LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Steady to Ten Cents Off and Slow—Lambs Very Slow and Some Lower.

HOGS TWENTY CENTS DOWN

Omaha, Sept. 21, 1916.

Receipts were:	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Official Monday	17,794	4,709	50,661
Official Tuesday	12,716	5,006	25,904
Official Wednesday	7,897	5,212	24,067
Estimate Thursday	6,600	5,600	26,000
Four days this wk.	45,007	20,527	126,632
Same days last week	35,331	23,838	117,974
Same days 2 wks. ago	16,606	6,248	83,465
Same days 3 wks. ago	31,159	27,280	111,518
Same days 4 wks. ago	27,540	21,593	87,044
Same days last year	38,401	10,926	146,559

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock yards, Omaha, Neb., for twenty-four hours ending at 3 o'clock September 21, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	H'r's.
C., M. & St. P.	3	5	..	..
Wabash	..	1	..	..
Missouri Pacific	6	1	..	..
Union Pacific	57	15	72	..
C. & N. W., east	63	..	..	1
C. & N. W., west	46	24	..	1
C., St. P., M. & O.	4	3	1	1
C., B. & Q., east	1	5	..	..
C., B. & Q., west	137	17	20	..
C., R. I. & P., east	2	3	..	..
C., R. I. & P., west	1	3	..	..
Illinois Central	..	..	1	..
Total receipts	365	79	95	3

DISPOSITION.

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Morris & Co.	854	743	2,297
Swift and Company	1,124	1,314	4,332
Cudahy Packing Co.	467	1,644	1,393
Armour & Co.	1,913	1,425	2,861
Schwartz & Co.	...	57	......
J. W. Murphy	...	4	......
Morrell	2	.....	......
Lincoln Packing Co.	39	.....	......
South Om. Packing Co.	22	.....	......
Coor Packing Co.	...	101	......
Armour, Denver	...	.....	1,098
W. B. Vansant Co.	307	.....	......
Benton, Vansant & Lush	119	.....	......
F. B. Lewis	167	.....	......
J. B. Root & Co.	247	.....	......
J. H. Bulla	76	.....	......
L. F. Husz	102	.....	......
Dosenstock Bros.	65	.....	......
F. G. Kellogg	190	.....	......
Werthelmer & Degen	309	.....	......
H. F. Hamilton	117	.....	......
Sullivan Bros.	54	.....	......
Rothschild & Krebs	190	.....	......
M. & K. Calf Co.	117	.....	......
Christie	75	.....	......
Higgins	1	.....	......
Huffman	9	.....	......
Roth	12	.....	......
Meyers	2	.....	......
Glassberg	12	.....	......
Banner Bros.	18	.....	......
John Harvey	450	.....	......
Dennis & Francis	1	.....	......
Kline	48	.....	......
Jensen & Lungren	61	.....	......
Other Buyers	1,351	.....	15,650
Totals	6,200	5,367	27,731

Cattle—Receipts this morning were large for a Thursday, 254 cars being reported. There were more cattle at this point than at any other market today and the receipts for the four days foot up 45,000 head, being the largest of any week thus far this year and larger than for the corresponding week a year ago by over 6,000 head.

The trade was naturally a little slow, buyers being in no great hurry to fill orders with so many cattle from which to make selections. For that reason the forenoon was pretty well advanced before much business had been transacted. Prices ranged all the way from steady to 10c or more lower than yesterday.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beeves, $10.00@10.85; fair to good beeves, $9.00@10.00; common to fair beeves, $6.75@9.00; good to choice grass beeves, $7.75@9.25; fair to good grass beeves, $7.25@7.75; good to choice heifers, $6.75@7.25; good to choice cows, $6.50@7.00; fair to good cows, $5.85@6.50; common to fair cows, $4.50@5.85; good to choice feeders, $7.25@8.25; fair to good feeders, $6.85@7.25; common to fair feeders, $6.00@6.65; good to choice stockers, $7.25@7.75; stock heifers, $6.00@7.25; stock cows, $5.50@6.50; stock calves, $6.50@8.50; veal calves, $8.00@11.00; beef bulls, stags, etc., $6.00@7.00; bologna bulls, $5.25@5.65.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
CALVES.					
6	455	$8 00	6	167	$10 50
WESTERNS.					
J. H. Dockie—Wyoming.					
15 steers	1186	$7 45	4 steers	985	7 45
C. R. Chestnut—Nebraska.					
3 steers	1150	7 00	16 steers	1023	7 00
Ed Catron—Nebraska.					
17 steers	814	6 50	7 steers	867	6 50
G. F. Robinson—Wyoming.					
15 feeders	915	6 40	10 feeders	882	6 75
J. E. Berens—South Dakota.					
5 steers	976	6 25	7 steers	533	6 50
William Clark—Nebraska.					
38 steers	1024	7 05	3 cows	1283	6 65
S. M. Underhill—Nebraska.					
24 steers	1213	8 10	9 steers	1255	7 60
August Anderson—California.					
22 feeders	975	6 60	11 cows	1104	6 30
Joe Dolan—Wyoming.					
34 feeders	1070	7 40	8 feeders	1012	7 80
Springfield Ranch Co.—Wyoming.					
18 cows	1003	6 60	3 cows	810	4 50
Mercer Bros.—Wyoming.					
56 feeders	681	7 25	27 heifers	944	7 00
Donald Lachton—Nebraska.					
18 feeders	803	6 60	6 heifers	663	6 50
Thomas Gotwals—Wyoming.					
30 feeders	923	7 30	74 ylgs.	639	7 75
O. W. Story—Nebraska.					
27 steers	1009	6 50	7 steers	1192	7 25
WYOMING.					
46 steers	1212	8 10	11 steers	1148	7 10
19 steers	934	7 00	1 calf	260	9 00
SOUTH DAKOTA.					
13 steers	1202	7 75	5 steers	1153	7 25
8 steers	1325	7 25	9 cows	1175	6 75
NEBRASKA.					
20 cows	1007	6 25	60 cows	897	6 00
36 cows	875	6 00	25 cows	812	5 25

Hogs—The market was in almost every way a repetition of Wednesday's average decline, being if anything a little larger than it was yesterday. Shippers again had practically no orders and, being without much competition, packers bought what good hogs were here at almost their own figures, best kinds showing more decline than anything else. A shipper buyer paid $10.90 for half a load of strictly choice light hogs, but the best price given for a full load was $10.65.

The market opened a quarter lower than the best time yesterday, or at least 15c below the close, and seemed to if anything get a little worse as it went along bulk of the offerings selling at prices that were a big 20c below Wednesday's average, while best hogs, which showed the least decline yesterday, were called even more than a quarter lower in more than one instance.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
51	171	...	$9 75	8	307	...	$10 00
81	276	360	10 10	22	326	...	10 15
53	231	120	10 20	71	210	120	10 25
60	265	80	10 30	75	252	...	10 35
63	213	80	10 40	80	210	200	10 45
94	173	80	10 65	36	175	...	10 90

Sheep—The advances fat lamb prices have scored the last two days were in view of the action of other markets considered entirely unwarranted by the packers, and with the biggest run on the market map at their disposal this morning buyers dealt out bear talk from the very outset. Bids were mighty scarce during the earlier part of the forenoon, but the talk was that packers had set their mark a quarter below yesterday. Feeder buyers bought a few of the good to choice lambs during the first half of the forenoon at about steady prices, paying $10.25 in more than one instance and giving $10.45 for some that were real good, but here, too, there was a slumpy feeling, and demand was less keen than on any previous day of the week.

When movement actually started it was on a very irregular basis. Several bunches of fat lambs sold 15@25c lower, bringing $10.30@10.35, while one string at $10.60 was steady with yesterday. Feeders were about the same way, trade being very sticky after a few early sales had been made at steady prices. Not enough old sheep had sold at noon to give a line on the market.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, good to choice, $10.35@10.60; lambs, fair to good, $10.10@10.35; lambs, feeders, $9.75@10.45; yearlings, good to choice, $7.75@8.50; yearlings, fair to good, $7.00@7.75; yearlings, feeders, $6.50@8.00; wethers, fair to choice, $6.50@7.50; ewes, good to choice, $7.00@7.35; ewes, fair to good, $6.25@6.90; ewes, plain to culls, $4.00@5.75; ewes, feeding, $5.50@7.00; ewes, breeders, all ages, $7.00@9.50.

Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
1,049	Idaho lambs	70	10.60
426	lambs	67	10.60
577	Idaho feeding lambs	57	10.30
329	Wyoming lambs	70	$10 35
217	Wyoming feeder ewes	92	6 30
123	Wyoming breeding ewes	100	7 00
90	cull lambs	40	8 75
739	Wyoming lambs	55	10 35
108	Wyoming ewes	110	7 30
494	Wyoming lambs	64	10 50
1866	Wyoming feeder lambs	53	10 40

Persistent Advertising of Anything That Is Really Worth-While Never Fails.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cattle Weak; Hogs Weak; Sheep Unsettled.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000 head; market weak; native beef cattle, $6.50@11.30; western steers, $6.00@9.25; stockers and feeders, $4.60@7.65; cows and heifers, $2.50@9.20; calves, $8.50@13.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000 head; market weak, 15c to 20c under yesterday's average; bulk, $10.20@11.00; light, $9.90@11.10; mixed, $9.95@11.20; heavy, $9.75@11.10; rough, $9.75@10.00; pigs, $6.75@9.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 18,000 head; market unsettled; wethers, $6.85@8.50; ewes, $3.80@7.90; lambs, $6.75@10.75.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

St. Louis, Sept. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,300 head; market, steady; native beef steers, $7.50@11.00; yearling steers and heifers, $8.50@10.65; cows, $5.50@8.00; stockers and feeders, $5.30@8.00; southern, $5.50@8.50; prime southern steers, $8.00@9.00; cows and heifers, $4.50@8.00; prime yearling steers and heifers, $7.50@9.00; native calves, $6.00@11.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head; market, lower; lights, $10.50@11.00; pigs, $8.00@10.00; mixed and butchers, $10.50@11.10; good heavy, $11.05@11.15; bulk of sales, $10.50@11.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,100 head; market, steady; lambs, $7.50@10.90; slaughter ewes, $7.00@7.25; bleating ewes, $9.00@10.00; yearlings, $8.00@9.00.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,500 head; market steady; prime fed steers, $9.75@10.90; dressed beef steers, $7.25@9.50; western steers, $6.25@9.50; heifers, $6.00@9.50; stockers and feeders, $5.50@8.00; bulls, $5.50@6.00; calves, $6.00@11.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 61,000 head; market lower; bulk, $10.25@10.75; heavy, $10.25@10.75; packers and butchers, $10.25@10.95; light, $10.10@10.90; pigs, $9.00@9.75.

Sheep—Receipts 20,000 head; market lower; lambs, $9.75@10.40; yearlings, $7.50@8.25; wethers, $7.00@7.50; ewes, $6.50@7.25.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

Sioux City, Sept. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,200 head; market, weaker; beef steers, $5.50@7.00; butchers, $5.50@6.60; canners, $3.75@5.25; bulls, stags, etc., $5.00@6.25; feeding cows and heifers, $4.75@6.40.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,500 head; market, 10@20c lower; light, $10.00@10.15; mixed, $10.15@10.35; heavy, $10.35@10.65; bulk of sales, $10.15@10.40.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head; market, steady; ewes, $5.00@6.75; lambs, $8.50@10.30.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000 head; market slow; steers, $6.50@10.50; cows and heifers, $4.25@9.75; calves, $6.00@11.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,300; market 15c lower. Top, $10.75; bulk of sales, $10.30@10.60.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,000 head; market 10@15c lower; lambs, $10.00@10.55.

Live Stock in Sight.

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

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Kansas City	5,500	61,000	20,000
Chicago	5,000	17,000	18,000
Omaha	6,600	5,600	26,000
St. Louis	5,300	7,000	3,100
Sioux City	2,200	2,500	1,000
Totals	24,600	93,100	65,100

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Butter—No. 1 creamery, in cartons or tubs, 34c; No. 2, 32c.

Poultry—Live: Broilers, 1¾ to 2 lbs., 21c; broilers, over 2 lbs., 17c; hens, over 4 lbs., 15c; hens under 4 lbs., 14c; roosters and stags wanted, 10½c; geese, full feathered, fat, 12c; young and old ducks, full feathered, fat, 12c; turkeys, any size over 8 lbs., 24c; turkeys, less than 8 lbs., half price; capons, 9 lbs. and over, 24c; poultry, poor and thin, not wanted; guineas, each, 25c; guineas, young, each 25c; squabs, homers, per doz.: 14 oz. each, $4.00; 12 oz. each, $2.50; 8 oz. each, $1.50; under 8 oz. each, 50c. Pigeons, per doz., $1.00.

Cheese quotations by Urlau & Co.

Cheese—Tin-foiled, Swiss, 46c; domestic Swiss, 33c; block Swiss, 30c; twin cheese, 21c; triplets, 21c; daisies, 21c; young America, 23c; Blue Label brick, 27c; limberger, 23c; New York white, 23c; Roquefort, 65c.

Oysters—Standards, 38@40c; selects, 40@45c, counts, 32@50c.

FISH—Halibut, bright steamer stock, 12½c; salmon, red, 14c; salmon, fall, 12c; catfish, large or small, 17c; black bass, order size, 23c; whitefish, northern stock 15c; pike, No. 1 fancy, 17c; bullheads fancy, 15c; herring, 7c; sunfish, medium 7c; trout, No. 1, lean sizes to suit, 18c; pickerel, headless and dressed, 12c; carp No. 1, dressed, 9c; flounders, 11c; crappies, medium, 8c; headless shrimp, per gal., $1.25; peeled shrimp, per gal., $1.75; kippered salmon, 10-lb. basket, per lb., 17c; smoked whitefish, chubs, 10-lb. basket, per lb., 15c.

Wholesale prices of beef cuts effective September 11 are as follows: No. 1 ribs, 19c; No. 2, 17c; No. 3, 12½c; No. 1 loins, 23c; No. 2, 18½c; No. 3, 14c; No. 1 chucks 13c; No. 2, 11½c; No. 3, 10½c; No. 1 rounds, 17¼c; No. 2, 15½c; No. 3, 13c; No. 1 plates, 9¾c; No. 2, 9c; No. 3, 8c.

Fruit and vegetable prices furnished by Gilinsky Fruit Co.:

Fruits—Oranges, vals, 96s, 100s, 324s $4.25 box; vals 126s, $5.00 box; vals 150s, $5.25 box; 176s, 288s, $5.50 box; 200s, 216s, 250s, $5.75 box. Lemons—Fancy 300s, 360s, $8.00 box; choice 300s, 360s, $6.50 box; 270s size 50 per cent less. Grapefruit—Market price. Apples—Belleflowers, $1.75 box, Washington Jonathans, extra fancy, $2.00 box; Colorado Jonathans, extra fancy, $2.25 box; barrels, $3.50 bbl. Grapes—Home-grown, 23c basket; malagas, $1.65 crate; Tokays, $2.00 crate. Pears—Colorado, Washington, fancy 5 tr., $2.65 crate; choice 5 tr., fancy 6 tr., $2.40 crate; choice 6 tr., $2.15 crate; Keifers, bushels, $1.75 bu. Keifers, crates, $1.50 crate. Plums—Italian $1.65 crate. Peaches—market price. Bananas—$2.00 to $3.50 bunch. Cantaloupes—Standards, $3.00 crate; ponys, $2.50 crate; flats, $1.00 crate. Watermelons—1½c lb.

Vegetables—Lettuce, head, $1.00 doz.; leaf, 40c dozen. Cauliflower, $2.00 crate. Wax, green beans, peas, $1.00 basket. Peppers, 50c basket. Parsley, 30c doz. Turnips, beets, carrots, 40c basket. Pickling onions $1.00 basket. Cucumbers, $1.00 basket. Cabbage, 2¾c lb. Onions, Spanish, $2.00 crate.

Peaches—Boxes, 85c to $1.00 box; bushels, $1.75 to $2.50 bu.

Honey—$3.75 case.

Miscellaneous—Crackerjack, cornpops and checkers, case, $3.50; half cases, $1.75; peanuts, Special No. 1, lb., 8¼c; Jumbo peanuts, 8c; popcorn, case, $2.50; honey, new case, 3.75.

Coffee Market.

New York, Sept. 21.—Coffee—An early rally was followed by renewed weakness in the market for futures today, with most deliveries making new low ground for the movement in the late trading. The opening was irregular, December being 2 points lower, while other months were 1 to 4 points higher on scattered covering, or a little fresh buying, which may have been based on reports that European buyers were a little more active in Brazil. Active months sold 2 to 5 points net higher during the morning, but demand tapered off on the advance and the market eased off from 8.85c to 8.75c for March and from 8.89c to 8.80c for May under Wall street and trade selling. The close was 4 to 7 points lower. Sales, 57,250 bags. Closing bids: September, 8.90c; October, 8.90c; November, 8.72c; December, 8.67c; January, 8.69c; February, 8.71c; March, 8.73c; April, 8.77c; May, 8.81c; June, 8.85c; July, 8.90c; August, 8.94. Spot coffee, nominal; Rio 7s, 9⅝c; Santos 4s, 11¼c; very few fresh offers were received from Brazil, owing to the holiday. A sale was reported of highly described Santos 2s and 3s at 11.15c, London credits. There were no official cables from the Rio market. Santos spots were unchanged and futures 100 to 150 reis lower. Rain was reported in four districts of Sao Paulo, with temperatures ranging from 61 to 93 degrees.

Omaha Hay Market.

Prairie Hay—Choice upland, $10.50@11.00; No. 1, $9.50@10.00; No. 2, $7.00@9.00; No. 3, $5.00@7.00. Choice midland, $8.50@9.50; No. 1, $7.50@8.50; No. 2, $6.50@7.50; No. 3, $5.00@6.00. Choice lowland, $7.00@8.00; No. 1, $6.50@7.50; No. 2, $5.00@6.00. No. 3, 3.00@5.00.

Straw—Choice wheat, $5.00; choice oat or rye, $6.00@6.50.

Alfalfa—Choice alfalfa, $13.50@14.50; No. 1, $12.00@13.50. Standard, $10.00@11.50; No. 2, $8.50@10.00; No. 3, $6.00@8.00.

Metal Market.

New York, Sept. 21.—Metals—Lead, $6.90@7.10. Spelter steady; spot East St. Louis delivery, $8.50 asked. Copper firm; electrolytic, $27.00@28.25. Iron steady and unchanged. Tin quiet; spot offered at $39.50.

At London: Spot copper, £116 10s; futures, £112; electrolytic, £136 10s; spot tin, £173; futures, £173 10s; lead, £30 15s; spelter, £55.

Sugar Market.

New York, Sept. 21.—Sugar—Firm; centrifugal, 5.77c; molasses, 4.67c; refined firm, 10 points higher; cut loaf, 7.75c; crushed, 7.60c; mould A, 7.10c; cubes, 7.10; "XXXX" powdered, 6.75c; powdered, 6.70c; fine granulated, 6.60c; diamond A, 6.60c; confectioner's A, 6.50c; No. 1, 6.45c. Sugar futures at noon were 6 to 14 points higher.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Few Wheat Sales Make Dull Market and Lower Prices Generally Prevail.

CORN IS FAIRLY ACTIVE

Omaha, September 21.

The cash wheat market was very dull today and although the receipts were good, there were very few sales reported. Prices generally were about a cent lower, only an occasional sale being made at yesterday's prices.

The bulk of the No. 2 hard wheat sold around $1.49 and $1.49½ and the No. 3 grade ranged from $1.48 to $1.49.

The corn market was fairly active, but prices were rather irregular, the market ranging from ¾c lower to ½c higher. While the cash demand for all kinds of corn was active the white cereal was especially in demand and sold at a substantial premium over the other varieties.

The trade in oats was pretty active and the sales were made at practically unchanged prices.

The bulk of the samples graded No. 3 white and sold at 44c, while the better grades sold about ¼c higher than the No. 3 white.

The poorer grades of oats were not much in demand and sold for about 43c and 43½c.

The rye market was rather quiet and sold about a cent lower.

There was a good trade in barley and the market ruled from steady to 2c higher. The better grades of this cereal sold from 98c to $1.02 and the No. 4 sold at 81½c.

Clearances were: Wheat and flour equal to 805,000 bushels; corn, 39,000 bushels; oats, 185,000 bushels.

Liverpool close: Wheat, 1½@2d lower; corn, 4d lower.

Primary wheat receipts were 1,821,000 bushels and shipments 1,042,000 bushels, against receipts of 2,472,000 bushels and shipments of 1,864,000 bushels last year.

Primary corn receipts were 678,000 bushels and shipments 222,000 bushels, against receipts of 542,000 bushels and shipments of 430,000 bushels last year.

Primary oats receipts were 1,100,000 bushels and shipments 721,000 bushels, against receipts of 849,000 bushels and shipments of 958,000 bushels last year.

CARLOT RECEIPTS.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	87	257	143
Omaha	72	23	36
Kansas City	203	24	42
St. Louis	103	11	24

These sales were reported today:

Wheat—No. 1 hard winter, 1 car, $1.50; 2 cars, $1.49½. No. 2 hard winter, 1 car, $1.50; 4 cars, $1.49½; 2 cars, $1.49; 1 car, $1.48½. No. 3 hard winter, 4 cars, $1.49; 1 car, $1.48½; 5 3-5 cars, $1.48; 1 car, $1.47; 1 car, $1.46. No. 4 hard winter, 1 car, $1.46½; 2 cars, $1.45½; 1 car, $1.40; 1 car, $1.38½. Sample hard winter, 1 car, $1.40. No. 2 durum, 1 car, $1.52. No. 3 durum, 1 car, $1.50; No. 2 mixed durum, 1 car, $1.50. No. 3 mixed, 1 car, $1.48. No. 4 mixed, 1 car, $1.43.

Rye—No. 2, 1 2-5 cars, $1.18.

Barley—No. 3, 1 car, $1.02; 1 car, $1.00; 4-5 car, 98c; No. 4, 1 car, 81½c; No. 1 feed, 1 car, 76c.

Corn—No. 2 white, 1 car, 82c; No. 3 white, 2 cars, 81c; No. 6 white, 2 cars, 80½c; No. 1 yellow, 1 car, 79½c; No. 3 yellow, 3 cars, 79¼c; No. 2 mixed, 4 cars, 78¼c; No. 2 mixed, 2 cars, 78½c; 1 car, 78¼c; 43-5 cars, 78c; No. 4 mixed, 1 car, 78c; No. 6 mixed, 1 car, 75½c.

Oats—Standard, 1 car, 44½c; No. 3 white, 19 cars, 44c; No. 4 white 5 3-5 cars, 43½c; sample, white, 2 cars, 43c.

Omaha Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.49@1.50; No. 3 hard, $1.48@1.49; No. 4 hard, $1.38½@1.46½; No. 2 spring, $1.47@1.54; No 3 spring, $1.44@1.51; No. 2 durum, $1.51@1.52; No. 3 durum, $1.50@1.51. Corn: No. 2 white, 81½@82c; No. 3 white, 80¾@81c; No. 4 white, 80½@81c; No. 5 white, 80¼@80½c; No. 6 white, 80@80¼c; No. 2 yellow, 79@79½c; No. 3 yellow, 79@79¼c; No. 4 yellow, 78¾@79c; No. 5 yellow, 78½@78¾c; No. 6 yellow, 78¼@78½c; No. 2 mixed, 78¼@78½c; No. 3 mixed, 78@78½c; No. 4 mixed, 77¾@78c; No. 5 mixed, 77@77½c; No. 6 mixed, 76@76½c. Oats: No. 2 white, 44½@44¾c; standard, 44@44½c; No. 3 white, 43¾@44c; No. 4 white, 43@43½c. Barley: Malting, 90c@$1.02; No. 1 feed, 75@82c. Rye: No. 2, $1.17@1.18; No. 3, $1.16@1.17.

Omaha Futures Market.

The opening on December and May wheat was a trifle lower, while the September opened practically unchanged. The market, however, was very nervous. The December advanced ⅝c during the early part of the session and later declined to $1.46⅝, or 1⅛c below the opening. This decline was only temporary, the December option rallying and closed about ⅛c higher. The trading in corn was mostly confined to the December option, the professionals doing most of the trading. December and May corn ruled a trifle higher, while the September option closed fractionally lower. There was very little interest in oats, the trading being confined to the December and May options, which closed ⅛c lower and ⅝c higher. Local range of options:

Art.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
Wht.					
Sept.	1 46	1 46	145	1 45½	146
Dec.	1 47¼	1 47¾	146⅜	1 47⅜	147⅜
May	1 47	1 48	146½	1 47⅜	147⅞
Corn.					
Sept.	79¼	79¼	79	79	79¼
Dec.	68	68½	68	68½	69
May	71¼	71⅝	71¼	71⅝	72⅜
Oats					
Sept.	....	44	44	44	44
Dec.	46⅝	46⅝	46	46½	46⅝
May	47⅞	48⅛	47⅞	48⅛	48⅜

Chicago closing prices, furnished The Bee by Logan & Bryan, stock and grain brokers, 315 South Sixteenth street, Omaha:

Art.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
Wht.					
Sept.	1 48½	1 49¾	148½	1 49⅝	149¼
Dec.	149-49½	1 50⅝	148½	1 50½	149⅞
May	150-149	1 51⅝	149	1 51	150⅜
Corn.					
Sept.	86¼	87¼	86⅜	86⅝	86¼
Dec.	72⅞@⅞	72⅞@73	72⅝	72⅞@73	72¼
May	76@75⅞	76¼	75⅝	76⅝	76⅛
Oats.					
Sept.	44⅞	45¼	44⅝	45¼	45⅛
Dec.	47⅛@½	48	47½	47⅞	48
May	50⅝@⅝	51@51⅛	50⅝	50	51⅛
Pork.					
Oct.	26 90	26 90	26 90	26 90	26 95
Dec.	23 60	23 75	23 60	23 75	23 65
Lard.					
Oct.	14 62	14 65	14 50	14 65	14 60
Dec.	13 95	14 00	13 92	14 00	13 97
Ribs.					
Oct.	14 15	14 15	14 15	14 15	14 27
Jan.	12 62	12 70	12 60	12 70	12 65

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Lower Cable Quotations Have Depressing Influence on Wheat.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Wheat prices rallied today on account largely of European buying, which developed after a decline here due more or less to lower quotations at Liverpool. The close was firm at $1.50⅛ for December and $1.51 for May, with the market as a whole ⅛c off to ⅝c up, as compared with yesterday's finish. Corn closed ⅛@⅛c down to ⅝c advance, oats at a loss of ⅛@⅜c, and provisions ranging from 12c decline to a raise of 10c.

Depression ruled in the wheat trade here until suspicion was aroused that today's Liverpool quotations had been lowered to facilitate European buying of wheat in the United States on a cheaper basis than might otherwise be the case. Liverpool advices gave a different reason for the setback in values abroad—namely, that increased shipments were expected from Australia and Argentina. There were reports also of rains in Argentina, where of late a serious drought has prevailed. As soon, however, as gossip spread that the break in Liverpool quotations was artificial and mainly for effect on this side of the Atlantic, the market here began to harden.

Sudden drying up of wheat offerings here resulted, and estimates were current that fully 70 per cent of European purchases in the last few days had been of wheat grown in the United States. Announcements were made just before the close that vessel charters for Europe during the day had reached an aggregate of 800,000 bushels.

Corn swayed with wheat. Illinois crop damage reports tended to handicap the bears, especially in the last port of the session. Oats sagged in consequence of a lessening of export sales. Weakness, though, was checked in a measure by spreaders who were purchasing oats and at the time selling corn.

Lower quotations on hogs carried down provisions. After a moderate setback, however, good buying developed and brought about a reaction, particularly in lard.

Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1.52; No. 3 red, $1.40@1.51; No. 2 hard, $1.54@1.54⅝; No. 3 hard, $1.35@1.52½. Corn: No. 2 yellow, 87@87¾c; No. 4 yellow, 82c; No. 4 white, 82@83c. Oats—No. 3 white, 45⅜@46½c; standard, 46¼@47c. Rye: No. 2, $1.20½@1.21½. Barley: 80c@$1.14. Timothy: $3.50@5.00. Clover, red, $11.00@14.00. Pork, $25.00. Lard, $14.77. Ribs, $14.40@14.75.

Butter—Higher; creamery, 29@32c.

Eggs—Receipts, 6,494 cases; unchanged.

Potatoes—Lower; receipts, 45 cars; Jerseys, $1.15@1.30; Ohios, $1.15@1.25.

Poultry—Alive lower; fowls, 15½c; springs, 18c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Quotations of the Day on the Leading Commodities.

New York, Sept. 21.—Flour, steady.

Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 1 durum, $1.74; No. 2 hard, $1.66; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.79; No. 1 northern, Manitoba, $1.73½, f. o. b., New York.

Corn—Spot, firm; No. 2 yellow, 97½c, c. i. f., New York.

Oats—Spot, steady.

Hops—Firm; Pacific coast, 1916, 13@18c.

Hay—Steady.

Hides—Steady.

Leather—Firm.

Provisions—Pork, firm. Beef, steady. Lard, firm; middle west, $15.05@15.15.

Tallow—Firm.

Butter—Receipts, 20,180 tubs; creamery extras, 92 score, 33¾@34c; creamery (higher scoring), 34½@35c; firsts, 32½@33½c; seconds, 31@32c.

Eggs—Steady; receipts, 14,300; fresh gathered, extra fine, 35c; extra firsts, 35@37c; firsts, 32@34c.

Cheese—Firm; state, fresh specials, 19½@19¾c; state, average fancy, 19@19¼c.

Poultry—Live, firm; broilers, 21c; fowls, 20½c; turkeys, 17@23½c; turkeys, 25@35c.

Kansas City General Market.

Kansas City, Sept. 21.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, $1.49@1.60; No. 2 red, $1.54@1.60; December, $1.46⅝@1.46½; May, $1.47⅛@1.47¼.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 83@84c; No. 2 white, 84@84½c; No. 2 yellow, 84½@85c; No. 3, 84@84½c; December, 71⅝c; May, 75¼c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 47@47½c; No. 2 mixed, 45@47c.

Butter—Creamery, 31½c; firsts, 29c; seconds, 27½c; packing, 24½c.

Eggs—Firsts, 28c.

Poultry—Hens, 16½c; roosters, 11c; broilers, 20½c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

Minneapolis, Sept. 21.—Wheat—December closed, $1.58⅝; cash, No. 1 hard, $1.67⅝; No. 1 northern, $1.61⅝@1.64⅝; to arrive, $1.59⅝@1.61⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.56⅝@1.61⅝; No. 3, $1.48⅝@1.57⅝.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 82@83c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 43½@42⅝.

Flax—$2.06½@2.10½.

Flour—unchanged.

Barley—65c@$1.05.

Rye—$1.17@1.18.

Bran—$21.00@22.00.

St. Louis Grain Market.

St. Louis, Sept. 21.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.55@1.65; No. 2 hard, $1.55; December, $1.50⅛@1.50⅜.

Corn—No. 2, 84½c; No. 2 white, 86½c; December, 72½@72⅝c.

Oats—No. 2, 45½c; No. 3 white nominal, December, 47c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

Liverpool, Sept. 21.—Wheat—Spot No. 2 hard winter, 13s 8d; No. 2 Manitoba, 14s, 2d. No. 2, 14s; No. 3, nominal.

Corn—Spot American mixed, new, 10c.

Cotton Market.

New York, Sept. 21.—Cotton—Futures opened barely steady. October, 15.84c; December, 15.89c; January, 16.08c; March, 16.17c; May, 16.37c.

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands, 16.15c; no sales.

The cotton market closed today at a net advance of 14 to 16 points.

Liverpool, Sept. 21.—Cotton—Spot, easier; good middling, 9.70c; middling, 9.54c; low middling, 9.38c. Sales, 7,000 bales.

Oil and Rosin.

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 21.—Turpentine—Firm; 44c; sales, 407 bbls.; receipts, 183 bbls.; shipments, none; stock, 24,830 bbls.

Rosin—Firm; sales, 1,062 bbls.; receipts, 837 bbls.; shipments, none; stock, 84,898 bbls. Quote: A, B, C, D, $5.85; E, $5.90; F, $6.10; G, $6.15; H, I, K, M, $6.25; N, $6.35@6.40; WG, $6.45@6.50; WW, $6.50@6.60.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Efforts of Aggressive Speculative Faction to Depress Prices Futile.

SALES OVER ONE MILLION

New York, Sept. 21.—The striking feature of today's session in which sales ran over a million shares for the thirteenth consecutive full day, was the futile effort of an aggressive speculative faction to depress prices. Initial quotations were mainly higher; some substantially so, but a series of bear attacks effaced this advantage before the first hour, leaving the list rather unsettled.

These tactics were successfully maintained until the middle of the day, when conditions improved, chiefly in consequence of another and more general advance in coppers, those issues responding to announcement that producers and agents had advanced the price of the metal for November delivery to 28½ cents.

New maximums were made by leading metals, Anaconda rising to 95½, Utah to 90⅝ and Inspiration to 64⅜. Related issues were correspondingly strong on further advances in lead, spelter and by-products. Dealings in the metal shares were on the largest scale of the year, amounting to about 30 per cent of the whole.

United States Steel lifted the list to the day's highest level in the final hour on its advance to the new record of 109⅝, passing its previous top by almost a point. Rails and other investments moved up 1 to more than 2 points, gains being effected almost wholly at the expense of the short interest, which surrendered such prospective profits as the previous day's irregular market may have yielded.

Many minor issues, such as leathers, sugars, Mexicans and some equipments, participated more or less generally in the recovery with shipping stocks and motors. A conspicuous exception was General Motors, which fell 65 points to 650, that decline, however, hardly offsetting its recent advance of about 175 points. Total sales of stocks amounted to 1,355,000 shares.

Francs and marks were slightly firmer, with other foreign remittances unaltered. More gold was reported to be on the way from England and French credit negotiations were continued.

Bonds were strong, with an increased demand for investments. Total sales, par value, $3,970,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call, with coupon 4s lower by ¾ per cent on sales.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Beet Sugar	7,000	95¼	93½	94½
American Can	8,100	64	62½	63½
Am. Car & Fndry.	2,700	67⅝	65⅝	.....
American Loco.	5,600	78⅜	77½	78⅜
Am. Smelt.&Refg.	5,000	110½	107¼	109
Am. Sugar Refg.	1,600	111⅞	111	111¼
Am. Tel. & Tel.	2,000	132⅞	132⅞	133
Am. Z., L. & S.	3,000	44	42½	43½
Anaconda Copper	128,600	95½	94⅜	94⅜
Atchison	2,100	105⅜	105	105¼
Baldwin Loco.	27,600	89⅜	84½	87⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	2,700	89⅜	88½	88⅞
Brook. Rapid Trans.	700	86	85	85⅝
B. & S. Copper	6,400	65⅜	64⅛	65¼
Cal. Petroleum	500	23¼	22½	22¼
Canadian Pacific	400	178⅜	178	178¼
Central Leather	27,500	67	64¼	67
Chesa. & Ohio	4,400	65	63⅝	64½
C., M. & St. P.	3,900	95⅞	95¼	95¼
C. & N. W.	500	127½	126½	126½
C., R. I. & P. Ry.	2,000	19½	18½	18⅞
Chino Copper	9,200	55	53⅝	54⅞
Colo. Fuel & Iron	11,200	54⅞	52⅞	54⅜
Corn Prod. Refg.	400	15⅜	15⅜	15½
Crucible Steel	57,900	92⅞	89	91⅜
Dist. Securities	1,600	47⅞	47	47⅜
Erie	8,900	39½	38⅞	39
General Electric	2,200	174⅞	173⅞	174½
Gt. Northern pfd.	3,100	120⅛	119½	120⅛
Gt. No. Ore Ctfs.	16,100	44⅛	42¼	44⅛
Illinois Central	400	103	102⅜	102⅞
Int. Con. Corp.	500	17¼	17⅜	17⅜
Inspiration Copper	95,200	64⅜	62	63⅜
Int. Harv., N. J.	.....	.....	.....	117
I. M. M. pfd. ctfs.	30,800	120⅛	117⅞	120
K. C. Southern	500	25½	25¼	25⅜
Kennecott Copper	63,100	54½	53⅛	53⅜
Louis. & Nash.	.....	.....	.....	130
Mexican Petroleum	12,200	113⅞	112	113
Miami Copper	11,200	39½	38⅜	38⅞
*M., K. & T. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	10
Missouri Pacific	300	4⅞	4⅜	4⅜
Montana Power	.....	.....	.....	93⅜
National Lead	13,100	74⅜	70⅜	72¼
Nevada Copper	3,900	22	21⅜	21⅞
N. Y. Central	11,900	107⅞	107⅛	107⅛
N. Y., N. H. & H.	900	60⅞	60½	60⅜
Norfolk & Western	1,200	131	130⅜	130⅞
Northern Pacific	1,300	112½	111⅜	111⅜
Pacific Mail	1,000	27	26½	26⅜
Pac. Tel. & Tel.	.....	.....	.....	35½
Pennsylvania	3,900	57¼	57	57¼
Ray Con. Copper	5,400	25½	25	25⅜
Reading	34,300	112⅜	110⅜	111⅝
Rep. Iron & Steel	26,400	67⅝	64½	66⅜
Shattuck Ariz. Cop.	4,100	31⅞	30½	31½
Southern Pacific	5,000	101	100¼	101
Southern Railway	2,500	24⅝	24¼	24⅝
Studebaker Co.	14,400	131	128⅞	130½
Tenn. Copper	6,800	25½	22⅜	25
Texas Company	2,600	217⅞	215	217
Union Pacific	39,000	147⅜	145⅜	147½
Union Pacific pfd.	1,000	83½	83	82⅞
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	8,900	129½	127	129
U. S. Steel	176,300	109⅞	107¼	109⅜
U. S. Steel pfd.	1,700	121⅛	121	121
Utah Copper	27,100	90⅜	88	90⅛
Wabash Pfd. "B"	500	28⅞	28⅜	27⅜
Western Union	1,300	99¼	98⅜	98⅞
Westingh. Electric	12,500	65	63⅝	64½

*Bid.

Total sales for the day, 1,350,000 shares.

New York Money Market.

New York, Sept. 21.—Mercantile Paper—3½ per cent.

Sterling Exchange—60-day bills, $4.71½; demand, $4.75 11-16; cables, $4.76 7-16.

Silver—Bar, 68⅛c; Mexican dollars, 53½c.

Bonds—Government, steady; railroad, strong.

Time Loans—Easier; 60 and 90 days, 3¼@3½ per cent; 6 months, 3½@3¾ per cent.

Call Money—Steady; high, 2⅜ per cent; low, 2¼ per cent; ruling rate, 2⅜ per cent; last loan, 2⅜ per cent; closing bid, 2¼ per cent; offered at 2⅜ per cent.

*U. S. ref. 2s, reg. 99	M., K. & T. 1st 4s. 73⅝
*do coupon 99	Mo. Pac. con. 6s. 101⅛
U. S. 3s, reg. 100¼	Mont. Power 5s. 98⅝
*do coupon 100¼	N. Y. C. deb. 6s. 113⅞
*U. S. 4s, reg. 109½	N. Y. City 4½s
do coupon 110⅜	(1965) 110
Am. Smelt. 6s. 114	*N. Y., N. H. &
Am. T.&T. cv. 4½s. 111	H. cv. 6s. 110
Anglo-French 5s. 95⅛	No. Pacific 4s. 91⅞
Atchison gen. 4s. 92⅞	do 3s. 66⅛
B. & O. 4s. 90⅜	O. S. L. ref. 4s. 92⅜
Beth. Steel ref. 5s. 100⅛	Pac. T. & T. 5s. 101½
Central Pac. 1st. 89	*Penn. con. 4½s. 104⅜
C. & O. cv. 4½s. 83⅛	do gen. 4½s. 101⅜
C., B. & Q. jt. 4s. 97⅞	Reading gen. 4s. 95⅛
C., M. & St. P. cv. 5s. 106⅛	*St. L. & S. F. ref. 4s. 78
C., R. I. & P.	So. Pac. cv. 5s. 104⅜
Ry. ref. 4s. 72⅜	do ref. 4s. 89⅞
C. & S. ref. 4½s. 84	So. Ry. 5s. 100⅞
D. & R. G. con. 4s. 78⅛	Union Pacific 4s. 96⅜
Erie gen. 4s. 71⅛	do cv. 4s. 94½
General Elec. 5s. 105	*U. S. Rub. 6s. 102⅛
Gt. No. 1st 4½s. 99⅛	U. S. Steel 5s. 106
Ill. Cent. ref. 4s. 88⅜	*West. Union 4½s. 95½
Int. M. M. 4½s. 109	*Westinghouse
K. C. S. ref. 5s. 89⅞	Elec. cv. 5s. 126
L. & N. un. 4s. 94½	Dom. of Can. 1913. 100⅛

*Bid.

London Stock Market.

London, Sept. 21.—American securities were quietly steady on the stock exchange here today. Copper shares improved on good American advices. Money and discount rates were unchanged. British and French treasury bills were in good demand. Consols hardened.

Silver—Bar, 32⅝d per ounce.

Money—4½ per cent.

Discount Rates—Short bills, 5½@5⅝ per cent; three months, 5½@5⅝ per cent.

Bank Clearings.

Omaha, Sept. 21.—Bank clearings for Omaha today were $5,013,057.60 and for the corresponding day last year $3,646,425.85.

School Nurse May Not Be Appointed, Ernst Tells Graff

President Ernst of the Board of Education has directed Superintendent Graff not to appoint a head nurse for the public school medical inspection staff. The action of the board last Monday evening will be reconsidered at the next meeting.

The vote to appoint a nurse instead of a physician as head of the medical inspection was 6 to 4, Dr. D. E. Jenkins voting "yes" under a misapprehension, he has stated. Vice Chairman Cowell of the board was out of the city at the time, so in view of these circumstances, President Ernst thought it would be well to hold the matter in abeyance until the next meeting of the board.

The eight nurses will continue their inspection work under general directions of the superintendent of instruction.

Goes to Pen for Holding Up the Calumet Cashier

One to five years in the state penitentiary was the punishment meted out to Lisle Messer, the boy bandit, when he plead guilty to holding up and robbing the cashier of the Calumet restaurant. Justice was tempered because of Messer's plea that the crime was his first offense. He was captured at Chicago after escaping with $125 taken from the till of the restaurant during the congestion of after-theater supper parties. Messer is 19 years old.

Dry Goods Market.

New York, Sept. 21.—Cotton goods were less active, but firm today. Yarns were firm. Raw silk was barely steady. Carpets were easier on a few well known lines. Jobbers did an active business.

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What Prohibition Will Do:

Prohibition will increase our city taxes at least $352,000 every year—not only for next year, but every year thereafter.

At present the city of Omaha derives that amount yearly from the issuance of licenses.

The advocates of prohibition ask the people of Omaha to abandon a yearly revenue of $352,000, and adopt their system, the prohibition system, under which the alley joint, presided over by disreputable characters, both male and female, takes the place of the licensed dealer.

(*Excerpt from "The Topeka Daily State Journal" of August 29, 1916*)

* * * "Of the 166 criminal cases docketed for the September term of court 106 are for violations of the prohibitory law." * * *

"Not all of these liquor cases will be tried. Some will be dismissed after they come to trial, the county discovering there is not sufficient evidence to secure convictions. As a rule about one-tenth of the cases brought charging violations of the prohibitory law are tried. They cost the county about $50 each."

"One noticeable thing about the criminal docket for the September term is that forty-six of the joint cases are against women. Forty-six women are charged with selling liquor." * * *

The evils that prevail under prohibition in the city of Topeka, the capital of Kansas, would prevail in Omaha.

If Topeka, after 35 long years of prohibition, is unable to make prohibition effective, what reason is there to believe that Omaha, a city four times as large, will escape the demoralizing influences that exist to this very day in Topeka.

What is true of Topeka is also substantially true of every city in Kansas.

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