

**Many People**  
are counting on their Xmas Dinner at  
**The Wapello Restaurant**  
We will always serve the foods that are reasonable, especially, (Game).  
Our short order is the finest system in the city. Our steaks beat all records.  
**Charles Dafferner, Prop.**

**Tri-Weekly Courier.**

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**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.**

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt, who reside northeast of the city, an eleven pound son.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith of Eddyville who have been in the city on a short business visit, have returned to their home.

A marriage license has been issued in the office of the county clerk to James M. Bates and Miss Nettie M. Stater.

W. V. Asher of Coatesville, who has been in the city on a short business visit has left for Lucas to visit with relatives.

Sheriff J. H. Cremer yesterday took his two bloodhounds to Tracey, where he placed them in charge of an experienced trainer.

Mrs. C. B. Fisher of Eddyville has returned to her home after a short visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Keen, 233 McPherson avenue.

Abner Birney, 620 North Court street, who is a student at the University of Missouri at Columbia, Mo., has arrived home for the holiday vacation.

Miss Rena Ryan and Miss Grace Rudy, of Eddyville, returned to their home last evening on the Rock Island, after a short business visit in this city.

Rev. E. T. Lindzen of Munterville has returned to his home after a short visit at the home of Rev. A. Gunberg, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church.

Mrs. J. R. Young and son, Richard, of Creston, have returned to their home after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ayres, 216 North Green street.

Miss Allie Norton and Miss Nellie Allison of Kirksville, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Allison, on Church street, have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Caughlan of Chariton, have arrived in the city for a holiday visit at the home of Mrs. Caughlan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kaiser, 230 West Fourth street.

A. Huff of Cedar Rapids after a short business visit in this city, left this morning on the Milwaukee for Chillicothe, Mo., to make a short visit with friends.

This issue of the Tri-Weekly Courier will be the last for the present week, on account of the Christmas holidays. Next week and hereafter, the paper will appear three times each week.

Marriage licenses have been issued in the office of County Clerk H. W. Michael to Frank Swartz and Mrs. Carrie Bryson; M. M. Ralston and Miss Mary Snowvell; John W. Hancock and Miss Jessie Haggerty; Carl Frederickson and Miss Nellie Hurd.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following parties by Clerk of the District Court H. W. Michael: Samuel A. Carr and Miss Alice M. Crane, John A. Sterner and Miss Minnie L. Nye, Carl H. Reed and Miss Laura E. McCarty, Fremont Skinner and Miss Lillie Penn.

The case of the state of Iowa vs. Charles Morris, charged with the larceny of a scythe and other implements by A. W. Rupe was dismissed this morning in the court of Justice J. A. Ballard because the alleged crime committed was outlawed by the statute of limitation.

Miss Delta Macdonell, 219 West Fifth street, who has been in attendance at Mount St. Joseph's college in Dubuque, returned to her home yesterday, and will spend the holiday vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Macdonell. Miss Macdonell was accompanied by Miss Garnet Taylor, of Bloomfield, who will make a short visit in this city.

**THE HIGH QUALITY**  
photographs from this studio are appreciated as was evidenced by the great rush we have had this Holiday Season. We make them every day.  
**Pierce Studio**  
208 S. MARKET.

**MAKES LUCKY CATCH**

**SPECIAL AGENT HARRISON CAPTURES HEAVILY LADEN NEGRO.**

**ALBIA ROBBERIES MAY BE CLEARED**

**Frank Cheeks, Suspected of Various Albia Burglaries, Has Quantity of Booty When He Was Arrested Here Today.**

What will probably clear up the numerous robberies which have occurred in Albia recently was the arrest in this city today of Frank Cheeks, a notorious Albia negro by Special Agent J. M. Harrison of the Burlington. Two watches, four guns, a number of cartridges, two overcoats, a suit of clothes, \$15 in paper money, a bag of pennies, a bunch of skeleton keys and a gambler's paraphernalia were found on the prisoner when he was searched and nearly all the articles tally to descriptions sent out from Albia recently of goods stolen there. The arrest was due to Special Agent Harrison's proverbial luck which is another way of explaining the exploits of a man who always grasps his opportunities.

**Negro's Actions Suspicious.**  
Mr. Harrison boarded Burlington train No. 10, at Creston this morning en route to this city. He was seated in the smoker when at Murray he saw a negro whose actions were suspicious, board the train and enter the smoker. He had a ticket to Osceola. The negro was wearing an overcoat and carrying another one and when he sat down he took off his cap and put it under the seat. The cap contained a number of cigars and a small tobacco sack, evidently full of money. A large gun was seen protruding from the side pocket of one of the overcoats and two more were seen in his hip pockets. At Osceola the man got off and purchased a ticket to Ottumwa.

**Goods Identified.**  
At Ottumwa the man left the train and entered the waiting room at the union depot. There he was placed under arrest by Special Agent Harrison and Officer Andy Pitts. When searched at the police station it was seen that a valuable catch had been made and the result will doubtless be the clearing of the numerous Albia robberies. It is presumed that the man got the guns from the hardware store of Duncan & Duncan at Albia, which was robbed last Saturday night. The suit of clothes which he was wearing had the name of "Frank Swartz" on a tag on the inside of the coat and it is known that a party by that name had a suit case stolen at Albia recently. An express receipt found on his person showed that he had recently shipped a suit case to "Bill Burke" at Des Moines.

A blank book with the name "M. P. Foster" written on the cover, and a tobacco sack full of cigar labels were found on the man. The latter he tried to secrete and it is evident he feared that these would lead to his secret. Cheeks is known as a bad man. He was arrested at Albia Thanksgiving day for cutting a man, and he has previously been in jail on various charges. A photograph of a woman well known to the Ottumwa police found on the face of one of the watches may add another clue to the Albia robberies.

**SOUTH SIDE NEWS ITEMS.**

From Tuesday's Daily.  
John Renz of Albia, has returned to that place after a short visit at the home of his parents, J. W. Renz, who resides on Sheridan avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Childster of Blakesburg, returned to their home yesterday after a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hampshire.

If you care to save money get prices on rubbers and over shoes and all footwear here. You buy for less. Church Shoe Co., South Side.

Miss Helen and Frank Swinney of Florida, have returned to their home after a short visit at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Swinney, who reside on Pine street.

M. M. Ralston of South Ottumwa, and Miss Rena Norole of Umphreys, Mo., were united in marriage Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. S. I. Elder, pastor of the Davis street Christian church. After the ceremony, the happy couple went to housekeeping at once, at 215 South Schuyler street. Their many friends here and elsewhere extend to them their best wishes.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
Mrs. Maude Pitzinger of Bloomfield, Ill., has returned home after a few days' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bryson, 302 South Ransom street. Rev. D. D. Davies will perform the ceremony.

C. A. McFarland, who resides near Blakesburg, and Miss Edna McElroy, 502 Chester avenue, who have been attending college in Grinnell, arrived last evening to spend their holiday vacation at the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McElroy, and Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hartman.

**\$100—Dr. E. Detchen's Anti-Diuretic** may be worth to you more than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. \$1. Sold by W. W. Ennis, druggist, Ottumwa, Ia.

**Notice to Farmers.**  
I can make you a special price on your Christmas candy. I have all kinds of candy at all prices from 7 1/2c a lb up. Call and look over stock over. It will be money saved because we make all our own candy and can sell cheaper than any one in Ottumwa. Remember the place, 111 South Court St., next to Wilkinson's Tea and Coffee store. Pixley the confectioner.



The farm work of 1904 should be well planned out this winter.

Labor unions have in many cases so wound up the mainspring of commerce that they have broken the spring and the clock has stopped.

We are now coming to the time when the man who is out of debt can take solid comfort. Small matter to him if banks do break and Wall street has financial fits.

The corn crop of 1903 is valued by the department of agriculture at \$900,000,000, the wheat crop at \$422,000,000, the oat crop at \$303,000,000, the hay crop at \$542,000,000 and the cotton crop at \$500,000,000.

Ten years ago the United States produced only 14,000,000 pounds of rice. This year the crop will total 300,000,000 pounds, and from now on we shall be exporters of rice just as we are of other cereal crops.

If the butter in your creamery only grades 80 or thereabouts, the cause may very likely be found in the fact that too many hired men are squirting milk on their hands when they milk the cows—just a case of cause and effect, that's all.

A farmer noticed his hogs eating dry cornstalks and wondered why they did so. It should be noticed to him that if he would put some of his corn into a silo he would have a very valuable winter hog feed. Both the brood sows and the shoters are very fond of silage.

A buttermaker must needs be a magician to make a fine grade of butter out of some of the cream and milk furnished him by some pretty respectable patrons. It is a terrible thing to charge nice people with being dirty, but if the buttermaker has any regard for his reputation he must do it not infrequently.

When some whippersnapper of a clerk is promoted to a \$600 position in some government department, it is considered of sufficient importance to become part of an Associated Press report and be published in all the daily papers, but when a bricklayer or stone-cutter or carpenter cleans up as much or more in a year nothing is thought of it.

It matters not what vocation a young man may follow he will always find that the better his education the more successful will he be. A college education will make him a better farmer, a better miller, a better auctioneer, a more successful manufacturer, as well as a better lawyer, doctor or parson. The ignorant fellows are hereafter always to be found at the tail end of the procession.

There is one pitiful side of what is termed the unparalleled sport the hunters have enjoyed this fall on the lakes and marshes of the west and in the big woods of the north country. Thousands of men have been engaged for weeks in the killing of wild fowl and deer, but for all the game which was secured there was almost as much more which was lost and left to perish from wounds, a slaughter pitiful to contemplate.

The most useful, the most reliable and the most profitable of all domestic things are the cow and the hen, whose products are always salable and always usable by the family. You show us a man who takes good care of a dairy or one who gives his poultry intelligent care, and we will show you a man who runs no store bill and keeps a square with the world. This is only a text, but it really contains the whole sermon.

It never pays to make a scavenger out of the milk cow. She should be treated as the lady boarder who pays a fancy price for her board. If farm scavengers are wanted let the hogs and the steers the work. Give the colts and the steers the lee side of the straw stack and the rummaging over the stalk field and the dairy cow the warm barn, the well balanced and abundant ration. The better her board the more she is willing to pay for it.

With the advent of winter in the northern latitude where the writer lives there comes a great shortage of bird life. Only a few species are hardy enough to stand the severity of the northern winter. A few bluejays and crows, the English sparrow, the chickadee, an occasional flock of cedar birds, the snow bunting and once in awhile a sap sucker sum up the list of our winter birds. If the winter proves mild, now and again a meadow lark and a blackbird will be found lingering around some sheltered clump of conifers.

If a state like Kansas could be dropped down in central Europe it would be regarded as the garden of Eden.

Cows fed on ensilage during the winter without any side ration will give 80 per cent as much milk as when fed on grass during the summer.

One of the very best calves we ever saw never even had an introduction to its mother and always bawled as soon as it heard the hdm of the farm separator.

The very poorest grade of hogs sent to the markets is known as "government," implying that they find their way into army and navy rations. We used to get this kind in 1863.

There has been a reduction of nearly 25 per cent in the freight charge since 1882. Then the charge was a cent and a fraction per ton per mile; now it is a fraction over three-quarters of a cent.

Query: If it is right to appropriate the public money to get water on to a desert, why not to drain a swamp? And yet every drainage enterprise so far undertaken has been by private enterprise.

A prominent paper in the west states that one of its patrons this year raised 100 bushels of popcorn on two-thirds of an acre of ground. Affidavits should always be attached to this class of agricultural yarns.

The state of New York voted at the late election the enormous bond issue of \$101,000,000 for the enlargement of the Erie canal. This improvement means more to the western producer than it does to the farmers of the state of New York.

We are wont to think of a gold mine as the best illustration of concrete wealth and profit, but here is the Calumet and Hecla copper mine giving its stockholders a total of \$83,350,000 in dividends since its opening on an invested capital of only \$2,500,000.

It is often difficult to get a bait which will attract rats into a trap, for these rodents are very wise and crafty, but we are told that there is one kind of bait which they never can resist and that is pumpkin seeds. Try this bait.

The Maine experiment station has determined by analysis that 10 cents' worth of common bread and milk contains more than twice the amount of nutriment than 10 cents' worth of any of the greatly advertised cereal food preparations, and, besides this, the bread and milk tastes better.

At this season of the year the "side hunt" is a very common feature of western so called sport. While this sort of hunting or sport might be permissible in a jack rabbit country, where these animals are pests, in the major portion of the country, where wild life is all too scarce anyway, such hunts are little short of barbarism.

Every farmer has some one question touching his farm work which he would like to have answered by some man who is competent to answer it. Now, the right thing to do is to attend your county institute and just ask that question. You may thus be benefited yourself and a lot of your neighbors as well. Go and ask that question.

Continued experiments in the cold curing of cheese are showing remarkably satisfactory results, a very superior quality of cheese being thus obtained. It is now found that if such cheese is given a covering of paraffin there is a great saving in the shrinkage incident to the curing process. If better cheese was made there would be much more of it used.

It is estimated that the deer killed last fall in northern Minnesota would have brought the large sum of \$900,000 if they could have been sold in the open markets of the country. The rigid enforcement of the game laws is resulting in making deer very plentiful, not only in northern Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan, but also on Long Island and in the northern portions of Maine and Vermont.

Contracts are being let by the government for the great irrigating plant in the Tonto basin on the Salt river in Arizona, the first work undertaken by the government under the new law. This work will include a dam 160 feet high, the impounding of the water in a lake eighteen miles long and over half a mile wide, with a depth of 100 feet, and the reclamation of 200,000 acres of what is now utterly waste desert land.

The robin that nests by your door in the northern states and is rigidly protected by law becomes the pothunter's meat as soon as he gets into winter quarters down south and is mercilessly slaughtered in the cedar swamps where he makes his winter home and in the markets of the south at 5 to 10 cents a dozen. But perhaps if these southern pothunters did not thin these birds out of the north would be unable to harvest any berries at all.

It is considered quite the proper thing to criticize the packing houses, but we recall the time when with twenty fat hogs on hand we had to have a hog killing bee and when the carcasses were frozen half their fifty miles and stand around on the street with their half a day waiting for a better offer than \$2.25 per hundredweight for our dressed hogs. Since the packing houses were organized there has always been a ready market for the meats produced, and that, too, on the hoof.

**THE MAN AND THE SOIL.**

No man in any profession or business is so safe as he who owns and tills a piece, large or small, of old Mother Earth. So much of the living for himself and family may be thus obtained that he is in a large measure made independent, so far as his living is concerned, of panics, hard times, salary reductions and lay-offs. We look for the time to come when the knowledge of how to use a piece of land to the best advantage in producing those things which sustain life will be counted as the most valuable knowledge a man can possess. This present rush for the cities, the expressed contempt in which agriculture has been held in the past as a business, the fierce struggle between employer and employee and every so often the closing of factories, shop and mine, with all the attendant suffering, are, we believe, going to give way in a measure to the more sensible plan of men seeking their living direct from the soil, greatly to their own benefit and that of the country at large. There is no more prosperous country today than agricultural France, where the land is owned in small tracts and worked by the owners. Ten acres is a small farm, it is true, but when intelligence and skill are applied to ten acres it beats any \$1,000 salaried place on earth. We feel that no better advice can be given to thousands of men than this—to get a piece of land and learn how to intelligently work it.

**STAY BY THE HOME CREAMERY.**

In the line of co-operative effort among the farmers nothing better has been accomplished than the co-operative creamery. It is seldom so large as to be unwieldy or difficult to manage. There is little or no financial risk invited, as the dividends are based upon actual sales of butter. Another good feature has been the bringing of the farmers of a community into intimate business relations with each other, and we regard as little short of a calamity the efforts now being made to break these co-operative creameries up by the organization of the big centralized concerns covering a radius of a hundred miles or more. While temporarily the big concern in order to build up its business and break down the home concern may offer a trifle better prices for butter fat than the home creamery can pay, is it not very reasonable to suppose that when local competition has been thus killed off they will fix prices to suit themselves? Is it not this way with all trusts? Have a little horse sense and stick by the home creamery.

**DIVERSIFYING THEIR CROPS.**

For many years the arable portion of Texas has been a one crop country—cotton, cotton, cotton, while all the bacon, the corn, the forage and the fruits were imported. The crop was largely eaten up before it was grown, involving the unreasonable use of credit and high interest rates, while the fertility of the soil underwent a steady depletion. The Texans are now coming to their senses and are beginning a general diversification of their crops and are astonished to find out what a wonderful variety of other useful and profitable crops can be grown besides cotton. The cow, the hog, alfalfa, corn, wheat, fruit and poultry are taking the place of cotton and to the infinite betterment of the Texas farmers. In a different way they are repeating the experience of the wheat raisers of the northwest.

**ROTATING CROPS.**

We are asked whether the growing of wheat can be continued for an indefinite period on the wheat land of the northwest. This will depend upon whether the growers are wise enough to adopt some system of crop rotation. As in much of the north wheat country corn is not a sure crop, and the clovers and grasses do not yet do well, the chance for a satisfactory crop rotation is very limited, as it would not answer the purpose to change from wheat to oats or barley. For the present about all the rest which the wheat fields have is an occasional summer fallow. The probability is that, as with all other wheat growing countries, the fertility of the soil will in time be gradually impaired and the yield reduced to a point where it will be unprofitable to raise the crop.

**COTTAGESED FOR CONSUMPTION.**

Much interest is being aroused in the south by the discovery that the use of cottongseed oil will effect a cure of consumption when taken in time. A large number of cases have been successfully treated by this method. The discovery came about in a singular way. A colored man afflicted with pulmonary consumption went to work at a cottongseed oil mill. The dust irritated his lungs, and for relief he began to drink the cottongseed oil. To the surprise of all, he began to fresh up and improve in health and in less than a year was a well man.

**GIVE THE BOY A CHANCE.**

Are you going to send that boy of yours to take a special course at the agricultural college this winter? If not, why not? Suppose it does cost \$50 or \$75, what of that? There are lots of things connected with your farm that you don't know and that the boy will find out if you give him a chance. Just as well raise a smart boy as a Rube. Have mother get his clothes ready, give him some money and send him off. Our word for it, he will come home with bigger and broader ideas in his noodle—ideas which you can turn into good hard cash.

*John Trigg*

**Our Show Window**

displays, a splendid variety of useful Christmas Presents. Many Nickel plated articles such as Chafing Dishes, Coffee Pots, Tea Pots, Cups, Trays, 5-O'clock Tea Sets, Fine Stag Horn Cutlery, guns, Rifles, Boxing Gloves and Hunting Clothing, Pocket Cutlery. We will make prices that will interest you all.

**Ottumwa Hardware Co.**

122 East Main Street.  
WE ARE NOW OPEN EVENINGS.

**COUNTING THE ISLANDS.**

An Almost Endless Task Before Compilers of State Register.

Des Moines, Dec. 22.—The number of island possessions of the United States is giving the state officials considerable difficulty in preparing the new official state register which will be ready for publication in January.

The work is being prepared in the office of the secretary of state under the direction of Land Commissioner Jamison, assisted by Guy Brewer, assistant of the secretary of state.

An effort is being made by the men who are preparing the book to put in it the style, character and make up of all our recently acquired territorial and island possessions, as well as those of long standing. This will include Alaska, Hawaii, the Philippines, Porto Rico, and others, including Guam.

The work of preparing the official register is a task of very ambitious proportions. The necessity of accuracy makes the work extremely detailed and careful. It is filled with figures, names and facts and, notwithstanding its small compass, is a mine of facts.

**MESSENGRERS REMEMBERED.**

Postal Telegraph Cable Co. Makes Christmas Gifts.

L. G. Finch, local manager for the Postal Telegraph Cable Co. is in receipt of a letter from T. W. Conger, of Chicago, the Western superintendent of that company, notifying him of the shipment to Ottumwa of a pair of woolen gloves for each postal messenger boy in the city. The gloves are a Christmas gift from Clarence H. Mackey, president of the company, to every messenger boy in the service, throughout the entire country.

**WILL PLAY CHRISTMAS.**

Ottumwa High School Basketball Team Goes to Fairfield Friday.

Arrangements have been completed for a game of basketball between Company M of Fairfield and the Ottumwa high school team, which will be played in the Armory in the former city on Christmas night. Although definite selection of the players of the local team has not yet been made, the following is the probable line-up: Right back—Chester Buckner, Mgr. Left back—Laurence Morrissey, Center—Will Ramsell. Right forward—Royce Dingeman. Left forward—Raleigh Ream, Capt.

**CONTEST IS POSTPONED.**

Oskaloosa Y. M. C. A., Basketball Team Has Deferred Game Here.

The game of basketball between the local Y. M. C. A. team and that of the Oskaloosa association which was scheduled to be played in this city on the night of December 31, has been postponed until the night of January 5. The Oskaloosa players were unable to come to this city on the scheduled date. Another attraction at the Y. M. C. A., has been postponed. The junior boys' gymnasium exhibition has been deferred until January 15.

**A CHRISTMAS PROCLAMATION.**

Know all men by these presents: Smoker's Pride cigars. Hopeless hair brushes. Noisy neckties. Dainty smoking jackets. Agonizing bathrobes. Fairylike bath slippers. Unreliable umbrellas. Meerschaum (2) pipes. Monogram socks. Chaste cigarette boxes. Madding match safes. Scandalous scarf pins. Love-knot cuff links. Flubback pajamas. Rhapodical suspenders. Temper-testing ash receivers. More match boxes. More cigars. More pipe racks. —W. D. Nesbitt in Life.

**TODAY'S MARKETS.**

This market is furnished by Weate Grain Co., Chicago, E. C. French, Suite 18, Hofmann building, Agents.

Wheat—Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec. ....	80 1/2	81	80 1/2
May ....	82 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2
July ....	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Oats—			
Dec. ....	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
May ....	43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2
July ....	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Short Ribs—			
Dec. ....	35	35	34 1/2
May ....	37	37 1/2	36 1/2
July ....	34	34 1/2	34 1/2
Fork—			
Jan. ....	11.85	12.00	11.85
May ....	12.15	12.40	12.15
Lard—			
Jan. ....	6.50	6.65	6.50
May ....	6.72	6.85	6.70
Short Ribs—			
Jan. ....	6.22	6.27	6.22
May ....	6.45	6.57	6.45
Northwestern Receipts.			
Duluth—Today, 35; last week, 53; last year, holiday.			
Minneapolis—Today, 450; last week, 484; last year, holiday.			
Chicago—Today, 72; last week, 31; last year, holiday.			
Receipts Today.			
Chicago, Dec. 23.—Wheat, 72 cars; corn, 154 cars; oats, 158 cars.			
Estimated Receipts Tomorrow.			
Wheat, 50 cars; corn, 195 cars; oats, 135 cars.			
Primary Receipts.			
Wheat—Today, 1,299,000 bushels, and last year, holiday. Corn—Today, 549,000 bushels, and last year, holiday.			

**Liverpool Cables.**

Opening—Wheat, unchanged; corn, unchanged. Closing—Wheat, 1/4 lower; corn, 1/4 lower.

**Hog Market.**

Receipts today, 28,000, left over, 8,800; estimated tomorrow, 25,000; official receipts yesterday, 25,000.

**MARKETS BY ASSOCIATED PRESS**

**Chicago Live Stock Market.**

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000; 10c to 15c higher. Good to prime, \$5.00@5.75; poor to medium, \$3.40@3.90; stockers, \$1.75@4.00; cows, \$1.50@4.00.  
Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; 5c to 10c higher. Mixed butchers, \$4.45@4.70; good to choice heavy, \$5.65@5.67 1/2; rough, heavy, \$5.35@5.55; light, \$4.15@4.50; bulk sales, \$5.45@6.00.  
Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; steady. Steady. Sheep, \$2.35@4.00; lambs, \$3.75@5.70.