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CONDITION OF THE MARKETS

Jack Frost Tries to Scare Speculators at Chicago, but Does Not Succeed.

Bulge in Wheat and Corn on Reports of Damaged Crops, Followed by a Reaction and Lower Prices—Advance in Provisions.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

Prices Seek a Lower Level on Heavy Realizations and Bearish News.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Money on call was easy, ranging from 2½ to 3 per cent., the last loan being made at 2½ per cent.; closing offered at 2½ per cent.

Sterling exchange quiet and weak at $4.83¼ for sixty-day bills and $4.85¼ for demand.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 267,853 shares, including the following: Atchison, 21,595; Chicago Gas, 5,570; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 5,400; Erie, 4,860; Lake Shore, 3,710; Louisville & Nashville, 7,740; Missouri Pacific, 7,300; North American, 3,735; Northern Pacific preferred, 7,055; Reading, 3,330 Richmond & West Point, 3,680; St. Paul, 40,740; Union Pacific, 20,380.

The stock market was not so active to-day, especially in the afternoon, and displayed in the main a reactionary temper under heavy realizations, and prices ruled almost throughout the day at a slightly lower level than those of last evening. The efforts for a reaction were made with more confidence this morning, as London was again a seller of stocks, everything except Union Pacific, among the favorites of that center, being among the stocks disposed of, and reports of frost in the far Northwest came in to help the bearish sentiment among the traders. Prices were higher at the opening, but the pressure brought to bear was at last successful in forcing prices below the opening. The bullish sentiment in the street, however, remains unimpaired, and the extremely stubborn resistance shown by prices to react, even under the most discouraging circumstances, shows that the present movement is based on a firmer foundation than any upward movement within the last two years. Commission people report a steadily growing interest in the market, and the increased inquiry is seen in the widening of the market and the extension of the transactions to a large number of stocks which have lain dormant for months. The business of to-day and yesterday was more widely distributed than that of any day for the last year, the number of stocks dealt in reaching about 125. Another encouraging sign for the market is the comparative insignificance of the dealings in the unlisted department. The incubus of the manipulation of those properties being removed from the market gives legitimate securities a chance to reach their proper level. The effects of the frost in the West were not of material consequence, and the declines in prices went no further than fractions, although a few stocks here and there yielded because of special pressure of other circumstances. The industrials were more active and all were helped by special circumstances; Sugar being strong on the reported dealing with opposition refineries; Lead because of the lack of opposition to the reorganization scheme at the meeting, and Cordage continued its reaction from its late depression. There were frequent changes of temper during the day. The market finally closed only fairly active and heavy to weak. The trading reached 246,850 shares.

Railroad bonds were not so active, and were rather inclined to follow the share list downward, though few weak spots were seen. Among the more important advances Hocking Valley sixes rose 2½.

Government bonds were dull and steady. State bonds were dull and steady. Closing quotations were:

Four per ct. reg.	117½	Lead Trust	17
Four per ct. coup.	117½	Louis. & Nash.	73⅝
Four and ½s reg.	100⅞	L. & New Albany	24⅛
Four and ½s coup.	100⅞	Missouri Pacific	70¾
Pacific 6s of '95	109	N. J. Central	116
Adams Express	145	Northern Pacific	25¾
Alton & T. H.	31	N. Pacific pref.	69¼
Alton & T. H. pref.	125	Northwestern	109¾
American Express	116	N'western pref.	137
Ches. & Ohio	21½	N. Y. Central	103½
C. & O. pref. 1sts	56	O. & Mississippi	21⅞
C. & O. pref. 2ds	34½	O. & M. pref.	85
C., B. & Q.	90⅝	Peoria, D. & E.	20⅛
C., C., C. & St. L.	66⅝	Pullman Palace	185½
Del., Lack. & W.	138½	Rock Island	79
Fort Wayne	150	U. S. Express	58
Illinois Central	98½	W., St. L. & P.	12⅜
Lake Erie & W.	15⅜	W., St. L. & P. pref.	26¼
L. E. & W. pref.	61½	Wells-Fargo Ex.	138
Lake Shore	114¾	Western Union	82½

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Bar silver, 98⅛c per ounce.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Bar silver, 45 3-16d per ounce.

TRADING AT CHICAGO.

Wheat Opens Higher, but Closes at a Loss—Another Flurry in Corn.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—The weather map started the wheat market with an additional crop scare, and December wheat was unpurchasable in any quantity until it was 1¾c higher than it closed yesterday. There was transactions at the same moment at the opening ranging all the way from $1.05 to $1.06⅝. After a sale or two at $1.06½ the buying orders at untimed prices appeared to have been exhausted, and at the same time as the call price had been reached selling again came into play and very soon knocked 1c off the early bulge. The price was very irregular all forenoon, declining and recovering again very rapidly and within the range of $1.05¼ and $1.05⅞, but about an hour before the close there was a very weak feeling, induced by New York reports of low cables and foreigners reselling there, and a drop to $1.04⅛ was the result. The clearances from the Atlantic sea-board were again very heavy, but the foreign markets were reported in the private dispatches easier and prices likely to decline with any improvement in their weather. The closing cables to the Board of Trade showed an advance at Liverpool, but continental markets were lower and even Liverpool was quoted lower in some of the private messages, and the first effect of the frost scare had by that time been recovered from. The drop in prices above referred to was rather sudden and resembled in its consequences to the "longs" what has more frequently of late been the experience of short sellers. Upon the attempt of the former party to unload their earlier purchases no buyers could be found between $1.05¼ and $1.05, and it was not until it was being offered at $1.04¼ and $1.04⅜ that any quantity could be disposed of. The closing price was $1.04¼.

The corn market was kept on the broil during the greater part of the session. The frost in the Northwest, it was feared, would reach down into the corn belt to-night, and, in fact, the weather bureau made that prediction. The working of the wire-pullers at New York and the aforesaid frost talk, together with the increasing average of the daily receipts, were influences upon the price fluctuations. At the close of the session October corn, after selling 1½c higher and another break to ¼c lower than it lost yesterday, rested with the comparatively moderate gain of ⅞c. August and September were less bullishly affected by the day's news, closing at an advance of only ¼c on yesterday's latest quotations; the year gained ½c and May ⅜c. The opening of to-day's market was quite as wild in the matter of the wide range of prices in the first transactions as was the case at the same moment in the wheat pit. September corn was started at from 65c to 66c, the latter being the highest price paid to-day, and it closed at 65c. October sold at the opening anywhere from 59c to 59¾c; sold as high as 60½c, as low as 58¾c, and closed at 59⅞c, as against 59c at the close yesterday.

There was nothing of interest in the oats market, which was very dull. Prices fluctuated with wheat and corn and were a little stronger than yesterday without being much higher. The market opened steady, advanced ¼@½c, declined ⅜c, advanced ⅛c and closed steady where it did yesterday. September and October changed hands at ⅜@½c difference. Efforts were made to change October to May at 3¼@3½c premium for the latter, but little business was done.

The provision market started firm, and, after a rather protracted weak intermediate spell, strength again became the ruling feature, and the close was a moderate advance upon yesterday's final figures. September pork opened at $10.32½, declined to $10.20, recovered all the early decline and 15c more, and closed with a net gain for the day of 2½c. October went through a similar increase, but its gain in the end was 5c. January was comparatively stronger than either, and shows an advance of 7½c. Lard made an advance in each of the three options—September, October and January—of 10c. Ribs also received more advantage than barreled pork from the bullish feeling which prevailed, adding 10c to yesterday's closing quotations. The leading futures ranged as follows:

Options.	Op'ning	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—Aug.	$1.05	$1.05¾	$1.03¾	$1.03¾
Sept.	1.03	1.04	1.02	1.02
Dec.	1.05	1.06⅜	1.04¼	1.04¼
Corn—Aug.	66½	66½	65	66
Sept.	65	65¾	64	65
Oct.	59½	60½	58¾	59⅞
Oats—Aug.	30⅞	30¾	30½	30½
Sept.	30¾	30⅞	30½	30½
May	34½	34⅝	34⅛	36⅛
Pork—Sept.	10.30	10.35	10.20	10.30
Oct.	10.45	10.47½	10.35	10.42½
Jan.	12.82½	12.95	12.80	12.92½
Lard—Sept.	6.55	6.65	6.52½	6.65
Oct.	6.67½	6.75	6.62½	6.75
Jan.	6.90	7.00	6.87½	6.87½
S'trib's—Sept.	6.65	6.75	6.62½	6.75
Oct.	6.75	6.85	6.75	6.85
Jan.	6.82½	6.87½	6.77½	6.87½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, $1.03¾; No. 3 spring wheat, 95@98½c; No. 2 red, $1.03¾; No. 2 corn, 65¼c; No. 2 oats, 30½@30⅝c; No. 2 white oats, 33½@34c; No. 3 white oats, 31½@32c; No. 2 rye, 90c; No. 2 barley, 67@67½c; No. 3 barley, f. o. b., 50@62c; No. 4 barley, f. o. b., 48@52c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1.08½; prime timothy-seed, $1.25; mess pork, per brl, $10.30; lard, per pound, 6.65c; short-rib sides (loose), 6.75c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 6.20@6.25c; short-clear sides (boxed), 7.25@7.50c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, $1.18; sugars unchanged.

On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the butter market was unchanged. Eggs firm; fresh, 16c.

Receipts—Flour, 28,000 brls; wheat, 287,000 bu; corn, 487,000 bu; oats, 355,000 bu; rye, 128,000 bu; barley, 13,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 11,000 brls; wheat, 277,000 bu; corn, 217,000 bu; oats, 313,000 bu; rye, 27,000 bu; barley, 11,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Flour—Receipts, 18,975 packages; exports, 2,361 brls and 5,283 sacks. The market was unsettled and and weak on a moderate business. Sales, 22,050 brls. Corn-meal firm and quiet.

Wheat—Receipts, 355,300 bu; exports, 238,396 bu; sales, 4,578,000 bu futures, 27,000 bu spot. The spot market was dull, lower and weak; No. 2 red, $1.10½@1.11 in elevator, $1.11¼@1.12⅜ afloat, $1.11½@1.13¼ f. o. b.; No. 3 red, $1.07@1.07¼; ungraded red, $1.07@1.13½; No. 1 Northern, to arrive, $1.17; No. 1 hard, to arrive, $1.10½. Options advanced ¾@1¼c on higher cables, reported frosts in North Dakota, expected colder weather, reports of Cincinnati Price Current of damages to wheat in stack, and continued large clearances, declined 1@1¾c on late cables of weakness, full deliveries on contracts here and lack of fresh export demand, and closed weak at ⅛@⅜c under yesterday; No. 2 red, August, $1.10½@1.11⅜, closing at $1.10½; September, 1.10½@1.12⅛, closing at $1.10⅝; October, $1.11½@1.12¾, closing at $1.11⅝; November, $1.12¾@1.13¾, closing at $1.12¾; December, $1.13¾@@1.15⅜, closing at $1.13¾; January closing at $1.15⅛; February, $1.15⅞@1.17, closing at $1.15⅞; May, $1.18½@1.19⅞, closing at $1.18½.

Rye stronger at the close at $1.02 for Western.

Corn—Receipts, 60,175 bu; exports, 63,994 bu; sales, 2,348,000 bu futures, 13,000 bu spot. The spot market was stronger, fair business, chiefly exports; No. 2, 77½c in elevator, 78@78½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 73@78c; No. 2 white, 75@76c. Options opened ⅝@1⅛c higher, advanced ½c more, declined ⅜@1½c, reacted and closed steady at ⅛@⅜c advance on near and ⅜@⅝c decline on December to May; August, 76¼@76⅜c, closing at 76⅜c; September, 71¼@72½c, closing at 71⅜c; October, 68½@70c, closing at 69⅛c; December, 61¼@62½c, closing at 61¼c; January, 59¾@60c, closing at 59¾c; May, 56⅞@57¼c, closing at 56⅞c.

Oats—Receipts, 151,000 bu; exports, 480 bu; sales, 120,000 bu futures, 109,000 bu spot. The spot market was lower and quiet. Options were dull, lower and weak; August closing at 36⅞c; September, 36⅞@37½c, closing at 36⅞c; October closing at 37c; No. 2 white, August, 39¼@40c; September, 38½@39¼c; spot No. 2 white, 39@42c; mixed Western, 35@38½c; white Western, 41@48c; No. 2 Chicago, 38@38½c.

Coffee—Options opened irregular from unchanged to 25 points down, and closed steady at 10@25 points down. Sales, 39,750 bags, including the following: August, 16.40@16.50c; September, 15.60@15.65c; October, 14.65@14.75c; November, 13.70@13.80c; December, 13.40 @ 13.50c; January, 13.10c; March, 12.95@13.05c; spot Rio dull and easy; fair cargoes, 19c; No. 7, 16¾. Sugar—Raw quiet and steady; refined steady and in moderate demand; off A, 4@4⅛c. Molasses—New Orleans quiet and steady. Rice quiet and firm.

Cotton-seed oil dull. Tallow dull and easy; city ($2 for packages), 4 13/16@4⅞c. Rosin quiet and steady.

Eggs quiet; fancy steady; Western, 17@18c; receipts, 4,342 packages.

Pork more active and steady; old mess, $10@10.75; new mess, $11.50@12; extra prime, $10.25@10.75. Cut meats strong and wanted. Middles strong; short clear, September, 7.37½c. Lard higher, strong and in better demand; Western steam, 6.92½c bid; sales, 1,650 tierces at 6.85@6.92½c. Options—Sales, 7,750 tierces; August, 6.91c bid; September, 6.82@6.86c, closing at 6.90c bid; October, 6.92@6.98c, closing at 6.99c; December, 7.15c, closing at 7.20c; January, 7.26@7.30c, closing at 7.30c.

Butter quiet and firm; Western dairy, 12@17c; Western creamery, 15@23½c; Elgins, 23@23½c. Cheese quiet and weak; Western, 6@8c.

TRADE IN GENERAL.

Quotations at Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Other Points.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 27.—Flour in fair demand but unchanged. Wheat opened strong and 1@2c higher this morning. There was no buying in the pit, but there was a painful lack of offerings, and it took but the slightest pressure to put the price up. After the early bulge it fell back 1c, and became very dull. The reports of great damage to English crops, however, caused a quick rally of ¾@⅞c, but the closing public cables were so contradictory that the traders hammered prices down. The last half hour was a very weak market and more disposition to sell, and the close was irregular. December ⅛c lower, and August and September ½c higher. No. 2 red, cash, $1.01@1.02; August, $1@1.01⅛, closing at $1.00¼, nominal; September, $1.00⅛@1.01, closing at $1 bid; December, $1.03⅞@1.05, closing at $1.03⅞. Corn—The speculative market improved ½c for year this morning, but trading was dull, and only occasionally dabbling. The statement that frost would reach Nebraska started another up-turn, and ⅜c was added to the early prices, but, like wheat weakened and closed only ⅜c above yesterday. No. 2, cash, 60@61½c; August closed at 59c bid; September, 58½@59c; closing at 59c bid; year, 44½@45⅛c, closing at 44⅜@44⅝c. Oats—The only trading was in September, and the local crowd took no interest in the market. No. 2, cash, 29½c; September, 29½@29⅝c, closing at 29½c. Rye in light demand; No. 3, 84c. Hay in fair demand, steady and unchanged. Bran steady; sacked, east track, 63½c. Flaxseed steady at $1.02. Butter firm and unchanged. Eggs in better demand at 13½c. Corn-meal, $2.25@3. Whisky steady at $1.18. Provisions active and strong. Pork, $10.62½@10.75. Lard, 6.20c. Dry-salted meats—Boxed shoulders, 5.62½c; longs, 7c; ribs, 7.10c; short clear, 7.30c. Bacon—Boxed shoulders, 6.25c; longs, 7.55c; ribs, 7.65@7.70c; short clear, 7.87½@8c. Receipts—Flour, 3,000 brls; wheat, 153,000 bu; corn, 170,000 bu; oats, 48,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 10,000 brls; wheat, 135,000 bu; corn, 12,000 bu; oats, 41,000 bu; rye, 2,000 bu.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27.—Flour—Old spring wheat firm; winter quiet. Wheat opened strong, advanced ¾@1c early, but subsequently reacted half from best rates of the day and closed at $1.10; No. 2 red, $1.10½; No. 2 red, August, $1.10⅜@1.10⅝; spot, $1.10⅜@1.10⅞; October, $1.11¾@1.12¼; November, $1.12@1.12½. Corn dull; manipulation in Chicago influenced an advance of ½c in spot lots, ¾@1c in options, but aside from usual business in local consumption there was nothing doing; No. 2 yellow, in grain depot, 75½c; ungraded mixed, on track, 75½c; No. 2 mixed, August, 75@75½c; September, 72@73c; October, 69½@70½c; November, 67½@68½c. Oats—Spot less active; futures steady but quiet; No. 3 mixed, 36c; No. 2 mixed, 37c; No. 3 white, 39c; No. 3 choice, 40c; ungraded white, 40c; No. 2 white, 40½@41c; No. 2 white, August, 40@40½c; September, 38½@39c; October, 38½@39c; November, 39½@40½c. Eggs scarce and firm; Pennsylvania firsts, 19c. Receipts—Flour, 4,700 brls and 13,900 sacks; wheat, 118,500 bu; corn, 10,900 bu; oats, 17,100 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 132,600 bu; corn, 9,500 bu; oats, 19,400 bu.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 27.—Flour strong; family, $4@4.15; fancy, $4.50@4.65. Wheat in good demand and higher; No. 2 red, $1.02; receipts, 9,200 bu; shipments 15,000 bu. Corn scarce and firm; No. 2 mixed, 65c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed, 32½@33c. Rye firmer; No. 2, 94c. Pork dull; lower to sell; regular offered at $10.62½; extra heavy held at $10.87½; family, $11.12½; clear family, $11.75. Lard in fair demand at 6.25c. Bulk meats stronger; short ribs, 6.87½c. Bacon stronger; short clear, 8@8.12½c. Whisky steady; sales, 955 brls of finished goods on a basis of $1.18. Butter steady and firm. Sugar stronger. Eggs strong and higher at 15c. Cheese firm.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 27.—Cash wheat was fairly active to-day with increased offerings. The buying was scattered. Local millers were moderate buyers and one elevator bought a few car-loads. Shippers were picking up a good many lots. No. 1 Northern new sold mainly around 98c and No. 2, 95c. Low grades were dull. The receipts of wheat for the past twenty-four hours were 295 car-loads; shipments, 115 car-loads. Duluth received 49 car-loads. Closing prices: No. 1 hard, on track, 99c; No. 1 Northern, August, 96½c; September, 95½c; December, 99½c; on track, 97c; No. 2 Northern, on track, 93@94c.

TOLEDO, Aug. 27.—Wheat active and lower; cash, August and September, $1.04; December, $1.07½. Corn dull; cash, 66c. Oats steady; cash, 33c; May, 37c; No. 2 white, 35c. Rye active; September, 92½c. Clover-seed steady; October, $4.90; December, $4.95. Receipts—Flour, 375 brls; wheat, 213,749 bu; corn, 11,691 bu; oats, 5,573 bu; rye, 49,199 bu. Shipments—Flour, 1,110 brls; wheat, 114,000 bu; corn, 55,695 bu; oats, 1,800 bu; rye, 700 bu.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 27.—Flour unchanged. Wheat firm; No. 2 red, spot, $1.10¾@1.10⅞; the month and September, $1.10¾@1.11; October, $1.11⅛@1.11¾; December, $1.14½. Corn dull; mixed, spot and September, 70c. Oats active at steady prices; No. 2, white Western, 40c; No. 2 mixed Western, 37@37½c. Rye dull and lower; No. 2, $1.01. Hay quiet; good to choice timothy, $14@15. Coffee dull; Rio, fair, 19c; No. 7, 16¾@17c.

DETROIT, Aug. 27. — Wheat — No. 1 white, cash, $1.02; No. 2 red, $1.03½; August, $1.03⅛; September, $1.03¾ asked; December, $1.07¼. Corn—No. 2, cash and August, 65c bid. Oats—No. 2 cash, 34½c; No. 3 white, 35¾c. Rye, 91c bid. Receipts—Wheat, 84,500 bu; oats, 5,800 bu.

OIL.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The petroleum market opened firm, but declined 1½c on slight pressure to sell, then it became steady and remained so at the close. Pennsylvania oil—Spot—Sales, none. September options—Sales, 46,000 brls. Opening, 65c; highest, 65c; lowest, 63½c; closing, 63⅝c. Lima oil—No sales. Turpentine quiet and steady at 36¼@37c.

OIL CITY, Aug. 27.—National transit certificates opened at 64½c; highest, 65c; lowest, 63c; closed, 63c. Sales, 61,000 brls; clearances, 70,000 brls; shipments, 65,539 brls; runs, 102,683 brls.

WILMINGTON, Aug. 27.—Spirits of turpentine steady at 33c. Rosin firm; strained, $1; good strained, $1.05. Tar firm at $1.90. Crude turpentine firm; hard, $1; yellow dip and virgin, $2.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 27.—Petroleum dull and lower. National transit certificates opened at 64½c; closed at 63⅝c; highest, 64⅞c; lowest, 63⅝c.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 27.—Petroleum easy. Standard white, 110°, 6½c; gasoline, 74°, 7c; gasoline, 86°, 10c; naphtha, 63°, 6½c.

CHARLESTON, Aug. 27.—Turpentine steady at 33½c. Rosin firm; good strained, $1.15.

SAVANNAH, Aug. 27.—Turpentine firm at 34½c. Rosin firm at $1.20@1.25.

Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 27.—Cotton—Spot steady, with a good demand. American middling, 4 9-16d. Sales, 14,000 bales, of which 1,000 bales were for speculation and export, and included 11,200 bales American. Futures closed excited. American middling, low middling clause, August, 4 36-64@4 37-64d; August and September, 4 36-64@4 37-64d; September and October, 4 38-64d, buyers; September and October, 4 38-64d, buyers; October and November, 4 43-64@4 44-64d; November and December, 4 48-64d, sellers; December and January, 4 50-64d, buyers; January and February, 4 52-64@4 53-64d; February and March, 4 54-64@4 55-64d.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Cotton firm; middling uplands, 8½c; middling Orleans, 8 9-16c. Sales, 251 bales. Futures closed firm. Sales, 186,300 bales. August, 8.22c; September, 8.20@8.21c; October, 8.36@8.37c; November, 8.50@8.51c; December, 8.63@8.65c; January, 8.75@8.76c; February, 8.88@8.89c; March, 8.90@9c; April, 9.08@9.10c; May, 9.19@9.20c; June, 9.29@9.30c; July, 9.37@9.39c.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27.—Cotton quiet; middling, 7¾c; low middling, 7 3-16c; good ordinary, 6 7-16c. Net receipts, 1,276 bales, including 1,117 bales new crop; gross receipts, 1,304 bales; sales, 500 bales; stock, 40,588 bales.

Metals.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Pig-iron dull; American, $16@18.25. Copper dull and strong; lake, August, 12.20c; lake, September, 12.25c. Lead dull; domestic, 4.45c. Tin firm; Straits, 20.10c.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 27.—Lead firmer at 4.25c.

LIVE STOCK.

Good Cattle Active; Common Dull—Hogs Weak and Lower—Sheep Steady.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200; shipments, 100. Receipts light. Market active on good grades; common remain quiet, and slow sale.

Fancy, 1,450 to 1,650 lbs	$5.40@5.65
Good, 1,300 to 1,450 lbs	4.50@5.25
Good to choice shippers	4.25@4.60
Fair to medium shippers	3.50@4.00
Common shippers	2.75@3.25
Stockers, common to good	2.00@2.75
Good to choice heifers	3.25@3.75
Fair to medium heifers	2.50@3.00
Common, thin heifers	1.75@2.25
Good to choice cows	2.75@3.25
Fair to medium cows	2.00@2.60
Common old cows	1.00@1.75
Veals, common to choice	3.00@5.00
Bulls, common to choice	1.75@2.75
Milkers, medium to good	25.00@35.00
Milkers, common to fair	12.00@20.00

HOGS—Receipts, 2,500; shipments, 1,500. Quality not good. The market opened weak and lower, especially on the lower grades. Good prime corn-fed in fair demand at quotations. Heavy half-fat almost unsalable; closing weak. Some unsold.

Medium packers and shippers, 180 to 210 lbs average	$5.20@5.30
Good light shippers	5.10@5.25
Common to fair light	4.50@5.00
Heavy packing	4.75@5.10
Heavy roughs	3.50@4.25
Pigs	3.50@4.25

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 300; shipments, 200. Market remains steady at quotations.

Good to choice sheep	$4.15@4.50
Fair to medium sheep	3.70@4.00
Common sheep	3.00@3.50
Lambs, good to choice	4.90@5.25
Lambs, fair to medium	4.25@4.70
Common	3.25@3.75
Bucks, per head	2.00@3.50

Elsewhere.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—The Evening Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; shipments, ——. The market was fairly active and steady. Prime to extra steers, $5.90@6.20; others, $4@5.75; Texans, $2.25@3.25; stockers, $2.25@3.60; rangers, $3.50@4.25; native cows, $2.50@3.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; shipments, 8,000. The market was active and 5@10 higher. Rough and common, $4@4.75; packers and mixed, $4.80@5.05; prime heavy and butchers' weights, $5.10@5.25; prime light, $5.50@5.60; grassers, $4@4.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; shipments, 3,000. The market was fairly active and steady; ewes, $3.75@4.60; wethers, $5@5.25; mixed, $4.75@4.90; Westerns, $5.95@4; lambs, $3.50@5.40.

BUFFALO, Aug. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 84 car-loads through and 4 car-loads for sale. The market was slow and weaker.

Hogs—Receipts, 24 car-loads through, 40 car-loads for sale. The market was dull and lower for all but strictly corn-fed grades. Heavy grades, corn-fed, $5.25@5.40; medium weights, corn-fed, $5.30@5.40; Yorkers, good to best corn-fed, $5.20@5.35.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 13 car-loads through, 6 car-loads for sale. The market was slow and weak for sheep but steady for lambs. Fair to good sheep, $4@4.60; choice, $4.75@4.90; lambs, common to best, $5@6.25.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Beeves—No fresh arrivals; feeling firm. Dressed beef steady at 6½@9c. Shipments to-day, 458 beeves and 70 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 486; steady. Veals, $5.50@8; grassers and buttermilks, $3@3.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,425. Sheep firm, lambs a shade higher. Sheep, $4@5; lambs, $5.25@7; dressed mutton steady at 7½@9c; dressed lambs firm at 8½@10c.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,675, including 6 car-loads for sale. The market was steady at $4.90@7.15.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 27.—Cattle—The market was steady. Good to extra shipping, $4.50@4.70; light shipping, $4@4.25; bulls, $1.50@2.25; light stockers, $1.50@1.75; shippers and feeders, $2@3.25; best butchers, $3.50@3.75; thin, rough steers, poor cows and scalawags, $1@1.75.

Hogs—The market was steady. Choice packing and butchers, $5.40@5.50; fair to good butchers, $4.75@5.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep market quiet; lambs easy; all sold. Fair to good shipping, $3.75@4.25; lambs, $3.50@5.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,400; shipments, 200. The market was higher. Good to fancy native steers, $4.90@5.60; fair to good native steers, $3@5.10; Texas and Indian steers, $2.50@3.45; canning stuff, $1.60@2.30.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,700; shipments, 1,000. The market was steady. Fair to selected heavy, $5.25@5.35; mixed grades, $4.70@5.20; light, fair to best, $5.10@5.30.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,400; shipments, 200. The market was steady. Fair to desirable, $2.70@4.50.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 27.—Cattle strong. Fair to choice butcher grades, $2.75@4.90; prime to choice shippers, $4@4.50. Receipts, 790; shipments, 150.

Hogs firmer. Common and light, $4@5.35; packing and butchers', $4.75@5.50. Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 630.

Sheep steady. Common to choice, $2@4.50; extra fat wethers and yearlings, $4.75@5. Receipts, 6,000; shipments, 4,200. Lambs stronger. Common to choice, $3.50@6.50.

EAST LIBERTY, Aug. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 651. Nothing doing, all through consignments.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,400; shipments, 2,200. The market was slow. Philadelphias, $5.65@5.70; good mixed, $5.55@5.60; good corn Yorkers, $5.35@5.50; grassers, $4.75@5.25; pigs, $4@4.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,700; shipments, 2,200. The market was slow at yesterday's prices.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 27. — Cattle—Receipts, 4,450; shipments, 2,720. The market was steady. Steers, $3@5.65; cows, $1.25@3; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.45.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,770; shipments, 1,730. Market 5c higher. Bulk, $5.10@5.20; all grades, $3.50@5.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,320. Market weak and 10@15c lower.

INDIANAPOLIS MARKETS.

Trade Gradually Improving, with Firm Prices the Leading Characteristic.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 27.—The wholesale men in most departments speak of trade as gradually improving since the weather became cooler, and indications point to a large September business. Prices in the main carry a steady, firm tone. In dry goods especially this remark is applicable. There is a very strong demand for sugar, showing that retailers and consumers are strong in the faith that prices are down to bed rock. The abundance of fruit in the land gives assurance that for a month or two to come this demand will keep up. Canned fruits have little show in the presence of such enormous receipts of fresh fruits, and are as dull as they have been in the past decade. Roasted grades of coffees go off ½c. The hide market is in better tone, but prices have not advanced. The seed market is active at unchanged prices. The flour market is disappointing in it demand and in prices. Low prices rule on everything in the fruit and vegetable line, Irish potatoes excepted. Druggists report trade good; prices firm on most articles they handle.

GRAIN.

There was a little more life to the local market to-day. The bidding on 'Change, however showed bidders inclined to be cautious in their movements, track bids ruling as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 red, 99½c; No. 3 red, 93c; rejected, 85@90c; August, 99½c; wagon wheat, 98c.

Corn—No. 1 white, 64c; No. 2 white, 63½c; white mixed, 62c; No. 3 white, 63½c, one or two colors; No. 2 yellow, 62½c; No. 3 yellow, 62½c; No. 2 mixed, 62c; mixed, 61½c; sound ear, 61c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 33c; No. 3 white, 32c; No. 2 mixed, 31½c; rejected, 28c.

Rye—87c.

Bran—Local dealers are bidding $13.

Hay—Timothy, choice, $11.50; No. 1, $10.75; No. 2, $8.50; No. 1 prairie, $7; No. 2 prairie, $6.50; mixed hay, $6.50.

PRODUCE.

Butter—Creamery, choice, 20@22c; choice country, 10c; common, 6@8c.

Poultry—Hens, 8½c ℔ lb; young chickens, 10c ℔ lb; turkeys, fat, choice hens, 8c ℔ lb; ducks, 6c ℔ lb; geese, $3@4.20 per doz.

Eggs—Shippers paying 12c; selling from store at 15c.

Feathers—Prime geese, 35c ℔ lb; mixed duck, 20c ℔ lb.

Beeswax—Dark, 25c; yellow, 40c.

Sheepskins—40c@$1.

Horse Hides—$2.

Grease—White, 3¾c; yellow, 3c; brown, 2½c.

Tallow—No. 1, 4c; No. 2, 3½c.

Hides—No. 1 G. S. hides, 5½c; No. 2 G. S. hides, 4½c; No. 1 green, 4c; No. 2 green, 3c.

Wool—Tub-washed and picked, 30@33c; unwashed medium and common grades, if in good order, 20@23c; burry and cotted, 15@18c; fine merino, 18c.

Indianapolis Jobbing Trade.

[The quotations given below are the selling prices of wholesale dealers.]

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches—Standard 3-pound, $1.75@2; 3-pound seconds, $1.30@1.40. Miscellaneous—Blackberries, 2-pound, $1.10@1.20; raspberries, 2-pound, $1.20@1.30; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, $1.40@2.50; second, 2-pound, $1.20@1.25; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, $1.15@1.20; light, 80@85c; 2-pound, full, $2.15@2.25; light, $1.20; string beans, 85@95c; Lima beans, $1.20@1.30; peas, marrowfat, $1.20@1.40; small, $1.50@1.75; lobsters, $1.85@2; red cherries, 95c@$1.10; strawberries, $1.20@1.30; salmon (lbs), $1.90@2.50.

COAL AND COKE.

Anthracite coal, stove size, $7 ℔ ton; egg and grate size, $6.75; Pittsburg and Raymond City, $4.50 ℔ ton; Jackson, $4; block, $3.50; Island City, $3.25; Blossburg and Indiana cannel, $5. All nut coals 50 cents below above quotations. Coke—Connellsville, $3.75 ℔ load; crushed, $3 ℔ load; lump, $2.75 ℔ load.

DRUGS.

Alcohol, $2.20@2.40; assafœtida, 15@20c; alum, 4@5c; camphor, 50@55c; cochineal, 50@55c; chlorotorm, 60@65c; copperas, brls, 85c@$1; cream tartar, pure, 30@35c; indigo, 80@81c; licorice, Calab., genuine, 30@45c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., ℔ oz, $2.55; madder, 12@14c; oil, castor, ℔ gal, $1.10@1.20; oil, bergamot, ℔ lb, $3.75@4; opium, $3.25; quinine, P. & W., ℔ oz, 38@38c; balsam copaiba, 70@75c; soap, Castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda, bicarb., 4½@6c; salts, Epsom, 4@5c; sulphur, flour, 4@6c; saltpeter, 8@20c; turpentine, 46@48c; glycerine, 20@22c; iodide potass., $2.85@3; bromide potass., 40@42c; chlorate potash, 25c; borax, 13@15c; cinchonidia, 12@15c; carbolic acid, 30@35c.

Oils—Linseed oil, raw, 35@40c ℔ gal; coal oil, legal test, 9¼@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 20@30c; miners', 65c. Lard oils, No. 1, 50@55c; do., extra, 65@70c.

White Lead—Pure, 7c.

DRY GOODS.

Bleached Sheetings—Blackstone AA, 7¾c; Ballou & Son, 7c; Chestnut Hill, 5½c; Cabot 4-4, 6¾c; Chapman X, 6c; Dwight Star, 8¾c; Fruit of the Loom, 8½c; Lonsdale, 8½c; Linwood, 7½c; Masonville, 8½c; New York Mills, 10½c; Our Own, 5c; Pepperell 9-4, 19c; Pepperell 10-4, 21c; Hills, 7¾c; Hope, 7¼c; Knight's Cambric, 7½c; Lonsdale Cambric, 10½c; Whitinsville, 33-inch, 6½c; Wamsutta, 10½c.

Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A, 7¼c; Boott C, 5½c;