16⅛ for May, 2⅞@3c to 5½c higher than yesterday's finish. Corn gained ⅝c net and oats ¼c to ⅝@¾c. In provisions the outcome varied from 2½c decline to a rise of 22½c.

Closing quotations on wheat, which were virtually the top for the session, represented a jump of 10c to 13½c a bushel as compared with a week ago. The buying fever at the end of the day formed a notable contrast to the weakness apparent at the start.

Rumors spread that an unidentified European government was bargaining for large amounts of breadstuffs, and there were also reports that the Canadian authorities would allow Canadian wheat to go to Great Britain or her allies. Besides, Philadelphia advices asserted that an immense business with British mills was being done in both flour and wheat, supposed to be destined to a large extent to Italy.

Corn responded to the strength of wheat. Otherwise the tendency was down grade, chiefly on account of fine weather and because of the outlook for larger receipts next week.

Oats followed the action of corn.

Provisions averaged higher despite a setback in the value of hogs. The bulge in grain was largely responsible for lifting the provision market.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

POULTRY—Alive: Turkeys, any size over 7 lbs., 17c; broilers, 15½@17c; springs, 11c; ducks, 10c; geese, 10c; hens, 9@11c; young guinea hens, each, 35c; roosters, 8c.

OYSTERS—Chesapeake, standards, per gallon, $1.10; standards, $1.25; selects, $1.50; northern, standards, $1.45; selects, $1.75; New York counts, $1.90. Northern, small cans, 24@28c; large cans, 35@45c. Chesapeake, small cans, 20@23c; large cans, 30@35c.

FISH—Halibut, 12c; salmon, fresh pink, 9c; fresh red, 12½c; catfish, fresh, 16c; trout, fresh, 13c; white fish, fresh, 17c; red snapper, fresh, 13c; catfish, frozen, 13c; smelts, frozen, 10-lb. boxes, $1.25; smoked white fish, 14c; kippered salmon, 17c.

FROZEN FISH—Halibut, sizes to suit, 10½c; catfish, large, for steaks, 13c; salmon, falls, 9c; salmon, slivers, 10c; No. 1 trout, 11c; No. 1 whitefish, dressed, 10c; No. 1 whitefish, large, 15c; No. 1 whitefish, jumbo, 18c; pickerel, round W. C., 6c; pickerel, headless, 8c; black bass, order size, 35c; herring, dressed, pair frozen, 6c; bluefish, extra fancy, 12c; red snapper, headless, dressed 20c; flounders, 10c; scallops, per gallon, $3.00.

SMOKED FISH—White, 10-lb. baskets, per lb., 14c.

KIPPERED FISH—Salmon, 10-lb. baskets, per lb., 17c.

CELERY—Mammoth, per doz., 75c.

BEEF CUTS—Ribs: No. 1, 19½c; No. 2, 16½c; No. 3, 12½c. Loins: No. 1, 21½c; No. 2, 18c; No. 3, 14c. Chucks: No. 1, 10c; No. 2, 9½c; No. 3, 8c. Rounds: No. 1, 14c; No. 2, 12c; No. 3, 11c. Plates: No. 1, 10½c; No. 2, 9½c; No. 3, 8½c.

LIVE POULTRY—Broilers, 1¼ to 1½ lbs., in separate comp., 17c; over 1½ to 3 lbs., 16c; springs, any size, 12½c; ducks, picked, ½ price, but not wanted, 12c; hens, over 4 lbs. per lb., 11½c; roosters, 8½c. Turkeys, 17c; old Toms, 15c; under 8 lbs., 8c; less than 5 lbs. each not wanted. Geese, full feathered and fat, 8c; picked, ½ price, but not wanted. Guineas, each, 35c; young, 1 to 1½ lbs. each, 35c. Homer squabs, 14 oz. and over, $3.00; 10 to 12 oz., $2.00; No. 1, must weigh 8 oz., $1.50; under 8 oz, 50c. Pigeons, any kind, per doz., 60c.

Star Brand—Ben Davis, $2.75 per barrel; Willow Twigs, $3.25 per barrel; Winesaps, $3.50 per barrel; Jonathans, $3.50 per barrel.

Shield Brand—Black Twigs, $2.50 per barrel; Black Twigs, commercial brand, $3.25 per barrel; Ben Davis, Illinois, $2.75 per barrel.

BUTTER—Best creamery, 32c; seconds, in cartons or tubs, 28c; good dairy, 22@29c; county, common, 18½c.

CHEESE — Imported Swiss, 44c; domestic, 30c; block, 24c; twins, 18½c; daisy, 18c; triplets, 19½c; young American, 19c; blue label brick, 19½c; limburger, 20c; New York white, 19½c; imported French Roquefort, 48c.

FRUITS—Oranges: California Sunkist Navels, 96s, 128s, $4.00 box; California Sunkist Navels, 150s, 288s, $4.25 box; California Sunkist Navels, 176s and smaller, $4.50 box; Floridas, all sizes, $3.50 box; California Valencias, 126s, $5.00 box. Lemons: Sunkist, 300s, 360s, $5.00 box; Red Ball, 300s, 360s, $4.50 box. Grapefruit: 36s, 46s, 54s, 64s, $3.50 box; 80s, 96s, $3.25 box. Pears: Winter Nellis, $2.35 box. Peaches: California Salways or Colorado Elbertas, 50c box. Bananas, $1.75 to $400 bunch. Grapes: Emperors, $2.00 crate; Emperors in kegs, $4.00 keg; Malagas, $6.00 to $7.00 bbl. Cranberries: Belle and Cherry, $7.50 bbl.; Belle and Bugle, $8.50 bbl.; Jumbo, $10.00 bbl. Figs, 12-10 oz., 80c box.

VEGETABLES—Cabbage, 1¼c lb.; head lettuce, $1.00 doz.; leaf lettuce, 40c doz.; celery: Pascal, 75c doz.; California, 90c doz.; Michigan, 35 doz.; cauliflower, $2.50 crt.; squash, 2c lb.; brussel sprouts, 20c lb.; tomatoes, $1.50 lug.; peppers, 50c basket; parsley, 35c doz.; rutabags, 1½c lb.; onions: Spanish, $1.50 crt.; red, 2c lb.; yellow, 1½c lb.; artichokes, $1.25 doz.; casabas, $5.00 crt. Potatoes: Colorado whites, 75c bu.; large Colorado whites, 65c bu.; Red River Ohios, 75 bu. Sweet-potatoes, $3.00 crt.

NUTS—No. 1 walnuts, 16½c lb.; blk. walnuts, 3c lb.; hickory, 4c lb.; filberts, 15c lb; pecans, 12½c lb.; Brazils, 15c lb; almonds, 15c lb.

MISCELLANEOUS—Crackerjack, $3.50 case; crackerjack, one-half case, $1.75; case; fard dates, 12½c lb.; salted peanuts, $1.15 can; popcorn, 40, 1 lb. package, $2.50 case; cornpops, $2.25 case; cornpops, one-half case, $1.65 case; S. W. dates, $1.35 box. Honey, $3.75 case. Airline, 2 doz. 6 oz., $1.80 case. Cocoanuts, $3.50 bag, 75c doz. Cider: Motts, $5.75 keg; Motts, one-half bbl., $7.25 bbl.; Nehawka, $3.25 keg.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—FLOUR—Firmer; spring patents, $5.50@6.90; winter patents, $5.50@6.75; winter straights, $5.40@5.55; Kansas straights, $5.45@5.60.

WHEAT—Spot market firm; No. 1 Durum, $1.21½ f. o. b. New York; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.16, and No. 1 northern Manitoba, $1.19¼ c. i. f. Buffalo. Futures—Market was steady; December, $1.19¼.

CORN—Spot market steady; No. 2 yellow, 82½c prompt.

OATS—Stop market steady; No. 3 white, 46@47c.

HAY—Easier; prime, $1.27½; No. 1, $1.25.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1915, 20@30c; 1914, 5@10c; Pacific coast, 1915, 12@15c; 1914, 8@10c.

HIDES—Steady; Bogota, 30@31c; Central America, 28c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock firsts, 33@34c; seconds, 32@33c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; mess, $18.00@18.50; family, $21.00@22.50; short clear, $19.00@21.00. Beef, steady; mess, $16.50@17.00; family, $18.00@18.50. Lard, steady, middle west, $9.55@9.65.

TALLOW—Firm; city, 7½c; country, 7@7½c; special, 8½c.

BUTTER—Steady; receipts, 3,085 tubs; creamery extras, 34½@36c; firsts, 28@33c; seconds, 25@27½c.

EGGS—Steady; receipts, 4,080 cases; fresh gathered extra fine, 39@40c; extra firsts, 36@38c; firsts, 33@35c; seconds, 28@32c.

CHEESE—Firm; receipts, 2,609 boxes; state, whole milk, flats, held, specials, 17@17½c; state, whole milk flats, held, average fancy, 16½@16¾c; state, whole milk, flats, held, current makes, specials, 16½@16¾c; state, whole milk, flats, held, current makes, fancy, 16¼c.

POULTRY — Live, steady; western chickens, 13½c; fowls, 12½@14c; turkeys, 17c. Dressed, quiet; prices unchanged.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 4.—WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.03@1.09; No. 2 red, $1.10@1.13; December, $1.04¼; May, $1.05¼.

CORN—No. 2 mixed not quoted; No. 2 white, 63@63½c; December, 63¾c; May, 66¾@66⅞c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 43½@43c; No. 2 mixed, 39@40½c.

BUTTER—Creamery, 32c; firsts, 30c; seconds, 28c; packing, 19c.

EGGS—Firsts, 29c; seconds, 20c.

POULTRY—Hens, 10½@11c; turkeys, 15c; springs, 12c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 4.—WHEAT—December, $1.08½; May, $1.12¾@1.12½; No. 1 hard, $1.14; No. 1 northern, $1.10@1.11½; No. 2 northern, $1.06@1.08.

BARLEY—59@67c.

RYE—91½@92½c.

BRAN—$17.75@18.25.

CORN—No. 3, yellow 72@73c?.

OATS—No. 3, white, 39½@39¾c.

FLAX—$2.01@2.05¾.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 4.—WHEAT—Spot, No. 1 Manitoba, 12s 1d; No. 2, 11s 9d; No. 3, 11s 8d; No. 2 hard winter, new, 11s 3d; No. 2 hard winter, old, 12s 7d.

CORN—Spot, American mixed, yellow, plate, 8s 5d.

FLOUR—Winter patents, 42s 4d.

St. Louis Grain Market.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 4.—WHEAT—No. 2 red, $1.23; No. 2 hard nominal; December, $1.11¼; May, $1.14.

CORN—No. 2, 66½c; No. 2 white, 66½@67c; December, 65½c; May, 68½c.

OATS—No. 2, 41½@42c; No. 3 white nominal.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—COFFEE—Market futures was very quiet today, sales for the half session amounting to only 3,750 bags. The opening was somewhat irregular with prices unchanged to 2 points higher with September relatively firm on a little covering, but selling at 6.89c, that position eased off to 6.85c under realizing and the close was 2 to 6 points net lower. December, 6.52c; January, 6.53c; February, 6.55c; March, 6.59c; April, 6.62c; May, 6.65c; June, 6.69c; July 6.72c; August, 6.78c; September, 6.83c; October, 6.88c. ord fDm9Is I-F9 October, 6.88c. Spot coffee quiet; Rio 7s, 7¾c; Santos, 4s, 9½c.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—COTTON—Spot, steady; middling uplands, 12.50c. Sales, 25 bales.

Cotton, steady; December, 12.27c; January, 12.40c; March, 12.71c; May, 12.90c; July, 12.97c.

Cotton futures closed steady; December, 12.30c; January, 12.38c; March, 12.69c; May, 12.90c; July, 12.97c.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 4.—COTTON—Spot, barely steady; good middling, 7.88d; middling, 7.51d; low middling, 7.03d; sales, 8,000 bales.

Oils and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 4.—TURPENTINE—Firm, 54½c; sales, 50; receipts, 323; shipments, 77; stock, 14,535.

ROSIN—Firm; sales, 1,209; receipts, 1,686; shipments, 256; stock, 71,656. Quote —A, B, C, C, D, E, $5.85; F, G, H, $5.75@5.90; I, $5.90; K, $6.15; M, $6.30; N, $6.50; WG, $6.75; WW, $7.00.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; molasses, 4.43c; centrifugal, 5.20c. Refined, firm. The market for sugar futures was firm in sympathy with raw sugar, closing unchanged to 7 points higher. Sales, 3,850 tons. December, 4.15c; January, 3.39c; March, 3.42c; May, 3.44c; July, 3.53c.

Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., Dec. 4.—BUTTER—Fifty tubs sold at 34c; fifty tubs at 35c.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Furnished and compiled by Kerr Title Guarantee and Abstract Co.:

WARRANTY DEEDS.

Elizabeth S. Warren to Frank J. Hosel, part of lot 6, block 84, City	1
Olive V. Dickenson and wife to Lena Heitman, lot 30, Hastings & Heyden's Sub.	1
G. A. Lindquist and wife to Carl Nelson, various lots in Lindquist Add. to South Omaha	1
Charles W. Martin and wife to George August Smith, lot 26, block 7, Minne Lusa Add.	750
Ernest Hawkinson and wife to William J. Higgins, s½ lot 27, block 2, Park Place	10
Joe Ostrowski to Joseph O. Burger, lot 12, block 206, south Omaha	1
Albert F. Rasp and wife to Philip Rudin, w46 ft. x86 ft. x86 ft. x44 sub lot 1, tax lot 3, sec. 23-16-13	1
F. J. McShane, jr., sheriff, to Emily McCormack, n30 ft. lot 14, block 3, Hanscom Place	2,700
Leone K. Miller and husband to Mary J. McEachroy, w50 ft. lot 7, block 10, Kountze Place	1

QUIT CLAIM DEED.

Carl F. Benjamin, trustee, to Sabina S. Wakley, lot 24, block 7, Briggs' Place	1

ANNOUNCEMENTS
SITUATIONS WANTED
FOR SALE

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Some Cattle Steady and Others Are Lower for Week—Fat Sheep Higher, Feeders Lower.

HOGS GAIN A LITTLE FOR WEEK

OMAHA, December 4, 1915.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	10,674	5,792	16,471
Official Tuesday	7,421	8,201	11,420
Official Wednesday	4,582	9,637	17,338
Official Thursday	3,004	8,165	13,615
Official Friday	1,341	5,364	2,903
Estimate Saturday	150	5,700	200
Six days this week	27,172	43,060	61,897
Same days last week	23,357	23,326	46,506
Same days 2 weeks ago	28,909	20,864	68,400
Same days 3 weeks ago	35,960	24,782	69,405
Same days 4 weeks ago	37,903	20,117	61,482
Same days last year	30,276	60,348	49,867

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the Omaha live stock market for the year to date, as compared with last year:

	1915.	1914.	Inc.
Cattle	1,127,354	868,093	259,461
Hogs	2,388,264	2,003,579	354,685
Sheep	2,099,289	2,991,900	97,389

The following table shows the average prices of hogs at the Omaha live stock market for the last few days, with comparisons:

Date.	1915.	1914.	1913.	1912.	1911.	1910.	1909.
Nov. 17	6 14⅞	7 53	7 63	*	6 35	7 44	7 93
Nov. 18	6 23½	7 29	7 60	7 79	6 30	7 33	7 91
Nov. 19	6 3½	7 33	7 69	7 71	*	7 20	7 94
Nov. 20	6 38½	7 44	7 71	7 73	6 16	*	7 95
Nov. 21	*	7 46	7 69	7 76	6 13	7 08	*
Nov. 22	6 23½	*	7 57	7 63	6 18	6 89	7 88
Nov. 23	6 28½	7 60	*	7 67	6 20	6 93	7 89
Nov. 24	6 41½	7 49	7 61	*	6 24	.....	7*87
Nov. 25	*	7 51	7 50	7 59	6 19	6 77	**
Nov. 26	6 30½	7 58	7 44	7 47	*	6 88	8 04
Nov. 27	6 31½	7 56	**	7 45	6 13	*	8 04
Nov. 28	*	7 41	7 47	**	6 00	6 99	*
Nov. 29	6 39	*	7 51	7 65	6 01	7 07	8 09
Nov. 30	6 37½	7 16	*	7 70	**	7 00	8 12
Dec. 1	6 28½	6 94	7 51	*	6 08	7 13	8 02
Dec. 2	6 34½	6 81	7 40	7 57	6 01	7 13	8 06
Dec. 3	6 47½	7 09	7 66	*	6 10	8 09	7 68
Dec. 4	.....	7 11	7 56	7 81	6 13	8 07	7 74

*Sunday. **Holiday.

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock yards, South Omaha, Neb., for twenty-four hours ending at 3 o'clock p. m.:

RECEIPTS—CARS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	H'r's.
C., M. & St. P.	..	3	..	..
Wabash	..	2	..	..
Missouri Pacific	..	..	..	..
Union Pacific	..	16	..	..
C. & N. W., east	..	5	2	1
C. & N. W., west	..	27	..	1
C., St. P., M. & O.	..	5	..	..
C., B. & Q., east	1	1	..	..
C., B. & Q., west	3	19	..	..
C., R. I. & P., east	..	3	..	..
C., R. I. & P., west	..	3	..	..
Illinois Central	..	3	..	..
Total receipts	5	86	2	2

DISPORITION—HEAD.

	Hogs.
Morris & Co.	749
Swift & Company	845
Cudahy Packing Co.	1,569
Armour & Co.	1,706
Schwartz & Co.	225
J. W. Murphy	1,256
Higgins	25
Total	6,372

CATTLE—Receipts, as usual on a Saturday, were insignificant, but for the week receipts amount to 27,172 head, being almost 4,000 head larger than last week and almost 7,000 larger than a year ago.

Range beef steers have been in active demand all week at about steady prices. On the other hand, cornfed beeves have beeen steadily easing off at all points and are around 15@25c lower than last week's close. Good to choice cows and heifers, in sympathy with the break in beef steers, are 25c or more lower, while common canners have shown comparatively little change.

Stockers and feeders are about 25c lower than last week's close, which means that they are selling at the low point of the season to date.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice fed yearlings, $8.00@8.50; fair to good fed yearlings, $7.00@8.00; common to fair fed yearlings, $6.00@7.00; good to choice heavy beeves, $8.00@8.50; fair to good cornfed beeves, $6.75@8.00; common to fair cornfed beeves, $6.00@6.75; prime grass beeves, $7.50@8.00; good to choice grass beeves, $7.00@7.50; fair to good grass beeves, $6.35@7.00; common to fair grass beeves, $5.25@6.35; good to choice grass heifers, $5.75@6.75; good to choice grass cows, $5.50@6.25; fair to good cows, $4.50@5.50; common to fair cows, $3.50@4.50; good to choice feeders, $6.75@7.50; fair to good feeders, $6.25@6.75; common to fair feeders, $5.25@6.25; good to choice stockers, $7.00@7.50; fair to good stockers, $6.25@7.00; common to fair stockers, $5.25@6.25; stock heifers, $5.50@6.25; stock cows, $4.50@6.25; stock calves, $6.00@8.00; veal calves, $6.00@9.25; bulls, stags, etc., $4.25@6.00.

HOGS—Receipts were pretty decent for a Saturday, some eighty-four cars, or 5,700 head, making up the day's total.

Shippers did not buy very many hogs this morning, but the few loads they purchased on first rounds were bought at fully steady prices, while tops showed a nickel advance, good butchers reaching $6.55, the highest price paid since three weeks ago today, when best price was $6.70.

General trade was mostly 5@10c lower, for while what hogs shippers bought looked steady, there were not enough of them to greatly affect the average, the big bulk of the offerings going to packers. Bulk of the sales landed at $6.35@6.45, with a sprinkling of shippers to $6.55, and tops at $6.65.

Today's break in packers just about cut the advance that has been piled up this week in two, and current prices are no more than 5@10c above a week ago.

SHEEP—The fat lamb trade spent Monday recovering from the uneven market at last week's close, and then Tuesday advanced sharply, prices going up fully 25c. Wednesday's market opened steady, but closed 10@15c lower, and the balance of the week values held about steady with Wednesday's close. As compared with the low close last Friday prices yesterday were anyway 15c higher, while packers claim that considering difference in quality between yesterday and a week ago prices are a flat quarter up. The close yesterday was, however, 10@15c lower than the high point Tuesday. The week ends with good to choice lambs quotable at $8.50@8.65, and some sellers think really prime handyweight fed westerns, a class which is, by the way, very scarce, would reach $8.75.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, good to choice, $8.50@8.60; lambs, fair to good, $8.35@8.50; lambs, feeders, $7.00@8.40; yearlings, fair to choice, $6.00@6.50; yearlings, feeders, $5.75@6.75; wethers, fair to choice, $5.50@6.25; ewes, good to choice, $5.75@6.00; ewes, fair to good, $5.00@5.75; ewes, feeders, $4.00@5.00.

Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
578	Wyoming ewes	103	5 65
235	Wyoming feeder ewes	77	4 70
510	Wyoming feeder ewes	97	5 30
124	Wyoming feeder ewes	88	4 00

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Deman dfor Cattle Steady—Hogs Weak—Sheep Firm.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000 head; market steady; native beef steers, $5.60@10.50; western steers, $6.20@8.25; cows and heifers, $2.65@8.25; calves, $6.50@10.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 22,000 head; market weak; mostly 10 lower; bulk, $6.35@6.70; light, $6.75@6.70; mixed, $6.65@6.90; heavy, $6.31@6.90; rough, $6.30@6.45; pigs, $4.00@6.60.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,000 head; market firm; wethers, $6.00@6.50; ewes, $4.10@6.10; lambs, $7.00@9.35.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Dec. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 400; no quotations.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; market 5 lower; heavy, $6.35@6.45; mixed, $6.25@6.35; light, $5.75@6.25; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.40.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 500 head; market steady; ewes, $4.00@5.00; lambs, $7.00@8.20.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Dec. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 50 head; steady; steers, $6.50@9.00; cows and heifers, $3.50@8.75; calves, $6.00@9.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,700 head; market lower; bulk of sales, $6.30@6.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, none; market nominal; lambs, $8.00@8.85.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200 head; market steady; prime fed steers, $9.25@10.00; dressed beef steers, $7.00@9.00; western steers, $6.25@8.25; stockers and feeders, $5.25@7.50; bulls, $4.50@6.75; calves, $6.00@9.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,500 head; market lower; bulk of sales, $6.35@6.60; heavy $6.60@6.65; packers and butchers, $6.50@6.60; light, $6.35@6.65; pigs, $5.50@6.15.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, none; market steady; lambs, $8.40@9.00; yearlings, $6.50@7.50; wethers, $5.50@6.50; ewes, $4.75@5.85.

Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock at the five prinicpal western markets yesterday:

	Cattle.	Shp.	Hgs.
South Omaha	150	5,700	200
Sioux City	400	5,000	500
Kansas City	200	1,500	.....
St. Louis	300	7,500	200
Chicago	4,000	22,000	1,000
Totals	5,050	41,700	2,000

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—DRY GOODS—Cotton goods were firm and active today and yarns tended higher. Burlaps were strong. Linens were very firm; knit goods active.

Clearing House Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $179,310,030 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $4,167,310 from last week. The statement follows:

Actual condition:		Decrease.
Loans, etc.	$3,137,939,000	*$4,624,000
Res've in own vaults.	†519,221,000	2,114,000
Reserve in federal reserve banks	160,429,000	4,673,000
Reserve in other depositories	85,004,000	*1,897,000
Net demand deposits.	3,216,358,000	1,268,000
Net time deposits.	144,918,000	583,000
Circulation	35,064,000	17,000
Excess reserve	179,310,030	4,167,310

†Of which $463,275,000 is specie. *Increase.

Aggregate reserve, $734,654,000.

Summary of state banks and trust companies in Greater New York, not included in clearing house statement:

		Increase.
Loans, etc.	$817,558,900	$1,966,900
Specie	52,962,900	73,100
Legal tenders	9,868,000	335,600
Total deposits	823,497,600	1,395,300

Banks' cash reserve in vault, $11,615,300.

Trust companies' cash reserve in vault, $50,915,600.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—MERCANTILE PAPER—3¾@4 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—60-day bills, $4.66; demand, $4.7035; cables, $4.715.

SILVER—Bar, 55c; Mexican dollars, 42½c.

BONDS—Government, firm; railroad, irregular.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s. reg.	95¼	Mo. Pac. cv. 5s.	46¼
do coupon	95¾	N. Y. C. deb. 6s.	116⅝
U. S. 3s. reg.	107¼	N. Y. C. 4¼s (1913)	100¼
do coupon	107¼	N. Y. State 4½s.	112¼
U. S. 4s. reg.	109¼	N. Y., N. H. & H	
do coupon	110⅝	cv. 6s.	115
Panama 3s. coupon	100	Northern Pacific 3s.	91¼
Am. Smelters 6s.	112¼	Northern Pacific 4s.	68¼
A. T. & T. c. 4½s.	107	O. S. L. ref. 4s.	82⅞
Armour & Co. 4½s.	92⅝	Pacific T. & T. 5s.	35¼
Atchison gen. 4s.	94¼	Penn. con. 4½s.	100⅝
Bal. & Ohio 4s.	91¼	Penn. gen. 4½s.	100⅝
Central Pacific 1st.	99¼	Reading gen. 4s.	95
Ches. & Ohio 4½s.	91¼	S. L. & S. F. r. 4s.	72
C., B. & Q., joint 4s	98¼	Southern Pac. cv. 5s	104¼
C. M. & S. P. s 4½s.	102	Southern Pac. ref 4s	89⅝
C. R. I. & P. r. 4s.	87	Southern Ry. 5s.	102⅞
C. & S. ref. 4½s.	89	Union Pacific 4s.	97¼
D. & R. G. 1st. 5s.	61¼	*Union Pacific cv. 4s	93⅝
Erie gen. 4s.	76¼	U. S. Rubber 6s.	103¼
General Electric 5s.	105¼	U. S. Steel 5s.	104¼
Gt. No. 1st 4¼s.	93¼	Wabash 1st 5s.	104¼
Illinois Cent. ref 4s.	91	Western Union 4½s.	99¼
L. & N. uni. 4s.	84⅞	*West. Elec. cv. 5s	135¼
M. K. & T. 1st 4s.	78⅝	Anglo-French	97¼

*Bid.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—American securities on the stock market, although quiet, developed a better tendency and closed steady.

SILVER—Bar, 36 7-16d per ounce.

Money—4¼ per cent.

DISCOUNT RATES—Short bills, 5¼ per cent; three months, 5¼ per cent.

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