EVERYTHING ADVANCED

COLD WEATHER AND PROSPECT OF WINTER WHEAT DAMAGE ADDED STRENGTH.

JULY AND SEPTEMBER LEADERS IN THE GAINS

Corn Opened Shade to ½ Up and Kept Its Strength, Buying Orders Abounding in Pit—Oats Strong on Good Demand—All Provisions Advance 7½ to 22½, and Scarce.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Low temperatures over the western part of the wheat belt, where but little snow covers the winter wheat, gave promise of more crop damage reports, and added strength to the wheat market in the early trading here. May opened a shade to ⅜ to ½ up. Under good demand prices advanced generally ⅝, July and September leading in the gain. July touched 1.04¾ to 1.05⅜, and steadied at the higher levels. May kept practically within its opening range, $1.14⅝ to $1.15. New investments, realizing sales and some covering were features of the market. Receipts in Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth were 228 cars.

Later the market fell off, May going down to $1.13⅝@1.13¾ from $1.15, the high point for the crop, which was also reached Jan. 7, and closed weak near the low points, with May ¾ lower at $1.13¾@1.13⅞.

Corn.

Corn opened a shade to ½ higher, and kept its strength in the early trading. Buying orders abounded in the pit and country traders took a large share of the offerings. May opened at 68¼ to 61⅝, a shade to ⅜ to ½ higher. Receipts were 289 cars.

The market weakened with wheat and closed weak near the bottom, with May ¼@⅜ lower at 67⅞.

Oats.

In oats a good demand, principally from elevator interests, kept prices well toward the top point. May opened at 48¼ to 48½, a shade to ⅛ to ¼ up. Receipts were eighty-two cars.

Provisions.

Higher prices for live hogs and small receipts of animals at packing centers caused another advance in provisions, prices of all products advancing at the outset 7½ to 22½. Offerings were scarce and buyers had difficulty in filling their orders. May pork opened at $23.65 to $23.70.

Chicag Grain Close.

Chicago, Feb. 17.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 1.25@1.26½; No. 3 red, 1.18@1.23½; No. 2 hard, 1.15@1.16¼; No. 3 hard, 1.13@1.15½.

Corn—No. 2, 65½@66; No. 2 white, 66½; No. 2 yellow, 66½; No. 3, 64¼@65; No. 3 white, 64½@65½; No. 3 yellow 64@65.

Oats—No. 2, 48¾; No. 2 white, 50@50¼; No. 3, 47½; No. 3 white, 48@49¼; standard, 49¼@50¼.

Range of Chicago Grain Prices.

Chicago, Feb. 17.

Wheat—May opened at 1.14⅝ to 1.15; highest, 1.15; lowest, 1.13⅝@1.13¾; closed, 1.13¾@1.13⅞; July, 1.04¾@1.04½.

Corn—May opened at 68¼ to 68⅜; highs, 68⅝; lowest, 67¾; closed, 67⅞; July, 68¾.

Oats—May opened at 48¼ to 48½; highest, 48½; lowest, 47⅞; closed, 47⅞@48; July, 44⅜@44½.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Feb. 17.

Pork—May, 23.70.

Lard—May, 12.82½@12.85.

Ribs—May, 12.47½@12.50.

Rye—Cash, 81.

Barley—63@67½.

Timothy—March, 4.05.

Clover—March, 14.00.

Butter—Steady; creameries, 25@28; dairies, 21@25.

Eggs—Strong; receipts, 5,100 at mark cases included, 18@23; firsts, 25; prime firsts, 26.

Poultry—Steady; turkeys, 17; chickens, 16; springs, 16.

Cheese—Steady; daisies, 16¾@17; twins, 16½@16¾; young America, 16½@16¾; long horns, 16½@16¾.

The Potato Market.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Potatoes—Easy.

Choice to fancy	40@41
Fair to good	35@37

Range of Prices.

The following range of prices are furnished by A. J. Clark, broker, member Chicago board of trade, room 8, Tremont block:

	Open	High	Low	Close Feb. 17.	Close Feb. 16.
Wheat—					
May	114⅝	115	113⅝	113¾	114½
July	104¾	105⅜	104⅜	104¾	104⅞
Sept.	100¼	100¾	99¾	99¾	100⅛
Corn—					
May	68¼	68⅝	67¾	67⅞	68⅛
July	69⅛	69⅜	68⅜	68⅜	68¾
Sept.	69	69⅛	68¼	68¼	68¾
Oats—					
May	48¼	48½	47⅞	47⅞	48⅛
July	45	45⅛	44⅜	44⅜	44⅜
Sept.	41⅜	41½	41	41	41¼
Pork—					
May	23.65	23.82	23.65	23.70	23.55
July	23.70	23.75	23.62	23.62	23.52
Lard—					
May	12.82	12.90	12.70	12.82	12.72
July	12.80	12.82	12.72	12.80	12.67
Ribs—					
May	12.50	12.55	12.42	12.47	12.40
July	12.47	12.50	12.40	12.45	12.35

Minneapolis Cash Grain Close.

[Furnished by E. J. Moore, Grain Merchant, 24 East Main, 'Phone 68.]

Minneapolis, Feb. 17.

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 1.15½@1.16¼; No. 1 northern, 1.15@1.15⅞; No. 2 northern, 1.13@1.13⅞; No. 1 velvet chaff, no market; No. 2 velvet chaff, no market; No. 3 northern, 1.09@1.12⅜; No. 1 durum, no market; No. 2 durum, no market.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 60½@60¾; No. 3, 57¼@58¾.

Oats—No. 3 white, 46@46¼; No. 3, 44¾@45¼.

Barley—61@68.

Rye—Nothing.

Flax—Cash and to arrive, 2.19¾.

Peoria Grain.

Peoria, Feb. 17.

Corn—No. 3, 63.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Feb. 17.

Wheat—Cash, closed; No. 1 hard, 1.15½@1.16⅜; No. 1 northern, 1.15@1.15⅞; No. 2 northern, 1.13@1.13⅞; No. 3 northern, 1.09@1.12⅜.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, Feb. 17.

Wheat—May, 1.13⅜@1.13½.

Corn—68.

Oats—47¾.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Feb. 17.

Wheat—No. 2 hard, 1.12@1.15; May, 1.08⅝@1.08¾ bid.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 63½; May, 65½@65⅝ sellers.

Oats—No. 2 white, 46½@48½.

New York Grain.

New York, Feb. 17.

Wheat—May, 1.21½.

Corn—76⅞.

New York Produce.

New York, Feb. 17.

Butter—Firm; receipts, 4,600; creamery specials, 31; third to extras, 25@30; held second to special, 25@31; state dairy, 23@29; process, 24½@26½.

Eggs—Firm; receipts, 9,600; western first, 26½@27; seconds, 26.

Poultry—Alive, steady; chickens, 17@18; fowls, 20@21; turkeys, 14@20; dressed, firm; chickens, 16@18; fowls, 14@18½; turkeys, 22@25.

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, Feb. 17.

Wheat—Dull; spot no stocks; May 5s 5⅝d.

Corn—Quiet; spot, new, 5s 6¼; old, 5s 8¾d; March, 5s 6⅝d.

The Money Market.

New York, Feb. 17.—Money on call, easy, 2½@3; prime mercantile, 4½@5; exchange, steady; bankers bills, 4.84.40@4.84.50 for sixty days; 4.86.40 on demand.

New York Exchange.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—New York exchange 20 cents discount.

News of Grinnell and Vicinity.

Special to Times-Republican.

Grinnell, Feb. 17.—The Benevolent Social Society of the Congregational church held a business meeting last evening, after the regular monthly supper, for the purpose of discussing and voting upon the question of consolidating with the home and foreign missionary societies. The discussion was animated and showed a very decided difference of opinion and it was finally deemed best to lay the entire subject upon the table for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Arnold, of this city, are entertaining Mrs. H. T. Hicks for a few days while on her way to her new home in Colorado.

The friends and neighbors of Mrs. Nellie James, whose home for several years was in Grinnell, will be sorry to hear the news of her recent death in Los Angeles.

Rev. George E. White, of this city, returned missionary from Marsovan, Turkey, and president of Anatolia College at the same place, recently slipped on the icy pavement of Chicago and severely injured his shoulder. At latest report he was recovering reasonably well. He is delivering a series of lectures in Chicago Theological Seminary.

A. J. Noll, formerly of this city, has gone to Des Moines to take charge of the Noah-Noll Heating Company's business, the company having recently opened a store there.

The Westfield Sunday school will hold a social at the home of Mrs. Lord tomorrow evening. Rev. T. A. Dungan will preach at the Westfield church at 3:15 next Sunday afternoon.

Arrangements have been made for five men from the college to spend the Easter vacation in carrying on an evangelistic meeting at Eddyville. They are to live amongst the people of the town and do such personal work each day as they may find to do and conduct a union meeting each evening of their stay. So far as chosen, and subject to any changes that may seem best, the workers are: Clifford Well, '10; Paul McEachron, '11; Fred Bair, '12; John Evans, '13; with another yet to be selected.

The mercury dropped on Tuesday night to zero, hugged that point all day Wednesday and went three below last night.

Harry Wiley, the 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiley, of Malcom, met with a severe accident on Saturday in which he got off with a broken leg just above the ankle and was fortunate to have nothing worse. He climbed on the wagon of Mr. Griffin who did not notice him and drove on and in some way the boy's leg got into the wheel. Fortunately some one saw him and got the team stopped in time to save further injury.

Mrs. Charles Booknau has just returned from Kansas City, having been there to assist her sister, Mrs. L. W. Maulsby, during the sickness of her husband who recently died. Mrs. Maulsby was well known here as Miss Myrtle Richards. The body of her husband was taken to their old home at Sykeston, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Case announce the birth of a son at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blatherwick, of this city, are enjoying a visit from their son, Dr. A. A. Blatherwick, and his friend, Dr. Parker, both of whom are internes in the Cook county hospital at Chicago.

W. A. Hutchinson plans to move his family next week from the farm he has occupied near Malcom to the new one he has secured in the vicinity of Winterset.

The W. J. Rapson family of this city, are much pleased over the news that a son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rapson, of Des Moines.

Mrs. O. W. Hoit from Geneseo, Ill., is a guest at the homes of the J. S. Wilson and the Scott families of this city.

Mr. H. O. Shaw, of this city, has just received the sad news of the death of his mother, Mrs. L. W. Skeels, who had gone to spend the winter with her son and daughter in Lawton, Okla. The body will be brought to Newton for burial beside those of her father and mother. The funeral will be on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Skeels' husband died here last September after a long period of weakness and she was greatly worn with the extra labor and care and sorrow and both she and her children hoped for a recuperation of strength by a winter residence in the warmer climate of Oklahoma.

Lagrippe pains that pervade the entire system, lagrippe coughs that rack and strain, are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. Is mildly laxative, safe and certain in results. McBride & Will Drug Company.

HOGS GO SOARING

PRIME KINDS SELL AT HIGHEST PRICE IN PAST FORTY YEARS.

PACKERS FAIL TO HEAD REMARKABLE ADVANCES

Later Become Eager Buyers at High Prices—Cattle Steady to Strong But No Prime Steers Are Offered—Sheep and Lambs Higher—Current Quotations and Market Conditions.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Demand for hogs overshadowed the other markets today, demand and light receipts sending prices above the previous records for forty years. Prime hogs went over the scales at $9.40, and higher figures were predicted. The initial advance was 10 cents, and then thru rapid stages the market reached a point 20@25 cents above Wedensday's figures. Packers tried to keep the prices down but failed, and after the first hour they were as eager to buy as shippers and scalpers.

Cattle.

Cattle were steady to strong. No prime steers were reported, but it is thought that prime heavy would have brought $8.00.

Sheep.

Sheep and lambs were higher, both selling at advances of 10@15 cents, and lambs in some cases were really 25 cents higher, a top of $9.25 being secured.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Cattle—Estimated receipts for today, 9,000; opened steady to strong.

Beeves	4.45@7.85
Stockers and feeders	3.20@5.55
Cows and heifers	2.30@5.90
Western steers	4.25@6.10
Texas steers	4.10@5.20
Calves	7.00@9.20

Hogs—Estimated receipts for today, 24,000; opened 10 to 15 cents higher.

Light	8.75@9.25
Mixed	8.75@9.27½
Heavy	8.85@9.32½
Rough	8.85@9.00
Good to choice heavy	9.00@9.32½
Bulk of sales	9.10@9.20

Sheep—Estimated receipts for today, 8,000; opened strong to 10 cents higher.

Muttons	4.50@7.25
Lambs	7.25@9.10

Representative Hog Sales.

Chicago, Feb. 17.

Below are quoted a few of the representative hog sales:

	Average.	Price.
61 mixed and butchers	201	8.75
54 mixed and butchers	187	8.90
57 mixed and butchers	214	9.00
58 mixed and butchers	227	9.10
50 good heavies	284	9.00
52 good heavies	296	9.10
51 good heavies	308	9.20
47 good heavies	316	9.25
4 rough heavies	367	8.85
3 rough heavies	391	8.90
5 rough heavies	408	8.95
2 rough heavies	414	9.00
62 light hogs	144	8.75
59 light hogs	152	8.90
54 light hogs	157	9.00
56 light hogs	161	9.15

Representative Cattle Sales.

Below are quoted a few of the representative cattle sales of today:

	Average.	Price.
19 steers	884	4.50
17 steers	917	4.65
18 steers	982	4.80
16 steers	1017	5.00
17 steers	1086	5.25
16 steers	1054	5.40
15 steers	1071	5.50
14 steers	1123	5.70
15 steers	1114	6.00
17 steers	1174	6.15
16 steers	1158	6.25
13 steers	1207	6.40
11 steers	1214	6.50
12 steers	1282	6.65
14 steers	1231	6.75
10 steers	1308	6.90
11 steers	1414	7.00

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, Feb. 17.—Cattle—Estimated receipts for today, 3,000; strong to 10 cents higher.

Natives	5.25@7.50
Cows and heifers	3.00@6.25
Stockers and feeders	3.75@5.90
Westerns	5.00@7.00
Southerns	4.75@6.50

Hogs—Estimated receipts for today, 3,000; 10 cents higher.

Heavy	9.00@9.10
Packers and butchers	8.90@9.10
Light	8.70@8.95

Sheep—Estimated receipts for today, 5,000; strong.

Muttons	5.50@7.00
Lambs	8.00@9.00

Omaha Livestock.

Omaha, Feb. 17.—Cattle—Estimated receipts for today, 2,600; 10 cents higher.

Natives	4.50@7.00
Cows and heifers	3.50@5.50
Westerns	3.25@6.00
Stockers and feeders	3.00@5.70

Hogs—Estimated receipts for today, 1,700; 10 cents higher.

Heavy	8.50@8.95
Mixed	8.00@8.90
Light	8.70@8.90

Sheep—Estimated receipts for today, 9,200; stronger.

Muttons	5.25@8.10
Lambs	7.50@9.00

St. Louis Livestock.

St. Louis, Feb. 17.—Cattle—Estimated receipts for today, 1,200; opened steady.

Natives	4.40@7.75
Cows and heifers	3.40@6.50
Stockers and feeders	3.50@5.30

Hogs—Estimated receipts for today, 5,000; opened 15 to 20 cents higher.

Pigs and lights	7.75@9.20
Packers	9.00@9.30
Butchers and best heavy	9.15@9.35

Sheep—Estimated receipts for today, 1,500; opened strong.

Muttons	4.75@7.00
Lambs	7.25@8.25

LOCAL LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Prices Paid for Cattle, Hogs and Sheep on Local Market.

Marshalltown prices on livestock were quoted by Britain & Co., today as follows, and farmers are requested to telephone the packing house before selling hogs, cattle or sheep anywhere:

CATTLE.

Good fat cows and heifers—2.50@3.00.
Fair cows and heifers—2.00@2.75.
Poor cows and heifers—2.00@2.75.
Veals—4.00@5.00.
Good veal, over 250 lbs.—3.50.
Bulls—2.50@3.00.

HOGS.

Premium, over 200—8.40.
Premium, 160 to 200—8.30.
Premium, 130 to 160—8.05.
Premium, 100 to 130—7.75.
Good packers—8.30.

FRANKLIN COUNTY FAIR.

Association Already Looking Up Drawing Attractions for This Year.

Special to Times-Republican.

Hampton, Feb. 17.—Officials of the Franklin County Agricultural Society have already commenced looking up attractions for the annual fair to be given next September.

Last year the officials of the society had for an attraction each day an automobile race, the first real race of this kind ever seen in this county, and it was truly a great attraction. Besides this, a public wedding, a leap-the-gap bicycle trick and other novel features drew the greatest crowds perhaps that ever visited the city for three successive days.

This year it is proposed to go the previous year even yet better and it has been decided to secure as an attraction an airship, and offer it as a leading feature. Besides this, it will probably be decided to have another public wedding, and, perhaps to make it the more attractive, a double wedding may be decided upon. This was a popular card last year.

This county has no trouble in drawing prizes in other products, and the officials are talking of adding to the list of entries a department for babies, the same to be exhibited in competition for prizes.

SPANISH PICNIC AT ELDORA.

Twentieth Century Club Ladies Give Enjoyable Affair.

Special to Times-Republican.

Eldora, Feb. 17.—The ladies of the Twentieth Century Club, dressed in Spanish costumes, gathered at the home of Mrs. George Marks Monday evening at 6 o'clock, where the husbands and a few lady guests were royally entertained at a Spanish picnic.

The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion; the parlor being decorated with the Spanish colors and in the dining room the flags of all nations were displayed. In the library was located the gypsy's den. Here Mrs. George Starr, disguised as a Spanish gypsy, told the fortunes of all present. The refreshments consisted of Spanish dishes. Various forms of entertainment were indulged in during the evening. One of the ladies sang, beautifully "A Gypsy Maiden I" and all present declare Mr. and Mrs. Marks royal entertainers.

Hampton Personal Mention.

Special to Times-Republican.

Hampton, Feb. 17.—Mrs. Henry White was so unfortunate as to slip on some ice near her home in the Third ward Tuesday and in falling she sustained a fracture of both wrists. Besides being a painful injury, this old lady is rendered practically helpless by the disabling of both arms.

Miss Concha Ferris will go to Waverly in a few days, where she will take up her duties as stenographer for the Waverly Gas Company, a position she has recently secured.

A box social will be held at school house No. 16 in Ingham township, Friday evening, Feb. 18. An interesting program has been prepared.

The tipping over of a straw stack that had become unbalanced caused the loss of two head of valuable cattle at the Floyd Gillett yards north of this city Monday.

An assistant librarian has been appointed at the public library in the person of Miss Effie Farnham.

Earl Whitehead have moved to this place and now occupy the house on Fourth street next door to the Franklin restaurant.

Rev. C. E. Tower, who was a pastor of the Baptist church here for some time, was in the city recently visiting with old friends.

S. H. Shoemaker has gone to Keokuk, where he will visit for a few days, and from there expects to go to St. Louis and perhaps other points in that part of the country.

Earl S. Hunt has gone to Belle Plaine, where he will work in an electric light plant.

Garner News Notes.

Special to Times-Republican.

Garner, Feb. 17.—The union revival services which are being held in the opera house close Sunday evening. Evangelist Matthis and his singer, Profesor Hoggatt, go from here to Ruthven, where they will begin meetings next week. Rev. Mr. Matthis has preached strong, practical sermons and the singing by the chorus of over 100 voices has been very inspiring.

The last number of the lecture course was given in the opera house Thursday evening by the Gertrude Miller Concert Company. The course this year has been unusually good and there is a surplus in the treasury of over $40 to apply upon the course for next year.

Miss Sadie Carothers left Monday evening for Colorado where she will file on a claim near Denver. She expects to be gone about a week.

A meeting to consider the new law in regard to good roads was held in the court house Tuesday afternoon. There was a good attendance from all over the county. W. G. Barnes, of Garner, was elected chairman and A. L. Severin of Kanawha was elected secretary.

Miss Fern Peck has resigned her position as teacher in room five of our city schools, to take effect at the end of this school month.

Jacob Engstler, living west of Garner, has purchased the Tom Hall place and will move soon.

C. Weigman has bought the Rasmus Larson property in South Garner and will leave his farm and occupy this place as soon as Mr. Larson can leave.

It has been decided by the trustees of the German M. E. camp grounds to build a tabernacle on their grounds at Concord to be finished by June.

State Prisons Overcrowded.

Fort Madison, Feb. 17.—The present count in the Ft. Madison prison is 512 prisoners and there are but 508 cells wherein to sleep this number. This condition is causing the prison officials much thought. It is understood that a like problem exists in the Iowa reformatory at Anamosa. In order to avoid the old system of placing two prisoners in one cell an order has been issued at Ft. Madison that selected, short-term trusties will sleep in the hospital, such a number only as is absolutely necessary.

TRAVELS ROCKY ROAD

ADMINISTRATION'S RAILROAD BILL CONFRONTED BY NEW TROUBLES.

LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION REGISTERS OBJECTIONS

Texas Cattlemen Fear Proposed Measure Would Weaken Interstate Commerce Law—Do Not Like Special Court Feature—Would Shipper Have Chance to Be Heard?

[Special Correspondence.]

Washington, Feb. 17.—New troubles have sprung up for the administration railroad bill in the form of objections to many of its features which have been made to the interstate commerce committees of senate and house by Judge S. H. Cowan, of Texas, speaking as the attorney for the American National Livestock Association. This association represents most of the stock raisers and stock shippers west of the Mississippi.

Judge Cowan has submitted a brief covering the objections of the cattle and stock men to the bill. He says he is fully persuaded the administration bill will, if enacted, be harmful to most effective administration of the interstate commerce law and materially weaken it in two particulars. One relates to the creation of the proposed interstate commerce court. The other is the proposal to take the duty from the commission to defend its orders and to supervise the preparation and trials of cases involving the validity of its orders. He says those who are advocating these two features of the administration bill are making a serious error.

Judge Cowan finds many objections to the creation of a special court. He denies it would expedite decisions or that it would effect uniformity of decisions any more than if the present system were retained, for he says the decisions of the supreme court in the last analysis will govern.

As to the plan of taking from the interstate commerce commission the power to defend its orders in the courts, he says this would weaken the law seriously, as it would mean divided responsibility.

"To relieve that body of the duty of defending or enforcing its orders," says Judge Cowan, "is not demanded by shippers or by the public, and, unless the railroads want it, who does? What case has been improperly handled by the commission?"

"Let the commission control the litigation as the client for the public. Let the attorney general represent the commission but according to its judgment."

Judge Cowan contends the department of justice is and always will be a political department and that it would greatly detract from the law to have the question of whether the orders of the commission were to be pressed dependent on the wishes of a political official.

Another defect in the bill, according to Judge Cowan, is that the right of the shipper to be heard in this court is not guaranteed and is inferentially denied in the bill.

Judge Cowan is severe in condemnation of the provisions of the bill relating to traffic agreements. Under the bill, the railroads are permitted to enter into these agreements. They are required to file them with the commission but the commission is not given power to supervise them, except as it has control over the different rates that enter into the agreement. Judge Cowan says:

"A careful analysis of the proposition to permit agreements on rates between competing carriers will show that it legalizes monopoly and destroys competition.

"What ought to be provided by law is no rates, classifications or regulations, by competing lines on competitive business, shall be agreed on unless and except the schedules be submitted to the commission and approved, and then that while the rates become legal the agreement shall not be binding on anyone for any purpose. That is, the agreement should not go beyond agreeing to submit a scale of rates, classifications, etc., to the commission, which become legal by being permitted to be filed, whereupon the agreement ceases, never having extended beyond the process of getting together the schedules to be filed."

On a number of other points, the bill is attacked as inadequate.

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Great quantities of campaign literature are being poured by the republican congressional committee into those states where the doctrine of insurgency is most rampant. These states include Iowa, Indiana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, Kansas and some of the other middle western states.

This literature is not such as contains any insurgent trend. Speaker Cannon's Kansas City speech is being sent out widely; so is President Taft's Winona speech. In the senate this week, Senator Hale got the recent New York speech of President Taft ordered printed. This, also, will be widely distributed.

The committee is sending part of this literature out under the frank of Representative McKinley, of Illinois, chairman of the republican campaign management.

That the sending out of this literature is not pleasing to the insurgents in congress goes almost without saying. They are regarded as attacks on the tariff attitude of the insurgents. Speaker Cannon's utterances at Kansas City attacked the insurgents and at Winona President Taft reflected on the men who voted against the tariff bill.

As the insurgents look at it, the sending out of the literature in question is intended by the committee management to embarrass them in their districts. They think it is meant merely to stir up trouble for them and to give aid and comfort to the democrats by heightening the bitterness between regulars and progressives.

Local Notes From Hubbard.

Special to Times-Republican.

Hubbard, Feb. 17.—T. W. Strother and wife attended the funeral of their niece, Mrs. Charles Schroeder, at Oskaloosa, Monday.

Andrew Rehfeldt, of Storm Lake, has been visiting his old friends in Grant township.

Gus Miller and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. Ibach, at Eldora, Sunday.

Fred Boeke began tearing down the old hardware building Monday. The building was erected in the fall of 1880 by J. M. Christy, and has been used continuously ever since for a hardware store. Two new dwellings will be built on the lots and adjoining lots at once.

Charley Stoner, of Highmore, S. D., is visiting his brother, Soley, and family.

Erick Hanson has bought the old Fett shop and will use it to make cement blocks and work will begin at once.

Mrs. C. J. Ibach, of Brookings, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Marshman, and family.

Miss Ruth Riant, of Wellsburg, is visiting her mother here this week.

GOOD NEWS.

Many Marshalltown Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

"Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Marshalltown are glad to learn that prompt relief is within their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Our citizens are telling the good news of their experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

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