GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Cash Grains Are All Stronger, with Wheat Ranging Unchanged to Two Cents Up.

CORN AND OATS ARE BULLISH

OMAHA, March 14, 1916.

The cash grain market was considerably stronger today and there was a substantial advance in everything on the list. Wheat receipts were not very heavy and there was only a moderate cash demand for this cereal. Wheat ranged from unchanged to 2c higher.

There was a brisk demand for corn and the market ruled from unchanged to 1½c higher.

Oats were also very bullish and ruled from 1c to 1½c higher. The demand for oats was not very active, but was sufficient to take care of the light receipts, which totaled sixteen cars.

Rye followed the other markets in the advance and ruled 1c higher, while barley was quoted at practically unchanged prices.

Clearances were: Wheat and flour equal to 883,000 bushels; corn, 280,000 bushels; oats, 444,000 bushels.

Liverpool Close: Wheat, ¼d lower; corn, ½@¾d lower.

Primary wheat receipts were 1,133,000 bushels and shipments, 854,000 bushels, against receipts of 594,000 bushels and shipments of 612,000 bushels last year.

Primary corn receipts were 1,002,000 bushels and shipments, 481,000 bushels, against receipts of 482,000 bushels and shipments of 714,000 bushels last year.

Primary oats receipts were 707,000 bushels and shipments, 729,000 bushels, against receipts of 930,000 bushels and shipments of 817,000 bushels last year.

CARLOT RECEIPTS.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	292	372	161
Minneapolis	243	...	...
Duluth	107	...	...
Omaha	27	68	16
Kansas City	116	98	3
St. Louis	73	51	17
Winnipeg	1,526	...	...

These sales were reported today:

Wheat—No. 3 hard winter: 1 car, $1.09½; 5 cars, $1.00; 1 car, 99c. No. 4 hard winter: 1 car, $1.00; 1 car, 99c; 11 cars, 98c; 1 car, 97c; 1 car, 96c; 1 car, smutty, 95½c. Sample hard winter: 1 car, corn mixed, 98c. No. 3 durum: 1 car, 95c. No. 3 mixed: 1 car, $1.00. No. 4 mixed: 1 car, 98c; 1 car, 96c.

Rye—No. 2: 1 car, 87c. Sample: 1 car, 81c.

Corn—No. 2 white: 2 cars, 67c. No. 4 white: 1 car, 66c; 1 car, 65½c; 3 cars, 65c; 1 car, 64½c. No. 5 white: 4 cars, 61c; 1 car, 60c. No. 6 white: 1 car, 63c; 1 car, 57½c. Sample white: 1 car, 55c. No. 4 yellow: 2 cars, 63c. No. 5 yellow: 1 car, 62½c; 1 car, 62c; 1 car, 61½c; 2 2-5 cars, 62c. No. 6 yellow: 2 cars, 61c; 1 car, 60½c; 4 cars, 60c. Sample yellow: 3-5 car, 56c. No. 3 mixed: 1 car, 67c; 1 car, 66½c. No. 4 mixed: 1 car, 65½c; 4 cars, 65c; 1 car, 64½c; 1 car, 64c. No. 5 mixed: 1 car, 62c; 1 car, 60½c; 4 cars, 60c. No. 6 mixed: 1 car, 65c; 1 cars, 58c; 3 cars, 57c; 2 cars, 56c. Sample mixed: 1 car (wheat mixed), 60c; 1 car, 58c; 1 car, 55½c; 1 car, 55c; 1 car, 50c; 2 cars, 48c; 1 car, 46c; 1 car, 33c.

Oats—Standard: 1 car, 43½c. No. 3 white: 1 car, 43c; 1 car, 42½c; 4 cars, 42½c. No. 4 white: 1 car, 41½c. Sample white: 2 cars, 38c; 1 2-5 cars, 36c.

Omaha Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 hard, 95c@$1.02; No. 3 hard, 95@98c; No. 4 hard, 95½@$1.00; No. 2 spring, $1.08@1.12; No. 3 spring, $1.02@1.10; No. 2 durum, 96@97c; No. 3 durum, 94@96c; sample, 90@95c. Corn: No. 3 white, 66½@67c; No. 4 white, 64@66c; No. 5 white, 63½@64½c; No. 6 white, 57@61c; No. 3 yellow, 68½@69c; No. 4 yellow, 66@67c; No. 5 yellow, 64½@65½c; No. 6 yellow, 58½@61c; No. 3 mixed, 66½@67c; No. 4 mixed, 63½@65½c; No. 5 mixed, 59½@63½c; No. 6 mixed, 55½@58½c; sample, 53@56c. Oats: No. 2 white, 44@44½c; standard, 43½@43½c; No. 3 white, 42@43c; No. 4 white, 40½@41½c. Barley: Malting, 58@64c; No. 1 feed, 51@55c. Rye: No. 2, 86@87c; No. 3, 82@85c.

Chicago closing prices, furnished The Bee by Logan & Bryan, stock and grain brokers, 214 South Sixteenth St., Omaha:

Articles	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat					
May	1 09¾	1 09¾	1 08	1 08½	1 08¼
July	1 07¾	1 08⅛	1 07	1 07⅛	1 07⅝
Sept.	1 07	1 07⅝	1 06	1 06	.....
Corn.					
May	76¾@⅞	77½@77¾	76⅝	76⅞	76⅝@⅞
July	77¼@⅜	77⅝	77	77	77⅛
Sept.	77¼	77⅝	77	77	77⅛
Oats.					
May	44@4⅛	45	44	44⅝	44
July	43⅝@⅞	44	43⅛	43¼	43⅛
Pork.					
May	22 30@35	22 30	22 02½	22 05	22 25
July	22 50@57	22 90	22 72	22 80	23 05
Lard.					
May	11 20@25	11 20	10 90	11 00	11 25
July	11 45@50	11 45	11 10	11 22½	11 50
Ribs.					
May	12 20	12 27½	12 07½	12 17½	12 37½
July	12 37@52	12 52½	12 20	12 37½	12 67½

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, March 14.—Wheat showed considerable strength at times today owing to the lifting of some of the railroad embargoes on grain shipments to the east. Closing prices, however, were unsettled, 1@¼c off to ⅛@¼c up, with May at $1.08⅛, and July, $1.07⅛. Corn finished a shade to ⅛c down, oats with a gain of ⅛c and provisions at 20c to 30c decline.

Word that three of the principal eastern roads had made definite progress toward restoring normal conditions where car blockades had been in force led to an immediate display of confidence on the part of the bulls in wheat. The fact that cars were still scarce tended to check shippers, though, and was responsible in a measure for a reaction that made itself chiefly felt the last half hour of the session. During the period of bullish enthusiasm, numerous unfavorable crop reports were received from the domestic winter wheat belt, especially from Missouri, Illinois and Nebraska, but exporters took the position that the foreign trade as a rule was interested only in spring wheat.

Sales of 250,000 bushels of wheat for Europe were made here, and Omaha reported some export demand there.

Corn like wheat felt the bullish effect of the lifting of eastern embargoes. On the upturns, however, heading longs indulged in profit taking. Besides, rains in Argentina had some bearish influence and so too did labor troubles at Argo, Ill.

Oats proved relatively stronger than other cereals. It was said the bulk of the stock here would be shipped east as soon as cars could be obtained.

Provisions gave way under heavy liquidating sales. Yesterday largest buyers were the leading sellers today. Shipping demand, both foreign and domestic, appeared to have become restricted.

Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 red and No. 3 red, nominal; No. 2 hard, $1.08@1.10½; No. 3 hard, $1.06½@1.09½. Corn: No. 2 yellow, 77½@77¾c; No. 4 yellow, 76@76c; No. 4 white, 71½c. Oats: No. 3 white, 42½@43½c; standard, 44½@45½c. Rye, nominal. Barley, 61@77c. Seeds: Timothy, $4.50@7.00; clover, $10.00@18.50. Provisions: Pork, $22.50@23.65; lard, $10.75; ribs, $11.62½@12.12½.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 30½@35c.

EGGS—Higher; receipts, 20,396 cases; firsts, 19c; ordinary firsts, 18c; at mark, cases included, 16@18½c.

POTATOES—Lower; receipts, 52 cars; Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota and Dakota white, 68@96c; Minnesota and Dakota Ohios, 92@95c.

POULTRY—Alive, higher; fowls, 16½@17c; springs, 15c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 14.—WHEAT—May, $1.10@1.10½; July, $1.09⅛@1.10; Cash: No. 2 hard, $1.13½; No. 1 northern, $1.10⅛@1.15⅛; No. 2 northern, $1.08⅛@1.10⅛.

FLOUR—Unchanged.

BARLEY—62@75c.

RYE—85@86c.

BRAN—$13.25@13.75.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 74@75c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 41⅛@41½c.

FLAXSEED—$2.09@2.12.

St. Louis Grain Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 14.—WHEAT—No. 2 red, $1.17; No. 3 hard nominal; May, $1.08¼; July, $1.04¼.

CORN—No. 2 nominal; No. 2 white, 78½; May, 76c; July, 75⅝@76c.

OATS—No. 2, nominal; No. 2 white, 46@46½c.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, March 14.—WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.03@1.11; No. 2 red, $1.09@1.11; May, $1.08⅝@1.09⅝; July, $1.00⅝.

CORN—No. 2 mixed, 66@66½c; No. 2 white, 70c; No. 2 yellow, 71½c; May, 70½c; July, 72½c.

OATS—No. 4 white, 40@46c; No. 2 mixed, 42@43c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 14.—WHEAT—Spot, No. 2 hard winter, quiet, 12s 7½d; No. 2 red western winter, 12s 10d.

CORN—Spot American mixed, new, 10s 1½d.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Wholesale Prices for Produce Charged by Omaha Dealers.

BUTTER—No. 1 creamery, in cartons, 34c; No. 2, 30@31c; in tubs, 34c.

POULTRY—Hens, 14c; roosters, 8½c; young roosters, 13@14c; ducks, 12½c; geese, 12½c; turkeys, 17@18c per pound.

CHEESE—Imported Swiss, 44c; domestic, 34c; block, 28c; twins, 19½c; daisies, 19½c; triplets, 19½c; young America, 21c; blue label brick, 19½c; limburger, 22c; imported, per lb.; Salmon, 15c; Finnan haddies, 10c.

OYSTERS—Chesapeake, per gal.: Standards, $1.25; selects, $1.50. Northern, per gal.: Standards, $1.45; selects, $1.80; counts, $1.95; Blue Points, $1.25 per 100.

FISH—Fresh, per lb.: Catfish, 17c; halibut, 16c; salmon, 17½c; red snapper, 14c; black bass, 16@25c; crappies, 12@18c; flounders, 12c. Frozen, per lb.: Halibut, 11c; herring, 6½c; trout, 13c; whitefish, 16c; salmon, 16@17c; pickerel, 7@8c; pike, 9@10c. Smoked, per lb.: White, 11c. Kippered, per lb.: Salmon, 8c; Finnan haddies, 12c; roe shad, 90c each; shad roe, 40c per pair.

BEEF CUTS—No. 1 ribs, 18½c; No. 2 ribs, 18¼c; No. 3 ribs, 14½c; No. 1 loins, 22½c; No. 2 loins, 21½c; No. 3 loins, 18½c; No. 1 chucks, 10½c; No. 2 chucks, 10½c; No. 3 chucks, 10½c; No. 1 rounds, 14½c; No. 2 rounds, 14½c; No. 3 rounds, 14c; No. 1 plates, 9½c; No. 2 plates, 9½c; No. 3 plates, 8c.

Fruit and vegetable prices furnished by Gilinsky & Co.:

FRUITS—Oranges: Sunkist, 64s, 80s, $2.25 box; Sunkist, 126s, $3.00 box; 176s, 288s, 324s, $2.50 box; 96s, 100s, $2.75 box; 150s, $3.25 box; 200s, 216s, 250s, $3.75 box. Lemons: Golden Bowl, 300s, 360s, $5.00 box; Silver Cord, $4.50 box. Grapefruit: 36s, $2.75 box; 54s, $3.25 box; 80s, $3.75 box; 46s, $3.00 box; 64s, $3.50 box; 96s, 126s, $3.50 box. Grapes, $6.50@8.00 keg. Bananas: Medium size bunches, $1.50@1.75 bunch; medium size jumbos, $2.00@2.25 bunch; regular size jumbos, $2.50@2.75 bunch; extra large jumbos, $3.00@3.25 bunch; Mammoth jumbos, $3.50@3.75 bunch.

MISCELLANEOUS—Honey: Comb, $3.75 crate; Airine, 24-6 oz., $1.80 case. Dates, figs: Drum dates, $2.75 box; fard dates, 12c lb.; stuffed dates, $1.75 box. new figs, 12-16 size, 85c box. Popcorn: No. 1, rice, 4½c lb.; 40-1 lb., packages, $2.50 case. Peanuts, nuts: Peanuts, No. 1, raw, 6½c lb.; roast, 8c lb.; Jumbo, raw, 5½c lb.; Jumbo, roasted, 9½c; Filberts, 15c lb.; pecans, 13½c lb.; pecans, Jumbo, 17½c lb.; mixed nuts, 15c lb. Cranberries, $12.00 bbl. Cider, $3.25 keg.

APPLES, Ben Davis, Bechtel's, in barrels, $4.40 bbl.; Ben Davis, other varieties, $4.25 barrels, $2.50 bbl.; Black Ben Davis, $1.60 box; Ben Davis, Idaho, $1.60 box; Home Beauty, 90s and larger, $1.75 box; Home Beauty, 125s and smaller, $1.50 box; W. W. Pearmaines, Colorado, $1.75 box; extra fancy Wine Saps, $2.50 box; Iowa State Greenings, $1.50 box; Arkansas Blacks, $2.50 box.

CELERY—Florida, per crate, $2.50; California, per doz., mammoth, 90c; medium, 60c; small, 45c.

EGGS—18c.

VEGETABLES—Onions: Red yellow, 2c lb.; Spanish, $2.25 crate. Rhubarb, $1.00 box. Cauliflower, $3.00 crate. Lettuce, $1.00 dozen. Brussel sprouts, 20c lb. Cabbage, 1½c lb. Peppers, 50c basket. Old beets, carrots, turnips, parsnips, rutabagas, 2c lb.; new beets, carrots, turnips, parsley, 50c dozen. Celery: California, 90c dozen; Florida, 6 dozen crate, $2.75; Florida, six dozen crate, $2.60 crate. Onion sets: Yellow, $3.50 bushel. Potatoes: Montana, $1.10 bushel; Colorado White, $1.10 bushel; Red River Ohios, $1.40 bushel. Sweet potatoes: Delaware, $1.75 hamper; California, $1.75 crate.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Steady—Hogs Steady—Sheep Weak.

CHICAGO, March 14.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000 head; market steady; native beef, $7.60@9.15; western steers, $7.40@8.60; stockers and feeders, $5.90@8.10; cows and heifers, $3.30@8.70; calves, $5.50@11.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 15,000 head; market steady at yesterday's average; bulk of sales, $9.20@9.80; light, $9.35@9.90; mixed, $9.50@9.85; heavy, $9.45@9.85; rough, $9.45@9.60; pigs, $8.00@9.10.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 13,000 head; market weak; wethers, $8.30@8.85; ewes, $6.00@8.65; lambs, $9.40@11.50.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST LOUIS, March 14.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,400; market strong; native beef steers, $7.50@9.50; yearling steers and heifers, $8.50@9.50; cows, $5.10@8.00; stockers and feeders, $5.50@7.85; Texas and Indian steers, $5.25@8.00; cows and heifers, $4.00@6.00; native calves, $6.00@10.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,200 head; market steady; pigs and lights, $7.00@9.85; mixed and butchers, $9.70@10.00; good heavy, $9.65@10.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 950 head; market steady; yearling wethers, $8.00@10.00; lambs, $9.00@11.50; ewes, $6.50@8.25.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, March 14.—CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000 head; market lower; prime fed steers, $9.25@9.65; dressed beef steers, $8.00@9.15; western steers, $7.50@9.25; stockers and feeders, $5.50@8.60; bulls, $5.50@7.35; calves, $6.50@11.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,500 head; market steady; bulk of sales, $9.60@9.70; heavy, $9.65@9.75; packers and butchers, $9.35@9.75; light, $9.35@9.60; pigs, $8.00@8.85.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 5,000 head; market higher; lambs, $10.60@11.35; yearlings, $9.25@10.00; wethers, $7.75@8.50; ewes, $7.25@8.00.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., March 14.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500; market 10@25c lower; native steers, $7.75@8.75; butchers, $5.60@8.50; cows and heifers, $5.50@7.40; calves, $7.00@7.75; bulls, stags, etc., $5.50@7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,500; market 10c lower; heavy, $9.40@9.50; mixed, $9.30@9.40; light, $9.10@9.30; bulk of sales, $9.10@9.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 600 head.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, March 14.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500 head; market weak; steers, $7.50@9.50; cows and heifers, $4.50@9.00; calves, $6.00@10.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000 head; market lower; top, $9.85; bulk of sales, $9.30@9.60.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 500 head; market steady; lambs, $10.50@11.10.

Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock from the five principal western markets:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	9,000	14,800	4,000
Chicago	4,000	15,000	13,000
Kansas City	10,700	12,500	5,000
St. Louis	4,400	11,200	950
Sioux City	2,500	9,500	600
Total	30,600	63,000	23,500

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 14.—COTTON—Spot, steady; middling uplands, 12c; no sales.

Cotton futures opened firm; May, 11.94c; July, 12.15c; October, 12.32c; December, 12.45c; January, 12.53c.

Futures closed steady; May, 12c; July, 12.18c; October, 12.34c; December, 12.52c; January, 12.60c.

The cotton market closed steady at a net advance of 3 to 8 points.

LIVERPOOL, March 14.—COTTON—Spot steady; good middling, 7.13d; middling, 7.56d; low middling, 7.06d; sales, 10,000 bales.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 14.—METALS—Lead, $7.75 bid. Spelter, not quoted. Copper, quiet; electrolytic, nearby, $23.00@28.50; June and later, $27.00@27.50. Iron, steady and unchanged. Tin, quiet; spot offered at $35.50.

At London: Spot copper, £105; futures, £103; electrolytic, £126. Spot tin, £192; futures, £191. Lead, £38 5s. Spelter, £85.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits

NEW YORK, March 14.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Easy; fancy, 7½@8c; choice, 6@6½c; prime, 4½@5½c.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, unsettled; California, 8@11½c; Oregons, 7½@9½c. Apricots, inactive; choice, 9½@10c; extra choice, 10½@10¾c; fancy, 11½@12c. Peaches, inactive; choice, 5½c; extra choice, 5½c; fancy, 6½c. Raisins, easy; loose muscatels, 6½@7c; choice to fancy, seeded, 7½@7½c; seedless, 9½@10½c.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, March 14.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; centrifugal, 5.52c; molasses, 4.7c. Refined firm. Sugar futures opened higher, but later eased off and at noon were 1 point higher to 1 point lower. Later all grades of refined were advanced 10 points, making standard granulated 6.75c.

Fire Destroys Alaska Block.

SEWARD, Alaska, March 13.—Fire here today destroyed the Daggett block, the S. T. Colwell store and two dwelling houses. The Daggett block contained the Rainier buffet and the office of the Seward Evening Post. Water shortage hampered the firemen. The loss was $25,000.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Best Beeves Steady and Others Ten or More Lower—Sheep Steady to Stronger.

HOGS FIVE OR MORE HIGHER

OMAHA, March 14, 1916.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	8,970	8,380	9,200
Estimate Tuesday	9,000	14,800	4,000
Two days this week	17,970	23,180	13,200
Same days last week	17,230	20,517	16,100
Same days 2 weeks ago	13,850	24,700	22,921
Same days 3 weeks ago	14,836	26,619	22,758
Same days 4 weeks ago	16,688	21,136	20,661
Same days last year	18,347	29,670	37,924

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:

	1916.	1915.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	299,313	192,591	106,722	.....
Hogs	332,633	717,840	214,792	.....
Sheep	484,536	570,619	.....	85,913

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

Date	1916.	1915.	1914.	1913.	1912.	1911.	1910.
Feb. 25	8 61½	6 60	8 18	8 20	*	6 98	9 23
Feb. 26	8 15½	6 47	8 40	8 12	6 02	*	9 36
Feb. 27	*	6 50	8 42	8 06	6 06	6 82	*
Feb. 28	8 21½	*	8 34	8 18	6 11	6 96	9 30
Feb. 29	8 30½	.....	.....	.....	6 08	.....	.....
Mch. 1	8 49½	6 51	*	8 30	6 15	6 92	9 47
Mch. 2	8 55½	6 46	8 28	*	6 25	6 93	9 56
Mch. 3	8 60½	6 42	8 24	8 30	*	6 78	9 50
Mch. 4	8 65½	6 41	8 29	8 24	6 32	6 82	9 55
Mch. 5	8 68½	6 47	8 26	8 21	6 37	6 88	*
Mch. 7	8 80½	*	8 29	8 47	6 34	6 83	9 78
Mch. 8	8 95½	6 64	*	8 32	6 54	6 74	9 78
Mch. 9	9 12½	6 67	8 35	*	6 31	6 69	9 85
Mch. 10	9 20½	6 63	8 33	8 32	*	6 75	10 32
Mch. 11	9 41½	6 66	8 34	8 33	6 40	6 80	10 27
Mch. 12	*	6 69	8 40	8 45	6 48	*	10 37
Mar. 13	9 37½	6 73	8 57	8 50	6 56	6 63	*
Mar. 14	9 35	*	8 55	8 57	6 45	6 58	10 21

*Sunday.

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock yards, Omaha, Neb., for twenty-four hours ending at 3 o'clock p. m., March 14:

RECEIPTS.

	Cattle.	H'gs.	Sh'p.	Hor's
C., M. & St. P.	9	3	..	..
Wabash	7	1	..	..
Missouri Pacific	9	3	1	..
Union Pacific	110	66	5	..
C. & N.W., east	21	5	..	..
C. & N. W., west	61	67	4	2
C., St. P. M. & O.	41	19	..	..
C., B. & Q., east	11	2	..	1
C., B. & Q., west	62	28	6	2
C., R. I. & P., east	11	7	..	..
C., R. I. & P., west	7	2	..	..
Illinois Central	6	3	..	1
Chicago Gt. West	8	1	..	..
Total receipts	363	207	16	6

DISPOSITION.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Morris & Co.	831	1,816	512
Swift & Co.	1,971	3,235	1,135
Cudahy Packing Co.	1,157	1,550	1,652
Armour & Co.	1,068	3,600	1,102
Schwartz & Co.	.....	1,218	.....
J. W. Murphy	.....	2,084	.....
Morrell	1	.....	.....
Lincoln Packing Co.	47	.....	.....
So. Omaha Pack. Co.	14	.....	.....
W. H. Vansant Co.	99	.....	.....
Benton, Vansant & Co.	197	.....	.....
Hill & Son	274	.....	.....
F. B. Lewis	115	.....	.....
Huston & Co.	144	.....	.....
J. B. Root & Co.	28	.....	.....
J. H. Bulla	22	.....	.....
L. F. Husz	3	.....	.....
Rosenstock Bros.	58	.....	.....
F. G. Kellogg	162	.....	.....
Werthheimre & Degen	120	.....	.....
H. P. Hamilton	75	.....	.....
Sullivan Bros.	10	.....	.....
Rothschild & Krebs	74	.....	.....
Mo. & Kan. Calf Co.	112	.....	.....
Christie	239	.....	.....
Higgins	11	.....	.....
Huffman	13	.....	.....
Roth	25	.....	.....
Meyers	28	.....	.....
Baker, Jones & Smith	257	.....	.....
Banner Bros.	28	.....	.....
John Harvey	471	.....	.....
Dennis & Francis	60	.....	.....
Kline	50	.....	.....
Jensen & Lundgren	20	.....	.....
Other buyers	532	.....	97
Totals	9,024	12,303	4,498

CATTLE—Receipts were quite liberal today, making the total for the two days 17,970, an increase of about 600 head over the same period last week, and the largest for a long time back, although smaller than a year ago by a few hundred head. The arrivals consisted mostly of cornfed steers, with only a moderate sprinkling of cow stuff, stockers and feeders.

Beef steers were in good supply, and the choice grades, that is, cattle selling above $9.00 were steady, the top being $9.30, the highest price touched thus far this year. For the two days the market is around 15@20c lower.

Cows and heifers, being in light supply, did not show so much as beef steers, but they are around 10@15c lower than last week.

Stockers and feeders were in moderate supply and fair demand, so that prices were firm, being fully as high as last week's close.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beeves, $9.00@9.50; fair to good beeves, $8.50@8.00; common to fair beeves, $7.50@8.50; good to choice heifers, $7.25@8.25; good to choice cows, $6.75@7.75; fair to good cows, $6.25@6.75; common to fair cows, $4.50@6.25; good to choice feeders, $7.60@8.10; fair to good feeders, $7.20@7.65; common to fair feeders, $6.00@7.20; good to choice stockers, $7.75@8.25; stock heifers, $6.75@7.75; stock cows, $6.00@6.25; stock calves, $7.00@8.00; veal calves, $7.00@10.00; bulls, stags, etc., $5.50@7.35.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
5	932	7 85	9	1018	8 25
8	1065	8 25	15	1234	8 45
10	1060	8 50	18	1322	8 60
18	1261	8 60	20	1326	8 65
14	1260	8 75	17	1423	8 90
21	1209	9 00	20	1411	9 30
20	1379	9 30			

STEERS AND HEIFERS.

3	460	7 25	6	893	7 40
7	477	7 50	8	942	8 00
8	638	8 20	7	727	8 25
6	700	8 60			

HEIFERS.

3	420	6 25	3	713	8 50
1	930	8 65	18	667	7 25
7	857	8 75			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

11	573	5 75	4	792	7 10
20	673	7 35	10	776	7 40
8	742	7 45	4	757	7 50
22	504	7 60	7	571	7 60
28	843	7 70	3	837	7 75
18	558	7 85	5	886	7 90
19	859	8 00	40	991	8 15
18	441	8 25	20	1120	8 40

HOGS—There was a pretty good run of hogs on hand today, arrivals amounting to some 265 cars, or 14,800 head. Total receipts for the two days are 23,180 head, being 3,000 larger than for last week, but 1,500 short of two weeks ago and a falling off of 16,500 head as compared with the corresponding days of last year.

Shipping demand was hardly so broad as on Monday, outside buyers having little or no trouble in getting their kind of hogs at prices that were anywhere from weak to 5@10c lower and looked on the whole a good 5c off.

Packers again started out with 10c lower offers and made a determined effort to buy hogs this way. Sellers were, however, in no hurry to cut loose at so large a reduction, and before they could fill their more urgent orders buyers had to raise their bands, finally making their first purchases at a full nickel decline.

Even after a trading basis had been established movement did not liven up much, but so long as the market lasted prices paid were a full 5c below yesterday. Quality of the supply was somewhat better than yesterday's and for this reason sellers thought actual sales were as much as 5@10c lower in many cases, although on paper the market was not over 5c lower.

One buyer laid out all forenoon, and up to midday had not bought a hog. This did not hurt the early market a great deal, but resulted in upwards of twenty-five loads, mostly of the commoner hogs, remaining in first hands up to noon.

As noted above, the general market was fully 5c lower and considerable improvement in quality might have been 5@10c lower in some instances. Bulk of the sales was made at $9.25@9.45, with a fair sprinkling as high as $9.55, the day's top, and the usual scattering of sales below the bulk.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
42	175	120	9 00	37	196	...	9 15
23	181	...	9 20	81	211	40	9 20
44	206	120	9 25	81	181	...	9 25
62	208	...	9 25	77	210	...	9 30
73	201	...	9 30	7	211	...	9 35
41	232	40	9 40	40	222	...	9 40
43	243	80	9 42½	41	241	...	9 45
21	261	...	9 45	21	253	...	9 50
50	291	...	9 50	46	297	80	9 55
53	294	...	9 55				

PIGS

15	62	...	7 75	63	106	...	8 00

SHEEP—Yesterday's decline was followed by a real light run today, only about sixteen cars, or 4,000 head, showing up. The two days' supply of 13,200 head is 3,000 smaller than last week, 10,500 lighter than two weeks ago and only a little over a third as large as for the same days a years ago.

In the end yesterday buyers cleaned up practically everything. Buyers were unable to make their quarter reduction stick and no lambs were more than 10@15c lower, while in some cases it was doubtful if values were that much below last week. Several loads of good lambs sold in the afternoon at $11.00, and one bunch reached $11.06. On ewes, however, values were anyway 15@25c lower all the way through.

Today packers did not take hold of the limited offerings any too readily, but such lambs as they bought during the early part of the forenoon looked fully steady at Monday's decline, and in some instances stronger. As high as $11.00 was paid for pretty good light and handyweight stuff, while good, weighty westerns made $10.90. A small package of yearlings at $9.85 equaled the highest price paid this season.

Later rounds saw yesterday's extreme top of $11.25 equaled on good Colorado-Mexicans. The markets the last two days have been so uneven that comparisons are hard to make, but the majority of the traders thought today's prices fully steady with yesterday's general market. As was the case yesterday, the quality of most of the lambs was nothing extra, bulk selling downward from $11.00.

Four cars of ewes made up the bulk of the aged sheep offerings, and with such light receipts trade showed a little higher tendency after it once got started. A fair kind of western ewes sold early at $7.10, while later in the day two cars of Montanas landed at $7.95, as against $7.85 for their mates yesterday.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, good to choice, $10.75@11.25; lambs, fair to good, $10.50@10.75; lambs, fall clipped, $9.00@9.75; lambs, fresh clipped, $8.50@9.00; yearlings, fair to choice, light, $9.25@10.00; yearlings, fair to choice, heavy, $8.50@9.40; wethers, fair to choice, $7.75@8.50; ewes, good to choice, $7.85@8.10; ewes, fair to good, $7.00@7.85.

No.		Av.	Pr.
267	fed lambs	72	$11 00
513	Mexican lambs	75	11 25
409	fed lambs	92	11 00
795	fed lambs	70	11 00
721	fed ewes	94	7 85
127	fed feeder ewes	82	7 00
74	fed ewes	95	7 00
410	Montana ewes	106	7 95
239	fed lambs	92	10 90

Villa Gets Nearly 100 Cavalry Horses in Raid on Columbus

EL PASO, Tex., March 14.—It was learned from a high military authority that Villa's raid on Columbus was not as barren of results to the bandit chief as was at first supposed. He is now known to have captured at least ninety-two cavalry horses, which he drove before him safely across the border.

A ripple of excitement was felt in El Paso today when military patrols, armed with rifles and bayonets, appeared on the streets. Military provosts, without rifles, have been about the only sign of the unusual seen on the streets here. The patrols were ordered out to guard the electric light, water and gas plants.

Grain Alcohol May Be Used for Gasoline

MADISON, Wis., March 14.—That grain alcohol may be used as a substitute for gasoline because of the soaring price of the latter is predicted by Howard F. Weiss, director of the Forest products laboratory here.

The government has been conducting experiments along this line for the last three years. Gasoline is selling at from 27 cents to 30 cents in New York. Grain alcohol can be produced at from 13 cents to 15 cents a gallon.

Mr. Weiss is submitting the complete details of the results of the experiments to the federal government and also to large manufacturers in the United States. From one ton of sawdust the laboratory produced twenty-five gallons of 95 per cent alcohol.

Chicago Takes First Step in School Drill

CHICAGO, March 14.—The first step toward military training in the Chicago public schools was taken today. Representatives of the educational department of the board of education were instructed to prepare a course in military training to conform to the