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640 acres choice wheat land, in fine location; good 6-room house, barn 32x46, good water supply; 320 acres plowed, 200 acres fall wheat, which goes with place; 30 acres alfalfa, fenced hog-tight; land well fenced and cross-fenced; near school. Price, $25 per acre, ½ cash, balance at 6 per cent.

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W. S. FRANKS—Real estate, east Texas lands. 201 Neville Blk. Douglas 2600.

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12 ACRES fairly level, 5 cultivated, balance oak timber; house, barn; borders lake. Price, $600; $200 cash. Tom O'Mason, Cummerland, Wis.

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GUARANTEED TIRES.

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We make one new tire from the old one.

GUARANTEED 3,000 MILES.

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2209 Farnam St. Douglas 3318.

1916 Chevrolet touring	$350
1913 Hupmobile "32," sacrifice.	
1914 Ford	175
1916 Saxon	350

15 PCT.

Cash rebate on your auto insurance policy if you car is equipped with PERRY LOCK. Phone Douglas 2317. 494 Brandeis Bldg.

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WE will trade you a new Ford for your old one. INDUSTRIAL GARAGE CO., 20th and Harney. Douglas 5251.

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REBUILT high and low tension magnetoes, magneto parts or magneto repairs. Mattox, 1426 South 16th. Tyler 1113-J.

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$100 reward for magneto we can't repair. Coils repaired. Baymdorfer, 210 N. 18th.

NEB. Auto Radiator Repair Service, and prices right. 218 S. 19th. D. 7390.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK

DAMAGED screenings, $1.50 a hundred. A. W. Wagner, 801 N. 16th.

FINE Boston bull pups for sale, $15.00. Call Harney 810.

Horses—Live Stock—Vehicles For Sale.

I AM remodeling my barns for a garage and will sell in the next 30 days, 6 head of mares, 11 horses from 1,100 to 1,400 lbs.; also harness and wagon. 2411 No. 24th.

HORSES for sale. 1712 Webster St.

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HARLEY-DAVIDSON MOTORCYCLES. Bargains in used machines. Victor Roos, "The Motorcycle Man," 2703 Leavenworth.

PERSONAL

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Sulphur, steam and eucalyptus baths for chronic diseases; exp. attendant for ladies and gentlemen. 402-3 Rose Bldg. Ty. 2363.

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DR. BURKE, OMAHA'S MEN'S SPECIALIST, 218 CROUNSE BLK.—OPPOSITE P. O. east.

MISSES LILLY AND GOULD—Bath, massage. 1322 Farnam St. Phone Doug. 2416.

MISS NASH, BRUGMAN, scientific masseuse and baths. 203 Karbach Blk. Red 2727.

LUELLA WEBSTER, massage and manicuring. 518 Paxton Blk. Red 2400.

SCIENTIFIC massage, 520 Bee Bldg. Phone Douglas 6372.

MISS GILE, mass., chiropody. 1322 Farnam. Manicuring and mass. 1622 Farnam, Rm. 19.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Poultry—Alive, springs, all sizes, 16½c; hens, all sizes, 16c; stags, 14c; old cocks, 12c; turkeys, fat, 22c; turkeys, old toms, 20c; ducks, F. F. fat, 14c; geese, F. F. fat, 13c.

Butter—Fresh, 26½c.

Eggs—Fresh, No. 1, case, $11.00; No. 2, case, $7.80; crax, case, $7.50.

Cheese quotations by Urlau & Co.:

Cheese—Extra fancy domestic Swiss, 42c; domestic Swiss, 35c; block Swiss, 32c; twin cheese, 25c; triplets, 25½c; daisies, 25½c; young America, 27½c; blue label brick, 25c; limburger, 28c; New York white 28c; Roquefort 65c.

Beef Cuts—Ribs: No. 1, 20c; No. 2, 16½c; No. 3, 12c. Loins: No. 1, 23½c; No. 2, 21½c; No. 3, 16c. Chucks: No. 1, 12½c; No. 2, 12¼c; No. 3, 10½c. Rounds: No. 1, 16½c; No. 2, 16¼c; No. 3, 12½c. Plates: No. 1, 11½c; No. 2, 10½c; No. 3, 9½c.

Oysters—Gallon: Chesapeake standards, $1.55; Chesapeake selects, $1.80; northern standards, $1.80; northern selects, $2.00; northern counts, $2.25.

Celery—Mammoth, per doz., 95c.

Frozen Fish—Whiting, 12c lb.; halibut, 15c lb.; salmon, falls, 12½c lb., salmon, silver, 15c lb.; sunfish, 8c lb.; crappies, 9c lb.; trout, 15c lb.; catfish, 16c lb.; black cod, 10c lb.; pike, 13c lb.; pickerel, 9c lb.; tile fish, 11c lb.; herring, 7c lb.; herring, 8c lb.; whitefish, 14c lb.; smelts, 16c lb.

Fresh Fish—Catfish, 18c lb.; halibut, 19c lb.; sea trout, 15c lb.; Spanish mackerel, 16c lb.; black bass, 20c lb.; black bass, small, 17c lb.; red snapper, 17c lb.; flounders, 12c lb.; codfish, eastern, 14c lb.; bluefish, medium, 16c lb.

Smoked Fish—White chubs, bayfish, 10-lb. baskets, 12c lb.; kippered salmon, 10-lb. baskets, 18c lb.; finan haddies, 15 and 30-lb. boxes, 14c lb.; kippered cod, 10-lb. boxes, 18c lb.

Fruit and vegetable quotations furnished by Gillinsky Fruit Co.:

Fruits—Oranges: 324s, 288s, $2.75 box; 250s, 216s, $3.00 box; all other sizes, $3.25 box; extra fancy, special 25c box higher. Lemons: fancy, 300s, 360s, $5.00 box; choice, 300s, 360s, $4.50 box. Grapefruit, 36s, $3.50 box; 46s, 96s, $3.75 box; 54s, 64s, 80s, $4.00 box. Grapes: Malagas, $7.00@10.00; Emperors, market price. Bananas, 4½c lb. Cranberries: Jerseys, $9.00 bbl.

Apples—Jonothans, fancy, $1.50 box; Jonothan, extr fancy, $2.00 box; Grimes Golden, fancy, $1.75 box; Arkansas Blacks, extra fancy, $3.00 box; Arkansas Blacks, fancy, $2.00 box; Arkansas Blacks, choice, $1.50 box; York Imperials, $5.00 bbl.

Vegetables—Potatoes, $2.00. Sweetpotatoes, $4.25 bbl.; sweetpotatoes hampers, $2.10 hamp. Celery, California, $1.00 doz. Turnips, carrots, parsnips, 2½. Cabbage, 6c lb. Rutabagoes, 2½c lb. Lettuce, head, crates, $3.60 crate. Cauliflower, $3.50 crate. Cucumbers, $2.25 doz. Tomatoes, six baskets, $6.00 crate; tomatoes, baskets, $1.10 basket. Onions, red, 5½c lb.; onion, spanish, $3.25 crate.

Cider—Motts, $4.25 keg; Motts, bbls., $7.25 bbl.

Oleomargarine—Natural color, per lb.: Premium, 24c; Challenge, 23c; Kersey, 20½c; Lily, 19½c; Lincoln, 17½c. White, per lb.: Snowflake, 22c.

Miscellaneous—Peanuts: No. 1 raw, lb., 6c; roasted, lb., 8c; Jumbo, raw, lb., 8c; Jumbo, roasted, lb., 10c. Dromedary dates, case, $3.75. Figs, case, $1.00. No. 1 English walnuts, lb., 18½c.

Coffee Market.

New York, Jan. 20.—Coffee—The market for coffee futures was quiet again today with fluctuations rather irregular but narrow. The recent decline seemed to have strengthened the technical position and business was considered largely in the way of evening up commitments for over the week end. Prices opened unchanged to 2 points higher but barely sustained, May selling between 8.57c and 8.60c, and closing at 8.58c. The general list closed net 1 point lower to 2 points higher. Sales, 22,750 bags. January, 8.45c; February, 8.48c; March, 8.52c; April, 8.55c; May, 8.58c; June, 8.62c; July, 8.65c; August, 8.68c; September, 8.74c; October, 8.78c; November, 8.83c; December, 8.87c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

Minneapolis, Jan. 20.—Wheat—May, $1.88⅝@1.88¾; July, $1.81¼@1.81⅜. Cash: No. 1 hard, $1.96⅝@1.98⅝; No. 1 northern, $1.89⅝@1.92⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.86⅝@1.92⅝.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 95½@96½c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 55@56c.

Flaxseed—$2.88¼@2.92¼.

Flour—Fancy patents declines 10c; quoted at $7.50; first clears advanced 40c, quoted at $7.40; other grades unchanged.

Barley—90c@$1.23.

Rye—$1.41@1.42.

Bran—$30.00@31.00.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Wheat Market is Slow, but Corn and Oats Move Quite Briskly.

CASH WHEAT TAKES DROP

Omaha, January 20, 1917.

The corn and oats markets were fairly active today, but the wheat situation was rather slow on account of the decline in the future market, and the cash article was quoted from 2c to 3c lower.

The local demand for cash wheat, however, would probably have easily taken care of the offerings had it not been for the fact that the sellers were inclined to hold over and take their chances on Monday's market. No. 2 hard wheat brought the top of the market, the bulk of the sales being made around $1.91, while the No. 3 hard sold generally around $1.89@1.90½, the earlier sales being made at $1.89. No. 4 hard wheat sold rather slow at $1.83@1.87, but the durum and mixed grades of wheat were in pretty good demand, the No. 3 durum bringing $1.84@1.86 and the No. 2 mixed wheat selling as high as $1.93½.

The corn market was quoted from ½c to 1¼c lower, but in spite of the decline the cash trade was pretty active and the sellers let go pretty freely, the commercial grades of white bringing $4¼@94¼c and the yellow selling ¼c under the white and the mixed about ¼c under the yellow.

Oats followed wheat and earn on the decline and was quoted from ¼c to ½c lower, the No. 3 white, which made up the bulk of the sales, going at 55½c and the No. 4 white selling ¼c under the No. 3.

There was a pretty active trade in rye at a 2c decline, and barley was extremely quiet with the market quoted nominally unchanged.

Clearances were: Wheat and flour equal to 954,000 bushels; corn, 214,000 bushels; oats, 104,000 bushels.

Primary wheat receipts were 1,154,000 bushels and shipments 1,393,000 bushels, against receipts of 594,000 bushels and shipments of 696,000 bushels last year.

Primary corn receipts were 1,345,000 bushels and shipments 1,515,000 bushels, against receipts of 751,000 bushels and shipments of 538,000 bushels last year.

Primary oats receipts were 691,000 bushels and shipments 432,000 bushels, against receipts of 788,000 bushels and shipments of 855,000 bushels last year.

CARLOT RECEIPTS.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	41	301	113
Omaha	111	70	11
Kansas City	165	36	7
St. Louis	118	103	41

These sales were reported today:

Wheat—No. 1 hard winter, 1 car, $1.81½. No. 2 hard winter, 9 cars, $1.91; No. 3 hard winter, 1 car, $1.91; 1 car, $1.90½; 1 car, $1.90; 9 cars, $1.89; 4 cars, $1.88. No. 4 hard winter, 1 car, $1.87; 1 car, $1.84; 1 car, $1.83. Sample hard winter, 1 car, $1.81. No. 3 durum, 1 car, $1.86; 1 car, $1.85½; 1 car, $1.84. No. 2 mixed, 1 car, $192½. No. 4 mixed, 1 car, $187½; 1 car, $1.82. No. 3 mixed durum, 2 cars, $1.85; 1 car, $1.84. No. 4 mixed durum, 1 car, $1.85.

Rye—No. 2, 2 cars, $1.42½. No. 3, 1 car, $1.42½; 1 car, $1.42.

Barley—No. 4: 1 car, $1.08.

Corn—No. 2 white: 3 cars, 94½c. No. 3 white: 3 cars, 94½c. No. 2 yellow: 1 car, 94½c. No. 3 yellow: 12 cars, 94c. No. 4 yellow: 3 cars, 93½c. No. 3 mixed: 1 car, 94c. No. 3 mixed: 19 cars, 94c. No. 4 mixed: 1 car, 93½c; 3 cars, 93½c. No. 5 mixed: 1 car, 93½c; 1 car, 93½c. Sample mixed: 1 car, 93c.

Oats—No. 2 white: 1 car, 55½c. No. 3 white: 3 cars, 55½c. No. 4 white: 1 car, 55½c; 1 car, 55c.

Omaha Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.90@1.91; No. 3 hard, $1.88@1.91; No. 4 hard, $1.83@1.87; No. 2 spring, $1.85@1.93; No. 3 spring, $1.82@1.90; No. 2 durum, $1.86@1.87; No. 3 durum, $1.84@1.86. Corn: No. 2 white, 94¼@94½c; No. 3 white, 94@94¼c; No. 4 white, 92¼@94c; No. 5 white, 93@93½c; No. 6 white, 92¾@93¼c; No. 2 yellow, 94@94¼c; No. 3 yellow, 92¾@94c; No. 4 yellow, 93¼@93½c; No. 5 yellow, 92@93¼c; No. 6 yellow, 92¾@93c; No. 2 mixed, 93¾@94c; No. 3 mixed, 93¼@94c; No. 4 mixed, 93¼@93¾c; No. 5 mixed, 93@93½c; No. 6 mixed, 92½@93c. Oats: No. 2 white, 55½@56c; standard, 55½@55¾c; No. 3 white, 55¼@55½c; No. 4 white, 55@55¼c. Barley: Malting, $1.12@1.22; No. 1 feed, 95c@$1.12. Rye: No. 2, $1.42½@1.43½; No. 3, $1.41½@1.42½.

Omaha Futures Market.

The future wheat situation was very quiet today and there were no export sales of wheat or corn reported up to the close of the market, and the foreign demand was very slow. Selling by shorts was induced by the press cables of the submarine situation and the reports of the German raider activities in the south Atlantic.

There was not much trading in the local pit and much of the business was confined to the professionals, who were covering over the holidays.

The wheat market closed around ¾c lower on the May and July. Corn closed ¼c lower on May and 1c on July, while oats ruled ¼c lower on May and unchanged on July.

Local range of options:

Art.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
Wht.					
May	1 84½	1 84½	183¼	1 83⅝	185⅛
July	1 47½	1 47½	146⅝	1 46⅝	147¼
Sept	1 29½	1 29½	129½	1 29½	130
Corn.					
May	97¼	97¼	96⅝	96⅝	97¼
July	94½	95½	94½	95½	95
Oats.					
May	56⅝	56⅝	56⅛	56⅝	56⅝
July	51½	51½	51½	51½	52

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.					
May	1 87½	1 87½	185⅝	1 86⅝	188
July	1 51⅝	1 51⅝	151	1 51½	152⅝
Sept	1 34⅝	1 35	134	1 34⅝	135½
Corn.					
May	1 01½	1 01¼	100⅝	1 00½	101¼
July	99⅞	99⅞	98⅞	99	99⅝
Oats.					
May	58⅝	58⅝	58	58¼	58⅝
July	55⅝	55⅝	55⅝	55⅝	55⅞
Pork.					
May	29 40	29 40	29 30	29 32	29 45
July	29 10	29 10	29 07	29 07	29 15
Lard.					
Jan.	16 00	16 05	16 00	16 00	16 05
May	16 32	16 35	16 32	16 32	16 37
Ribs.					
Jan.	15 17	15 20	15 17	15 20	15 25
May	15 47	15 57	15 47	15 52	15 60

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Wheat and Corn Open Lower Because of Export Shipping Difficulties.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Fear of German sea rovers put a virtual stop to export business in wheat today, and caused a material sag in prices. The result was an unsettled close ⅝c to 1⅛c net lower, with May at $1.85⅛ to $1.86⅝, and July at $1.51½ to $1.51⅝. Corn finished ⅝c to ⅞@1c down and oats off ⅜c to ½c. Provisions showed losses varying from 2½c to 12½c.

Depression ruled in the wheat pit right from the outset and there was at no time any important rally. Shipping conditions appeared to be typically outlined by a message from Baltimore saying the harbor there was filled with boats, which, owing to chances of sinking or capture, would not venture to start for Europe. Under such circumstances traders here flocked to the bear side of the market and proceeded to offer liberally enough to keep prices tending almost uniformly downgrade. Particular attention was given meanwhile to Berlin dispatches indicating a likelihood of greatly enlarged submarine activity. On the other hand, estimates that domestic farm reserves were small failed to stimulate buying.

Canadian shipments of much low grade wheat to Minneapolis formed an additional element against the bulls. Other dispatches from the northwest said wheat in cars that could not go east was almost unsalable, even at discounts of 5c a bushel.

Corn fell with wheat. Rural complaints of a scarcity of cars tended somewhat to check the bears. Oats had no independence and merely followed the descent of other cereals.

Weakness of hogs and grain eased down the provision market. Besides, abnormal freight rates on the ocean were expected to curtail the outgo to Europe.

Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1.94; Nos. 2 red and 2 and 3 hard nominal. Corn: No. 2 yellow, $1.00½@1.00⅝; No. 4 yellow, 97@99½c; No. 4 white, 98@98½c. Oats: No. 3 white, 57¼@57⅝c; standard, 58@58½c. Rye: No. 2 nominal. Barley, $1.00@1.32. Seeds: Timothy, $3.50@5.50; clover, $12.00@17.50. Provisions: Pork, $31.00; lard, $16.00@16.07; ribs, $14.62@15.25.

Eggs—Lower; receipts, 2,173 cases; firsts, 36@37c; ordinary firsts, 33@35c; at mark, cases included, 33@36½c.

Butter—Unchanged.

Potatoes—Receipts, 23 cars; unchanged.

Poultry—Alive unchanged.

Kansas City General Market.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 20.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, $1.89½@1.92; No. 2 red, $1.87@1.90; May, $1.82¼; July, $1.47½.

Oats—No. 2 white, 57¼@57½c; No. 3 mixed, 55@56c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 96⅝@97c; No. 2 white, 97@97½c; No. 2 yellow, 97¼c; May, 97½@97⅝c; July, 96½c.

Bee Want Ads Produce Results.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Trend of Values On Cattle for Week Has Been Upward—About Quarter Higher.

HOGS MOVE UP A NICKEL

Omaha, January 20, 1917.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep
Official Monday	8,852	4,683	8,729
Official Tuesday	7,102	21,272	19,642
Official Wednesday	6,234	17,146	13,441
Official Thursday	4,585	20,995	13,551
Official Friday	1,679	21,636	6,063
Estimate Saturday	450	13,300	800
Six days this week	28,905	101,134	58,206
Same days last week	34,440	113,019	77,511
Same days 2 w'ks ago	28,728	47,361	53,138
Same days 3 w'ks ago	16,126	51,170	45,397
Same days 4 w'ks ago	31,930	92,990	44,426
Same days last year	32,346	109,254	53,089

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

RECEIPTS—CARS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	H'r's.
C., M. & St. P.	..	8	..	..
Missouri Pacific	5	2	3	..
Union Pacific	..	32	..	1
C. & N. W., east	..	8	..	..
C. & N. W., west	1	64	..	4
C., St. P., M. & O.	1	11	..	..
C., B. & Q., east	1	4	..	..
C., B. & Q., west	4	22	..	1
C., R. I. & P., east	1	15	..	..
C., R. I. & P., west	..	2	..	..
Illinois Central	..	3	..	..
Chicago Gt. West	..	4	..	..
Total receipts	13	173	3	6

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

	Hogs.
Morris & Co.	1,472
Swift & Company	1,523
Cudahy Packing Co.	3,603
Armour & Co.	2,208
Schwartz & Co.	315
J. W. Murphy	4,039
Totals	13,715

Cattle—As usual on Saturday there was nothing of any consequence in the way of beef cattle on sale and the market was nominally unchanged. For the week receipts have been about 28,500 head, or some 5,000 less than for the week previous, and under the influence of a healthy and vigorous demand from both local packers and shippers the trend of values has been steadily upward. Compared with a week ago closing values for both beef steers and butcher stock are around 25c higher and this advance was well sustained right up to the finish, notwithstanding the continued shortage in both stock cars and refrigerator cars. Both heavy and light cattle are in keen request at these strong prices and it is very evident that the demand for beef is exceptionally broad at this time.

Quotations on Cattle—Good to choice yearling beeves, $10.25@11.50; good to choice beeves, $10.00@11.00; fair to good beeves, $9.50@10.00; common to fair beeves, $7.75@9.25; good to choice heifers, $7.50@8.50; good to choice cows, $7.25@8.00; fair to good cows, $6.00@7.00; common to fair cows, $5.00@6.25, prime feeding steers, $8.75@9.60; good to choice feeders, $8.00@8.50; fair to good feeders, $7.50@8.00; common to fair feeders, $6.25@7.25; good to choice stockers, $7.75@8.25; stock sifers, $6.25@6.85; stock cows, $5.50@7.50; stock calves, $7.00@9.00; veal calves, $8.00@10.50; beef bulls, stags, etc., $6.50@8.50; bologna bulls, $5.50@6.50.

Hogs—Early wires from other markets were slightly bearish in tone, and opening packers bids here were lower than yesterday. Shippers again led the way, paying prices that were strong to 5c higher than yesterday, and while they did not make so big a purchase as on Friday, packers soon followed, buying the bulk of their hogs at figures that were fully steady to as much as 5c higher than yesterday's average, or in other words paying about the same sort of prices as they did at the good time on yesterday's close. Bulk of the offerings found an outlet at $10.60@10.80. There was a sprinkling of the underweight and plain kinds below this, but on the other hand quite a few of the good heavies sold as high as $11.00, and the extreme top reached $11.10, which price is the highest ever paid in January and equals the record for all time which was made last September.

Compared with a week ago today's market is 35@40c higher. Thursday, when shippers were held down by the lack of cars, saw the only break of the week, but on one of the heaviest Friday runs ever received here most of the Thursday decline was regained.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av	Sh.	Pr.
92	191	...	10 40	29	210	...	10 50
70	161	...	10 55	99	188	80	10 60
85	191	...	10 65	84	211	80	10 70
72	230	...	10 75	84	215	...	10 80
67	227	...	10 85	65	271	160	10 90
71	252	...	10 95	67	257	...	11 00
81	280	120	11 05				

PIGS.

14	102	...	900				

Sheep—Sheep and lamb receipts the last week have been tolerably liberal for this time of year, though they are some 20,000 short of last week's big run. There has been a good outlet for light and handy lambs all week, and while markets have been slow at times, prices are 25@35c higher than a week ago on best kinds. Heavy lambs and stuff of just fair quality was a drag on the market all week, and from Tuesday to Thursday dropped as much as a quarter. Friday none were offered, but they were credited with the general upturn, and can be called a little higher than a week ago. Friday's market was the highest ever seen here. Choice Mexicans sold to $14.05, while good westerns brought from $13.75 upward, with big weights and half-fat kinds downward toward $13.00. Hardly any clipped lambs were here, but good fall clips were safely quotable to $12.00 yesterday, with fresh clipped stuff on down according to quality and length of wool.

There was no quotable slump in sheep at any time. One day the tone was easier and small reductions were noted on a few bunches, but even then the weakness was not general. On the other hand, there were a couple of days when values moved up, and closing figures were 15c to possibly as much as 25c higher than a week ago. Friday was high day, two records being broken, when ewes brought $10.00 and yearlings reached $12.35. Good ewes are selling upward from $9.75, with plain to fair kinds upward from $8.25, and culls downward from $8.00. A good kind of wethers are selling upward from $10.00, a $10.50 top being quotable.

The first half of the week there were quite a few feeders here, but the outlet was very broad, and up to Wednesday lambs had advanced half a dollar or more. Thursday and Friday nothing of consequence was offered, but there were plenty of buyers, and strong prices were quotable. Most of the feeding lambs here this week sold at $13.00@13.50, and an extreme top of $13.55 was paid. The fact is that most of the lambs going back to the country now are in the shearing class; that is, something half-fat and with a pretty good fleece. Hardly any feeding ewes were here, but such feeding stock as is coming is finding a ready outlet.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, good to choice, $13.75@14.05; lambs, fair to good, $13.10@13.75; lambs, clipped, $11.25@12.00; lambs, feeders, $12.00@13.50; yearlings, good to choice, $11.50@12.25; yearlings, fair to choice, $11.50@12.25; yearlings, fair to good, $10.75@11.50; wethers, fair to choice, $9.50@10.50; ewes, good to choice, $9.60@10.00; ewes, fair to good, $8.25@9.50; ewes, plain to culls, $6.00@8.00; ewes, feeding, $6.00@8.00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cattle Are Steady, Hogs Are steady, Sheep, Steady.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 500 head; market steady; native beef, $7.60@11.75; western steers, $7.70@10.00; stockers and feeders, $5.75@8.75; cows and heifers, $4.70@10.10; calves, $10.00@14.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 21,000 head; estimated Monday, 65,000 head; market steady at yesterday's average to 5c lower; bulk of sales, $10.80@11.05; light, $10.50@11.05; mixed, $10.65@11.15; heavy, $10.70@11.20; rough, $10.70@10.85; pigs, $8.25@10.15.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 500 head; market steady; wethers, $9.85@11.00; ewes, $7.50@10.25; lambs, $11.85@14.40.

Omaha Hay Market.

Receipts light on both prairie hay and alfalfa, demand continues good. Market steady. Choice upland, $12.00@12.50; No. 1, $11.00@11.50; No. 2, $9.50@10.50; No. 3, $7.50@8.50. Midland, No. 1, $10.50@11.00; No. 2, $8.50@9.50. Lowland, No. 1, $8.00@8.50; No. 2, $7.00@7.50; No. 3, $6.00@6.50. Straw—Oat, $7.00@7.50; wheat, $6.00@6.50. Alfalfa—Choice, $17.00@17.50; No. 1, $15.50@16.50; standard, $12.50@14.50; No. 2, $10.50@12.50; No. 3, $9.50@10.50.

South Dakota Court Holds Federal Rate Order Is Invalid

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 21.—The supreme court of South Dakota, in a formal opinion handed down yesterday in the action of the state against express companies operating in South Dakota, involving the institution of increases in intrastate rates to correspond with the level of the existent interstate schedules arising in proceedings brought by the Sioux City (Ia.) Commercial club to compel the increases, held that the Interstate Commerce commission had no control over intrastate rates and took issue with a decision of the supreme court of the United States in the Shreveport (La.) rate litigation, holding that the federal court was in error in finding that the federal constitution authorized federal control of intrastate tariffs.

The Interstate Commerce commission, in a decision, had ordered the new rates put into effect. The court held there is nothing in the interstate commerce act which gives the Interstate Commerce commisison control of intrastate rates, and, granting this were true, that in the case involved the commission made no specific order covering territory under discussion, simply designating "points in South Dakota," and allowing the express companies to decide what territory should be included. The opinion declared the Interstate Commerce commission thus delegated a power to the express companies without authority and in doing so permitted the express companies to attempt to put into effect the increased rates in the whole state, thus including territory not in competition with the Iowa city.

In conclusion the court sustained the State Railway commission in the action brought to prevent the express companies from instituting the new rates.