## SECRET SOCIETIES.

### KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

ACME LODGE, NO. 219, K. OF P.—MEETS every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, West Gate Hall, northwest corner Grand and Easton avenues. Members requested to attend regularly. Visitors cordially invited.
W. H. MELTON, C. C.
G. W. Clifton, K. C. R. & S., 1403 St. Louis avenue.

AURORA LODGE, NO. 64, K. OF P., MEETS every Thursday at Deshare's Hall, southwest corner Elm and Broadway. Members are requested to be present.
CHAS. G. NESPERLING, C. C.
Attest: J. J. Hund, K. of R. & S.

CASTLE HALL, ROBERT E. COGAN Lodge, No. 13, K. of P., West Hall, Century building, Ninth and Olive streets—on Monday, November 1, 1903, at 8 p. m. sharp. Work in rank of Page. Visitors cordially invited.
E. A. CLARK, C. C.
Attest: Henry H. Lorenzen, K. of R. & S.

CASTLE HALL, OF MONITOR LODGE, No. 68, K. of P., meets every Thursday evening at Century building, Ninth and Olive streets. Work in rank of Knight October 14. Members expected. Visitors welcome.
W. J. OTTO, C. C.
J. K. Koch, K. of R. & S.

COLUMBIA LODGE, NO. 128, K. OF P., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, Century building, Ninth and Olive streets, vast hall. Tuesday evening, October 20, work in the rank of Knight. Members requested to attend. Visitors welcome.
W. P. DWYER, C. C.
J. P. Dempsey, K. of R. & S.

DAMON LODGE, NO. 28, K. OF P., MEETS every Wednesday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall, No. 1, seventh floor, Ninth and Olive streets. All members requested to be present. Business of importance. Visitors cordially invited. Sterling choice at 8 p. m.
CHAS. L. HOLTZMANN, C. C.
Attest: H. R. Bermel, K. of R. & S., No. 2741 Evans avenue.

FUTURE GREAT LODGE, NO. 278, K. OF P., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at Howard's Hall, Thirteenth and Olive streets, on Wednesday evening, October 28, work in Page rank. Visitors fraternally invited.
O. A. GRASSLE, C. C.
W. A. Roberts, K. of R. & S.

MOZART LODGE, NO. 208, K. OF P., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at Anchor Hall, southwest corner of Jefferson and Park avenues. Take Compton Heights, Park or Jefferson avenue cars. Members are expected and visitors cordially invited to attend.
B. BOXMEYER, C. C.
G. W. Thayer, K. of R. & S.

PACIFIC LODGE, NO. 306, K. OF P., meets every Wednesday evening, tenth floor Century building, Ninth and Olive streets, October 28, work in rank of Knight. Members are requested to attend this meeting, as proceedings of Grand Lodge will be reported, which will be of interest to all. Visitors are always welcome to our Castle Hall.
D. P. ANDRUS, C. C.
W. F. Gray, K. of R. & S.

PREMIER LODGE, NO. 289, K. OF P.—Regular meeting every 4th and third Monday evening in the month at hall No. 1, Odd Fellows' building. Next meeting Monday, November 2, 1903, work in Page. Members are requested to be present. Visitors are cordially invited.
BENJ. F. LINDAS, C. C.
J. F. White, Jr., K. of R. & S.

RED CROSS LODGE, K. OF P., MEETS at Odd Fellows' Hall, Ninth and Olive streets, every Tuesday night. Visitors always welcome. November 4, amplifying rank of Page.
JAMES P. BLAKE, C. C.
H. W. Benning, K. of R. & S.

WABASH LODGE, NO. 248, K. OF P., WILL have work in the rank of Page Tuesday, November 3, at 8 p. m., at Castle Hall, Broadway and Benton. Visitors cordially invited.
W. H. HERFORD, C. C.
F. H. Sachleben, K. of R. & S.

WALNUT LODGE, NO. 26, K. OF P., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Blair Post Hall, No. 109 Market street. Work in rank of Amplified Knight Thursday. Visiting knights always welcome.
N. P. GAFFNEY, C. C.
W. J. H. Perkins, K. of R. & S., No. 4218 Connecticut street.

ZENOBIA LODGE, NO. 421, K. OF P., meets Monday evening, November 2, 1903, in hall No. 1, tenth floor Century building, at 8 o'clock. Work in rank of Page Amplified. Members expected and visitors cordially invited to attend.
A. W. DAVIDSON, C. C.
Attest: O. M. Brooks, K. of R. & S.
P.-O. Box 1062.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

DE SMET COUNCIL, NO. 762, KNIGHTS of Columbus, meets every first and third Thursday in the west hall, Century building, Ninth and Olive sts. Visiting knights are invited.
C. P. MONAGHAN, Grand Knight.
M. J. McGrane, Recorder.

KENRICK COUNCIL, NO. 614, KNIGHTS of Columbus, meets every second and fourth Wednesday in Rose Hill Hall, No. 4067 Maple avenue. Visiting knights are invited.
JOHN PAUL CHEW, Grand Knight.
Walter T. Cunningham, Recorder.

MARQUETTE COUNCIL, NO. 614, Knights of Columbus, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in the west hall, Century building, Ninth and Olive streets. Visiting knights cordially invited.
W. L. MEE, Grand Knight.
F. P. Leonard, Recorder.

ST. LOUIS COUNCIL, NO. 453, MEETS EVery first and third Tuesday at West End Hall, southwest corner Finney and Vandeventer avenues. Visiting knights are cordially invited.
FRANCIS B. RUNDER, Grand Knight.
Joseph F. Lamy, Recorder.

### INDEPENDENT ORDER OLD FELLOWS.

LACLEDE LODGE, NO. 22, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in hall No. 1, Odd Fellows' Temple, Ninth and Olive streets. Members are fraternally requested to attend. Visitors will find a home with us. Fraternally,
S. H. BLACK, N. G.
Thos. A. Davidson, Recording Secretary.

ST. LOUIS LODGE, NO. 5, I. O. O. F., meets every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows' building, Ninth and Olive, Hall No. 1. Members expected to attend. Visitors welcome. Work in second degree.
M. HOYT, N. G.
Wallace McCargo, Secretary Pro Tem.

WILLEY LODGE, NO. 2, I. O. O. F., MEETS Tuesday evening of each week at hall No. 1, Odd Fellows' building, corner Ninth and Olive, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers invited to attend. Work in first degree.
G. A. HIGGS, N. G.
A. J. Dalrymple, Secretary.

### INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

COURT COTE BRILLIANTE, NO. 935, Independent Order of Foresters, Bowman's Hall, Eleventh and Locust Sts.—Meeting on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month.
W. K. PENTLAND, Chief Ranger.
Residence, No. 1614 Pendleton.
W. G. Wright, Recording Secretary, No. 4122 Kennerly ave.

### KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES.

DEWEY TENT, NO. 84, KNIGHTS OF THE Maccabees of the World, meets second and fourth Tuesdays of every month at South St. Louis Turner Hall, Tenth and Carroll streets. Next review Tuesday, September 8, 1903. Visiting sir knights are cordially invited.
PETER BALVEN, Commander,
2822 McNair avenue.
Henry Rauth, Record Keeper.

### ANCIENT FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS.

GEORGE WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 8, A. F. & A. M., will hold a special communication at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, November 3, at Masonic Temple, Grand and Finney avenues for work in the M. M. degree. Members are earnestly requested, and visitors fraternally invited to attend.
A. J. MICHENER, W. M.
Henry Libou, Secretary.

MISSOURI LODGE, NO. 1, A. F. & A. M. —Regular communication on Thursday, November 5, at 7:30 p. m., Masonic Temple, Grand and Finney avenues. F. C. degree. Members requested and visiting brethren fraternally invited to attend.
TAYLOR R. WYRICK, W. M.
John H. Deems, Secretary.

### TRIBE OF BEN HUR.

EUREKA COURT, NO. 26, T. B. H., MEETS on the first and third Thursdays of each month at Fraternal building, Eleventh and Franklin avenue. All visitors cordially invited. By order, LOUIS MANDLE, Chief.
Attest: E. C. Lavin, Scribe, No. 1023 Cass avenue.

### AMERICAN LEGION OF HONOR.

LAFAYETTE COUNCIL, NO. 182, A. L. OF H., meets every second and fourth Thursday evening at Fraternal building, northwest corner Eleventh and Franklin avenue. Companions from sister councils cordially invited.
LOUIS SENDKE, Commander.
W. H. Adams, Secretary.

### Miscellaneous.

MERCHANTS' Exchange Mutual Benevolent Society—St. Louis, October 27, 1903—The members of this society are hereby notified to call and pay, without further notice, $1.10 within thirty days from October 29, 1903, the same being assessment made upon the death of F. X. ROETTGERKEN. Last day for paying November 28, 1903.
D. R. WHITMORE, Secretary.

### ROYAL ARCANUM.

GRAND COUNCIL MISSOURI, ROYAL Arcanum, 209-211 Holland Building—A cordial welcome to visitors, friends, brethren and members from abroad.
F. H. BACON, G. R.
Jno. C. Killingsworth, Grand Secretary.

### Sewing Machines.

DROPHEAD Domestic sewing machine, $12; Majestic six-hole range, $14. 1627 Franklin ave., upstairs.

TWO carloads of sewing machines to be sold at once; great inducement. The Singer Mfg. Co., 258 S. Broadway.

WHEELER & Wilson's sewing machine, No. 12, $12; bargain. 801 Pine, room 1.

## HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

### Wanted.

ABSOLUTELY highest price paid for household goods, furniture and feathers, any quantity. Send postal, Jo Bensinger, 112 N. Twelfth.

ALL kinds of furniture, feathers and carpets bought. Will Ehrlich, 2948 Easton. Delmar 1708.

AMERICAN secondhand store will buy and sell your furniture and stoves. 3844 Easton ave.

FEATHER beds; will pay $5 to $15 each; postal card. T. J. Ryan, West End Station.

FOR feathers I will pay gold value; no false prices; real worth; honest weight. M. Speelman, 3940 Finney ave.; send postal.

HIGHEST prices paid for furniture, stoves, carpets and feathers; furniture taken for moving. Branch, 2132 Franklin. Kin. D 1498.

HIGHEST cash price for furniture, carpets, pianos, feathers, contents of houses, flats or dwellings. Wolf, 1339 S. Broadway. Phone C 465.

HOUSEHOLD furniture, pianos, carpets, stock of all kinds; entire outfits, large or small lots; we make cash advances, sell on commission, or will buy outright for most; see us before you dispose of your goods. Jones 1219 Olive. R. U. Leonori Auction & Sto age Co.

WE pay the highest prices for all household goods and merchandise of all descriptions. 2421 Olive st.

### For Sale.

A NICE six-foot dining table, cheap. 2307 Cass ave.

A LARGE six-hole cook stove for $5; good as new. 3129 Franklin.

AT 4054A Olive st., contents of six-room flat. Call today; price $225; part time; will sell as a whole only.

BASE-BURNER; cheap.
262 N. Sixth st.

CONTENTS of 13-room house; doing good business. 2816 Locust.

FIFTY base-burners, 25 soft-coal heaters; 25 air-tight; selling cut. 2835 Easton.

FOLDING bed, oak, large mirror, upright, $16. 1205 N. Taylor ave.

GLASS-DOOR wardrobe, straw matting, iron beds, $1.90. Depkins, 1722 S. Eleventh st.

HOME COMFORT steel range and Art Garland hard-coal stove, cheap. 3844 Easton.

ONE Buck's range, two Axminster rugs, lot iron beds and other furniture; good as new; from storage; cash or time. New York Storage Co., 2213 Wash st.

PARLOR set; glass safe; iron bed; mahogany wardrobe; dining table; six-hole range; heating stove; all good. 1166 San Francisco.

FINE portable wardrobe, hall tree; cost $90; glass-door bookboard, cheap. 2835 Easton.

GAS range, nearly new, and refrigerator. 2808 S. Compton ave.

RADIANT HOME base-burner; almost new; fully nickel-plated. 4084 St. Louis ave.

RADIANT HOME stove; swell front; also soft-coal air-tight heater, cheap. 2835 Easton.

TWO Radiant Home base-burners; also two soft-coal stoves; will sell separate. Call 3821 Botanical ave.

UNREDEEMED furniture, carpets, stoves, etc.; also one large butcher's ice box. Apply Gerold Moving & Storage Co., Thirteenth and Walnute sts., East St. Louis.

## YOU KNOW

Furniture bargains are what we pride ourselves on giving our customers, and we do as we say and advertise? See our secondhand and new furniture departments, which are well stocked with both kinds of goods at prices that will suit your pocketbook. No matter what it is you need in our line, see us first. Big line of secondhand stoves. We have no branches.
LANGAN & TAYLOR S. & M. CO.,
1823 Washington ave.

**CARPETS** *St. Louis Steam Carpet Cleaning Co., 4979 Easton. Forest 269, Delmar 774*

**CHANDELIERS** Below cost; closing out our immense stock at retail. PELLE-HICKEY MFG. CO., 801 LUCAS AVE.

## YOU KNOW

Large quantities of secondhand and new rugs and carpets are sold every day at unheard-of low prices by us? But only those who have visited our big warehouse know what bargains we offer in this line. Our location is a money saver for you. Give us a call and be convinced. We have no branches.
LANGAN & TAYLOR S. & M. CO.,
1823 Washington ave.

### Sale on Sullivan Avenue.

Joseph F. Rothwell & Son yesterday reported the sale of No. 3910 Sullivan avenue, through the Holbrook-Blackwelder Trust Company. The property consists of an eight-room and reception-hall house, with all modern conveniences, having lot 30x120 feet; sold for the account of Minnie and George W. Blake for $5,500 cash.

### Real Estate Transfers.

ALLEY—4 ft., n. s., bet. Fifteenth and and Sixteenth; city block 565; Albert Gerst and wife to Henry Andreas—quit. w. d. (undivided half interest). 1
BLEEK—100 ft., n. s., west of Ecoff; city block 4969; Fitzredick W. Thompson to Harry S. French—w. d. 1,200
CHAMBERLAIN—60 ft., n. s., n. e. cor. Clara; city block 2811; Fair Building Co. to Martin H. Walters—w. d. 2,000
CHAMBERLAIN—50 ft., n. s. bet. Bell and Clara; city block 2811; Fair Building Co. to Mary A. Parker—w. d. 2,000
CHAMBERLAIN—50 ft., n. s., being No. 2720 Chamberlain; city block 4865; Rosewood Realty Co. to Tillie Hayden—w. d. 7,400
DONNER—75 ft., n. s., bet. Elliot and Glasgow, city block 2370B; John H. Gundlach and wife to Otto Fisher—w. d. 1,800
DE SOTO—25 ft., n. s., bet. Unity and Fremont, city block 4611; Penrose Investment Co. to William Brinkmann—w. d. 1,100
EASTON—75 ft., n. s., w. of Spring, city block 3857; Elizabeth Kung and husband to Jennie Finley—w. d. 6,000
FOLSOM—50 ft., s. s., bet. Thurman and Klemm, city block 4969; John Bair by tr. to Alexander Heinrich—tr. d. 1,120
GOODFELLOW—50 ft., n. s., bet. Ferdinand and North Market, city block 3,671; William Baber and wife to Joseph Rother and wife—w. d. 2,050
JUNIATA—30 ft., n. s., bet. Spring and Gustine, city block 4111; Wm. Heinz to Louis M. Brokammer—w. d. 900
LILLY—41 ft., w. s., being 2121 Lilly, city block 4046; Henry Mueller, Sr. and wife to Philip Schneider—w. d. 1,120
LOCUST—46 ft. 3¾ in., n. s., being 3217 Locust, city block 1040; James E. Clark and wife to True S. Clark—w. d. 1
MURPHY—50 ft., n. s., bet. River des Peres and city limits, city block 5403; George B. Burkhalter to Annie M. Burkhalter—w. d. 450
NINETEENTH—25 ft., w. s., being 4407 N. Nineteenth, city block 2444; Gilbert H. Salles and wife to Otto M. Koenig—w. d. 4,000
OSAGE—50 ft., s. s., bet. Louisiana and Grand, city block 2949; Emma Groene to George Otto and wife—qtc. d. 1
OREGON—28 ft. 4½in., s. s., bet. Keokuk and Osage, city block 2949; Bernard Post and wife to George H. Post—qtc. d. 1
OHIO—25 ft. 20 in., s. s., bet. Cherokee and Potomac, city block 1619; Jessie Valle Ewing to Lawrence Tillewein—w. d. 450
OSAGE—50 ft. s. s., bet. Louisiana and Grand; George Otto and wife to Emmy Groehne—qtc. d. 1
OLIVE—50 ft. n. s., being 1630 to 1634 Olive; Daniel M. Houser and wife to Theodore A. Bingham, trustee—qtc. d. 5
OREGON—28 ft. 4½ in. s. s., bet. Keokuk and Osage, city block 2949; George H. Post and wife to Bernard Post—qtc. d. 1
OREGON—25 ft., s. s., bet. Gasconade and Meramec, city block 2826; Albert S. Seliner and wife to Frank H. Kratzer—w. d. 800
PESTALOZZI—25 ft., n. s., bet. Compton and Louisiana, city block 1450; Ida Seibert to John Prahl and wife—w. d. 650
SEVENTH—25 ft. 9 in., n. s., northwest corner Marion, city block 375; James E. Clark and wife to True S. Clark—w. d. 1
SIXTEENTH—28 ft., 1½ in., e. s., being 915-18 N. Sixteenth, city block 345; Henri Ludwigs to Charles A. Hanneken and wife—w. d. 2,345
TWELFTH—28 ft., e. s., being 1016-1018 Twelfth, city block 429; Frederick Grantham to Christopher Walz—w. d. 5,800
WALNUT—25 ft., s. s., being 2742 Walnut, city block 1722N; Lillie B. Delaney et al. to Roxey Ann First—qtc. d. 1
WELLS—25 ft., n. s., bet. Academy and Union, city block 3735; Annex Realty Co. to Mary Agnes Wilhelm—w. d. 2,500
WYOMING—25 ft., s. s., bet. Pennsylvania and Minnesota, city block 1204; Mathilda M. Gerlach to Wm. Moehner et al.—w. d. 2,400

### Missouri Supreme Court.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. 28.—The mandamus proceedings brought by Attorney General Crow against the Boonville Bridge Company to compel that corporation to open the bridge across the Missouri River to general use, was continued to-day in the Supreme Court en banc to the April term.

Following were the other proceedings today:

State ex rel. Garner vs. M. & K. Telephone Company; argued and submitted.

State ex rel. Wilson vs. Joplin National Bank; argued and submitted.

State ex rel. Wilson vs. First National Bank of Joplin; argued and submitted.

State ex rel. Wilson vs. Miners' Bank; argued and submitted.

State ex rel. Wilson vs. Carthage National Bank; argued and submitted.

State ex rel. Wilson vs. First National Bank of Carterville; argued and submitted.

State ex rel. Curts vs. Thomas; submitted on report, to December 15 to plaintiff in error; thirty days thereafter to defendant in error to file briefs.

Youree vs. Home Town Mutual Insurance Company; argued and submitted.

State ex rel. Crow vs. Boonville Bridge; continued to April term, 1904.

Corrigan vs. Kansas City; dismissal set aside and continued to next call.

### National Bank Affairs.

Washington, Oct. 28.—The Comptroller of the Currency to-day approved applications to organize the following national banks:

The First National Bank of New Lewisville, Ark.; capital, $25,000.

The National Bank of Eldorado, Ark.; capital, $25,000.

A certificate was issued authorizing the First National Bank of Arcola, Ind., to begin business with a capital of $50,000.

The designation of the Merhanle's National Bank, St. Louis, as reserve agent for the First National Bank, Eufaula, I., T., was approved.

## GRAIN MARKET IN CHICAGO FOLLOWS LEAD OF ST. LOUIS

### WHEAT BREAKS SHARPLY, BUT RALLIES LATER.

### Weather Reports and Good Cash Business Strengthen Corn After Time of Depression.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—The financial situation at St. Louis, in conjunction with the unsettled condition of Dec. wheat there, was a puzzle that kept traders here guessing to-day, and wheat prices were largely influenced by the action of the Southwest market. With a rally there late in the day, the market here closed firm, with Dec. wheat ¼c higher. Dec. corn was up ⅝@¾c, oats were ⅝c higher and Jan. provisions were from a shade to 10c higher.

WHEAT.

Under the influence of the large export business of yesterday and more reassuring news from St. Louis in regard to the bank situation there, wheat opened firm with a good general demand, Dec. being up ⅛c to ¼c at 89⅝@89⅞c. Traders watched carefully the action of the St. Louis market, and when prices there began to decline soon after the opening apprehensions of further trouble seized the pit and a selling movement was begun, which became general when the Dec. option at St. Louis showed a loss of over a cent within the first hour. Prospects of increased receipts in the Northwest also helped in bringing out selling orders and the market soon became weak, Dec. declining to 89⅛c. The uncertainty of conditions in the Southwestern market caused traders to withhold orders and await developments, which resulted in a tame market toward the middle of the day, with prices holding about steady. Late strength in corn, with a recovery at St. Louis, caused fair buying by pit traders during the last half hour and the early loss was regained, Dec. closing ¼c higher at 89⅞c.

Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 329,600 bu. Primary receipts were 1,289,700 bu., against 1,425,200 bu. a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 799 cars, which, with local receipts of 91 cars, none of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points of 861 cars, against 673 cars last week and 794 cars a year ago.

CORN.

The early strength in wheat caused a firm tone in corn at the opening, but later with the decline in wheat there was considerable corn for sale and prices eased off. Predictions of a break in the present excellent weather conditions and reports of a good cash business were strengthening influences late in the day and caused a recovery of the early loss. After selling between 48⅛@48⅜c and 46⅞@46⅝c, Dec. closed at 44½c, a gain of ⅝@¾c. Local receipts were 302 cars, with 29 of contract grade.

OATS.

Oats were influenced mainly by the action of wheat and corn, showing some decline early in the session and later rallying and closing at a small gain. Trading was quiet and featureless. Dec. closed ⅜c higher at 28⅝c after ranging between 28⅛c and 29¼c. Local receipts were 134 cars.

RANGE OF FUTURES.

| Articles. | Opening. | Highest. | Lowest. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| Dec.* | 89⅛@89⅞ | 89⅞ | 89⅛ | 89⅞ |
| May | 79⅛@79⅝ | 79⅝ | 78⅞ | 79⅝@79⅞ |
| Corn— | | | | |
| Oct. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 44½ |
| Dec. | 47⅛@44 | 46⅛@44⅝ | 43⅞@43⅝ | 44½ |
| May | 42⅞@43 | 43½ | 42⅞@43⅝ | 43½ |
| Oats— | | | | |
| Dec. | 28 | 28⅝ | 28⅛ | 28⅝ |
| Oct. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 28⅛ |
| May | 26⅝ | 26⅝ | 26⅝ | 26⅞ |
| Mess Pork— | | | | |
| Oct. | 11.35 | 11.35 | 11.35 | 11.35 |
| Jan. | 12.05 | 12.15 | 12.00 | 12.10 |
| May | 12.30 | 12.37½ | 12.15 | 12.18 |
| Lard— | | | | |
| Oct. | 6.50 | 6.50 | 6.50 | 6.50 |
| Dec. | 6.55 | 6.62 | 6.55 | 6.55 |
| Jan. | 6.60 | 6.67½ | 6.60 | 6.62½ |
| May | 6.67½ | 6.72½ | 6.67½ | 6.72½ |
| Short Ribs— | | | | |
| Jan. | 6.27½ | 6.32½ | 6.27½ | 6.32½ |
| May | 6.40 | 6.42½ | 6.40 | 6.42½ |

*New.

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

| Articles. | Rec. | Ship. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, bbls | 42,900 | 22,700 |
| Wheat, bu | 267,200 | 248,000 |
| Corn, bu | 463,300 | 378,400 |
| Oats, bu | 451,000 | 265,800 |
| Rye, bu | 12,400 | 2,100 |
| Barley, bu | 199,100 | 11,500 |

PROVISIONS.

Provisions trade was extremely dull, but declined to firmness, considering the decided weakness in hogs reported from the yards. Buying by packers was the chief source of support. Closing prices were firm, with Jan. pork up 10c at $12.10, Jan. lard a shade higher at $6.62@6.67½, and ribs 5c higher at $6.32½.

Estimate receipts for to-morrow: Wheat, 100 cars; corn, 375 cars; oats, 225 cars; hogs, 34,000 head.

### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York, Oct. 28.—Flour—Receipts 23,376; exports 16,700; quietar, but held at old prices. Rye flour quiet; fair to good $3@3.40. Buckwheat flour firm. Corn meal steady; yellow Western $1.05, city $1.05. Rye steady; fair to fancy, 76@78c. Barley steady; State, 60@62c, c. i. f. Wheat—Receipts 69,475; spot steady; No. 2 red 89½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 red 87½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth 92½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba nominal f. o. b. afloat; options opened very favorable weakness the morning in response to St. Louis declines and to local bear pressure inspired by larger Northwestern receipts; later they rallied on a scare of shorts and export rumor, closing quiet ½@¾c net higher; May 83@83 9-16c, closed 83⅝c; July closed 80c; Dec. 87@87 11-16c, closed 87⅝c. Corn—Receipts 72,800; exports 153,543; spot firm; No. 2 nominal elevator and 52½c c. i. f. afloat; No. 2 yellow 54½c. No. 2 yellow for Oct. closing market was quiet and barely steady, influenced by favorable weather, easy cables and liberal predictions of rain in the Southwest, closing ¼@¾c net higher; May 44⅝@45⅛c, closed 45⅛c; Dec. 50 9-16@51c, closed 51c. Oats—Receipts 48,500; exports 1,010; spot steady; No. 2 43c; standard white 43½c; No. 3 40½c; No. 2 white 43½c; No. 3 white 40c; track white 41½@45½c. May steady. Hops quiet; State, common to choice, 1903, 24@32c; 1902, 21@23½c; olds 9@12c. Beef dull. Cut meats easy. Pickled bellies 9½@11½c; pickled shoulders 6½@6½c; pickled hams 11@12½c. Lard steady; refined quiet. Tallow easy; city 4½c; country 4½@4¾c. Cottonseed oil easier; prime yellow 30c. Rice steady. Molasses steady.

### LIVE-STOCK MARKET.

#### Native Run Good—Beef Cattle Strong —Sheep Close Steady.

NATIVE CATTLE—Beef Steers—Receipts of native cattle were not as large as the offerings of Tuesday by almost a half, there being a little over 2,000 head of fresh arrivals, but with the increased number of shippers, THAN the Tuesday market, the number of cattle still on offer was large and from early appearances would prove more than ample for the day's requirements. The receipts for the three days this week are very close to 11,000 head, and but 2,000 short of the three big days' receipts last week, and by comparison with any three days outside of the previous mentioned three days, makes the receipts seem very large. The opening of the market was decidedly dull and lifeless and the early sales were lost about steady and occasional ones a little off. Toward the middle of the session, however, the demand improved considerably and offerings went to the scales in much better time. Steers of desirable flesh and weight and even the heavier kinds were strong at the close, with some sales showing a dime higher, but light weights, unfinished grade and common classes were only steady.

BEEF AND BUTCHER STEERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 59 | 1351 | $5.25 | 21 | 1416 | $5.10 | 1 | 1440 | 5.00 |
| 27 | 1187 | 4.90 | 20 | 1061 | 4.50 | 19 | 1138 | 4.45 |
| 1 | 1310 | 4.25 | 10 | 919 | 3.40 | 22 | 1122 | 3.25 |
| 35 | 1216 | 5.10 | 19 | 1251 | 4.50 | 2 | 1170 | 4.25 |
| 23 | 1061 | 4.35 | 3 | 1170 | 4.45 | 1 | 980 | 4.00 |
| 17 | 1243 | 4.35 | 9 | 987 | 3.15 | | | |

Butcher Cattle—The butcher trade was very lifeless and the market was almost at a standstill. Though the supply was not large, it was comprised mainly of a plain class of killers. However, a sprinkling of pretty good dressed beef cows and decent kinds of heifers was available. On the top kinds of heifers sales were considered steady, but while a good many of the better grades of cows were considered steady, those that were a little bit undesirable were a dime lower. The general market was fully 10c lower on canners, cutters and a good many of the cows up to around $3. Medium kinds of heifers also suffered a 10c decline. Bulls were dull and a shade lower, while veal calves were about steady.

HEIFERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 485 | $4.50 | 20 | 771 | $4.25 | 2 | 1010 | $4.25 |
| 17 | 722 | 3.85 | 2 | 790 | 3.50 | 26 | 682 | 3.25 |
| 25 | 729 | 3.30 | 16 | 808 | 3.45 | 19 | 528 | 3.25 |
| 21 | 865 | 3.25 | 16 | 743 | 3.15 | 4 | 725 | 3.15 |
| 2 | 740 | 3.00 | 4 | 787 | 3.00 | 3 | 723 | 2.50 |

COWS.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1410 | 4.00 | 2 | 1350 | 3.75 | 1 | 1000 | 3.25 |
| 6 | 1042 | 3.75 | 3 | 1033 | 3.75 | 4 | 1172 | 3.50 |
| 1 | 1070 | 3.25 | 3 | 1033 | 3.25 | 2 | 1150 | 3.15 |
| 8 | 1159 | 3.10 | 3 | 1070 | 3.10 | 1 | 1140 | 3.00 |
| 2 | 1050 | 3.00 | 8 | 1112 | 3.00 | 1 | 970 | 2.75 |
| 1 | 1060 | 2.75 | | | | | | |

MIXED.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 12 | 715 | 2.75 | 7 | 751 | 2.50 | 8 | 472 | 2.00 |

BULLS.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1230 | 3.85 | 1 | 1050 | 3.65 | 1 | 1520 | 3.50 |
| 1 | 1310 | 3.25 | 1 | 940 | 2.50 | | | |

STAGE.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1140 | 3.50 | | | | | | |

VEAL CALVES.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 120 | 6.50 | 4 | 172 | 6.25 | 2 | 135 | 6.50 |
| 2 | 145 | 6.50 | 1 | 100 | 6.25 | 2 | 160 | 6.00 |
| 1 | 190 | 6.00 | 2 | 135 | 6.00 | 2 | 135 | 5.00 |
| 1 | 150 | 5.00 | 1 | 110 | 5.00 | | | |

Texans:

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 36 | 283 | 6.50 | 70 | 296 | 7.25 | | | |

YEARLINGS AND HEIFERTICS.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 261 | 2.15 | | | | | | |

SOUTHERN CATTLE—Quarantine cattle receipts were shy of the estimate of 175 cars, there being only 140 cars and 4,326 head received, and 14 loads of these arrived too late to find sale, and were carried over. Last Wednesday 149 cars and 4,116 head were recorded and two weeks ago 126 cars and 3,740 head. It was late before the movement to the scales began in earnest fashion, but when started it did not take long to clean up the early arrivals. The trade generally was on a good steady basis, though on the light-weight, thin steers a little unevenness was manifested, with occasional sales a shade lower, while on cows that sold above $2.10 some little irregularity appeared, but taken all the way through, considering the quality of the arrivals, which were not good, the trade did not show any material change from the Tuesday market. Calves were dull and about steady with the close of Tuesday.

TEXAS AND INDIAN STEERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 56 | 996 | $3.20 | 240 | 955 | $3.20 | 56 | 1001 | $3.15 |
| 1 | 1020 | 2.50 | 1 | 850 | 2.50 | 19 | 858 | 2.90 |
| 11 | 890 | 2.85 | 12 | 1140 | 2.85 | 4 | 957 | 2.85 |
| 2 | 585 | 2.50 | 23 | 877 | 2.85 | 15 | 856 | 2.80 |
| 106 | 791 | 2.50 | 26 | 793 | 2.65 | 215 | 793 | 2.55 |
| 58 | 797 | 2.50 | 195 | 848 | 2.40 | 131 | 754 | 2.40 |

HEIFERS.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 245 | 661 | 2.60 | 27 | 775 | 2.40 | 28 | 525 | 2.20 |
| 1 | 950 | 2.00 | | | | | | |

COWS.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 900 | 2.00 | 28 | 849 | 2.50 | 27 | 864 | 2.50 |
| 26 | 798 | 2.35 | 21 | 853 | 2.40 | 22 | 892 | 2.35 |
| 20 | 749 | 2.35 | 34 | 732 | 2.30 | 256 | 744 | 2.25 |
| 6 | 645 | 2.25 | 19 | 801 | 2.25 | 4 | 838 | 2.25 |
| 44 | 851 | 2.25 | 46 | 836 | 2.25 | 5 | 781 | 2.25 |
| 1 | 770 | 2.25 | 1 | 790 | 2.25 | 1 | 760 | 2.25 |
| 23 | 739 | 2.20 | 28 | 703 | 2.10 | 17 | 729 | 2.10 |
| 2 | 705 | 2.10 | 21 | 747 | 2.10 | 24 | 803 | 2.10 |
| 1 | 670 | 2.10 | 25 | 748 | 2.10 | 6 | 816 | 2.05 |
| 125 | 852 | 2.00 | 1 | 580 | 2.00 | 22 | 732 | 2.00 |
| 1 | 680 | 1.50 | | | | | | |

MIXED.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 778 | 2.10 | | | | | | |

BULLS.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 1065 | 2.15 | 2 | 1050 | 2.10 | 2 | 1130 | 2.10 |
| 4 | 920 | 2.10 | 11 | 1027 | 2.10 | 1 | 1060 | 2.10 |
| 1 | 900 | 2.00 | 1 | 1020 | 1.75 | | | |

CALVES.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 190 | 5.50 | 1 | 190 | 5.00 | 30 | 177 | 4.25 |
| 28 | 167 | 4.25 | 1 | 180 | 4.00 | 1 | 150 | 4.00 |
| 2 | 125 | 4.00 | 1 | 160 | 4.00 | 1 | 160 | 3.50 |
| 77 | 199 | 4.25 | 28 | 164 | 4.25 | 5 | 198 | 5.00 |
| 5 | 172 | 6.00 | 1 | 140 | 3.00 | | | |

Stags, per cwt. fee.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 190 | 4.00 | 2 | 90 | 6.00 | 2 | 115 | 6.00 |
| 1 | 180 | 6.00 | 1 | 200 | 5.50 | 1 | 240 | 4.00 |

SHEEP—A fair supply of sheep arrived, but 2 double-decks were shipped in by local slaughterers to fill urgent orders, the receipts here during the past two weeks not permitting them to get more than half the number really needed. The offerings included a load of Western lambs, otherwise they were principally native. The market opened with a good demand and all decent mutton stock, both sheep and lambs, found ready sale at steady to strong prices, but those without fresh wool met no better than steady. Inferior and all cull lambs were almost unsalable at any price, buyers want only those with flesh. The demand is fair for stockers at about steady prices. The best lambs sold at $5@5.10 and good mutton sheep at $3.50@3.65.

HOGS—The run of hogs was quite good, the receipts amounting to around 5,000 head, the largest for some time, compared with 2,000 a week ago and 4,000 two weeks ago. The total sale at the yards was slow and prices were 25@50c lower than a week ago and 5@10c lower than two weeks ago. The total supply was in good condition, however, and the demand was quite active, which resulted in a tame market toward the middle of the day, with prices holding about steady. Late strength in corn, with a recovery at St. Louis, caused fair buying by pit traders during the last half hour and the early loss was regained, Dec. closing ¼c higher at 80⅞c.

Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 329,600 bu. Primary receipts were 1,289,700 bu., against 1,425,200 bu. a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 799 cars, which, with local receipts of 91 cars, none of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points of 861 cars, against 673 cars last week and 794 cars a year ago.

CORN.

The early strength in wheat caused a firm tone in corn