

TODAY'S MARKET NEWS

LOCAL MARKETS

HOGS ARE DECREASED.

Porkers of Heavy Type are Quoted at a Five Cent Drop This Morning.

Table listing market prices for various commodities including hogs, corn, and wheat.

(These prices are paid to the producers.)

Table listing prices for various types of hens and chickens.

RETAIL MARKETS

Table listing retail prices for various goods such as flour, sugar, and other household items.

CATTLE TRADE QUIET

Values Held Weakened Basis Shown at Close of Monday Session.

Public Sale

As I am going to California, I will sell of my farm, 1 mile north-west of Setma and 4 miles south-east of Eridon, on.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25

At 10 o'clock, a. m. the following property: My farm, consisting of 220 acres. In good terms. Will sell in two lots.

Chicago Provision Market.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—The provision market follows:

Chicago Grain Futures.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The grain futures follow:

St. Louis Grain Market.

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CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS.

Furnished by E. W. Warner & Co.

Members Chicago Board of Trade.

Rooms 7 and 8, Clifton Block.

OTUMWA PHONE 1134; IOWA PHONE 539-R. C. J. Kobel, Local Manager.

WHEAT—High Low Nov. 23 Nov. 22

Dec. 98 96% 97% 97%

May 94% 93% 94 93%

CORN—44% 43% 44% 44%

May 47% 46% 46% 46%

July 48 47 47% 47%

OATS—31% 30% 30% 30%

Dec. 31 30% 34 33%

July 34 33% 34 33%

PORK—17.27 17.07 17.15 17.20

May 16.27 16.17 16.22 16.25

WHEAT—No. 1 9.77 9.77

May 9.05 9.05

Jan 8.82 8.82

CAR LOTS.

CHICAGO—Wheat, 26; corn, 288;

CONTRACT—Wheat, 3; corn, 26;

DULUTH—Wheat, 181; last year, 271.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat, 174; last year, 232.

Estimated Receipts for Tomorrow.

Wheat—26.

Corn—328.

Oats—139.

Liverpool Cables.

CLOSING. Wheat, 1/4 up; corn, 1/4 up.

RANGE OF HOG PRICES.

Range of hog values at Chicago for the past week with comparisons.

Mixed and Light 192@255 182@293

Nov. 17 7.00@7.50 7.05@7.50

Nov. 18 7.10@7.50 7.15@7.50

Nov. 19 7.00@7.40 6.80@7.30

Nov. 21 6.90@7.30 6.75@7.25

Nov. 22 6.80@7.20 6.65@7.10

Nov. 23 6.80@7.15 6.65@7.05

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My farm, consisting of 220 acres. In good terms. Will sell in two lots. One hundred acres well improved with living water.

New York Butcher and Egg Market.

New York, Nov. 23.—Butcher—Market unchanged; receipts, 6,800.

EGGS—Market fresh, steady; storage, barely steady; prices unchanged; receipts, 6,700.

Peoria Corn Market.

Peoria, Nov. 23.—The corn market follows:

No. 3 new—40 1/2c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS GAIN

Stock Yards Chicago, Nov. 23.—Trade was active in the sheephouse and pens were cleared early.

CORN—May opened, 46 1/2c; high, 47 1/2c; low, 46 1/4c; closed, 46 3/4c.

OATS—May opened, 33 1/2c; high, 34 1/2c; low, 33 1/4c; closed, 34 1/4c.

St. Louis Grain Market.

St. Louis, Nov. 23.—The grain market follows:

Wheat—May—98 1/2@98c.

Corn—46@46 1/2c.

Oats—33 1/2c.

HILLSBORO.

J. W. Blackford attended the Pedrick hog sale at Ottumwa Thursday.

Sam Huddleston and daughters were visitors in Mount Pleasant yesterday.

Miss Kella Davidson who has been sick the past three months and who was taken to Ottumwa a few days ago for treatment is very low at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Lawrence, Kans., arrived here Friday to visit his brother C. H. Teter who has been very ill again the last three weeks.

Here David J. Hamill passed through here Thursday to attend the Pedrick hog sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Billingsley are the parents of a boy born Wednesday at 16. They are at the Taylor home near Glasgow.

Al Morris returned from Fort Madison a few days ago.

Mrs. Mary Whitaker was shopping in Ottumwa Wednesday.

Lute Hixson transacted business in Mount Pleasant Thursday.

The Royal Neighbors are planning a Thanksgiving party.

Mrs. Lida Watson went to West Point Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Farnum returned to her school work at Parsons.

Joe Wilson and wife were visitors in West Point.

Mrs. C. E. Logan and daughter Ruth were shopping in Ottumwa Saturday.

Robert Davidson went to Ottumwa yesterday to see his sister Kella.

FAIRFIELD.

Miss Arvilla Dole of Stockport and Garland Keener of Kansas City, Mo. were married Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter London on West Broadway by Rev. Thomas Osborn. A few friends were present.

Mrs. and Mrs. Kenner have gone to Kansas City and will make their home on the farm near that city.

Mrs. Thomas Thornberry died Monday morning at her home in Oelwein after an illness extending over several months. The funeral will be held in this city Wednesday and interment made in Evergreen cemetery.

Mrs. Thornberry was formerly Miss Bertha Stanford and had an unusually large number of friends in Fairfield. She was about 25 years of age. Four years ago she was married to Thomas Thornberry, also of Fairfield, and went to Oelwein to make a home. Mrs. Thornberry was the mother of one child, which lived only a short time.

AGENCY.

The schools will close Wednesday for Thanksgiving until Monday Nov. 28. The post office will be open on Thanksgiving from 8 a. m. until 10 p. m. The rural carriers will not make their trips that day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Shadford and daughter Maud spent Sunday in Des Moines with relatives.

Clint Miller of Nebraska is here visiting relatives.

A series of meetings will begin at the Christian church Sunday evening Nov. 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McElderry of Fairfield listed their son here last week before leaving for California where they will spend the winter.

TESTIMONY IS NOW COMPLETED

EVIDENCE IN THE SHUTTLEFIELD—NEIL LAND CASE FINISHED THIS MORNING.

The taking of testimony in the case of J. H. Shuttlefield vs. W. J. Neil was finally concluded at 10:05 this morning and the jury was excused until 1:30 while the counsel argued a law point.

The arguments to the jury began after dinner and the balance of the day will be consumed in this manner. The case has been a long drawn out litigation and one in which a large sum was sought. The dispute arose over a land deal in which certain Davis county farm land was traded for farm land in Kansas.

The plaintiff alleged that the land in Kansas was switched on him, and that the farm he was shown and accepted in the trade was not the farm deeded to him. A suit for \$12,000 damages resulted and this was begun in the present term of district court about two weeks ago. The hearing was interrupted by the admission of numerous depositions in Kansas. The shorthand notes of the hearing will reach nearly 600 pages.

An assignment of cases was made this morning by the court to set the time for hearing the cases that remain to be heard during this term and to weed out those that have hung fire a long time and have little or no prospect for settlement.

Among the causes disposed of by the court is that of motion by the defendant for temporary alimony in the case of Charles vs. Edith Curl. The motion was sustained and the court ordered that \$15 temporary alimony be paid during the pendency of the case and \$25 for attorney's fees.

A judgment for \$75, surety on bond, was ordered by the court against Leo E. Stevens in the case against the Root case which was recently disposed of in favor of the defendant Root.

BURIED WITH MILITARY HONORS

MICHAEL CARLOS LAID TO REST THIS MORNING IN OTTUMWA CEMETERY.

Carrying out his dying request to the letter, Michael Carlos, the civil war veteran and well known citizen who answered the last roll call Sunday evening, was buried with military honors this morning.

The American flag draped his grave, as he requested on his deathbed, while a quartet composed of Mesdames John Hughes, A. Blaught and Harry Hennes and Ed. H. Matner, assisted by Professor Rheem sang "The Star Spangled Banner." An imposing spectacle took place when the singers reached the corner of Fairfield and Hamilton streets. The old soldiers present with their heads bared joined in the chorus. A squad from Company G fired a salute over the grave and as the body was being lowered into the earth, a firing party of drum and fife corps sounded taps. Michael Carlos' dying requests had been granted. The life and drum corps escorted the remains from the car to the grave in the Ottumwa cemetery.

The services at the residence were very impressive. Rev. J. G. Barton, assisted by Rev. E. J. Shick of the church of the well known national air. The Episcopal church, conducted the services. Both touched upon the brilliant war record of the deceased. Among those in attendance at the funeral were Capt. Post G. A. R. of South Ottumwa and Cloutman Post G. A. R. attended the services in a body. They had charge of the services at the residence. The honorary post hears were A. H. Hamilton, T. H. A. Halverson of this city.

County Attorney J. F. Kirby who was at Marengo last week in connection with his official duties with the board of supervisors returned home on Saturday night.

John Haack of Sumner township, transacted business here Friday and also called for a short visit at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter Haack.

George Dane and wife of York township were in last Saturday visited at the home of his sister Mrs. Elizabeth James of W. J. M. and Mrs. Freeman Smith.

Mrs. Richard Watkins who visited last week with her brother the Boland boys at Webster returned Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simmons of Hilton township were in town Saturday and visited for a short time at the home of their son William and wife Mrs. Simmons.

Mrs. Mary Shomler who has been here from Shellburg, Ia., visiting for a week at the home of her sister Mrs. W. E. Wallace has returned home.

Ed Montgomery formerly a resident here, but now of Ottumwa, was up for a day last week meeting his many friends. Ed has charge of a creamery in that city.

H. E. Blasier and wife were Cedar Rapids visitors last Thursday.

Will James of Hilton visited Saturday at the home of his mother Mrs. Elizabeth James. His sister Miss Lottie and brother Dave.

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appreciate Good Coffee the same as city people. When in Ottumwa stop at this store and price our Coffees.

We give you Tickets on purchases which entitle you to nice premiums.

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When you have cash tickets amounting to \$10 you get 50c. 5 per cent is worth while getting.

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I will sell you a mortgage complete in every detail or will lend your money for you.

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Attorney-At-Law, Ottumwa, Iowa.

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SALOON MEN ARE AFTER SIGNERS

CONSENT PETITIONS ARE BEING CIRCULATED AMONG THE VOTERS TODAY.

The saloon men of the city and their representatives are busy today securing signers to the consent petition which will give the saloons of Ottumwa five more years of life, providing a sufficient number of signatures are secured. The saloons were closed early this morning to secure signers for the consent petition. The liquor interests are confident that enough signatures will be secured to keep the saloons running in Ottumwa for the next five years.

While there has been a bitter fight waged in Okaloosa and other cities of the state against the consent petition, everything appears quiet in Ottumwa, although the Ministerial association and the Law and Order League at the last general election declared they would publish the names of the signers to the saloon petition. The saloon men believe they have stolen a march on the "dry's." The petition of consent of the local saloon keepers expires July 4, and if the saloon men do not secure a sufficient number of signatures, there will be no saloons in Ottumwa after that date. If a sufficient number of signers are secured it will give the saloons a lease for five years. A majority of the voters must sign the petition for the saloons, and as over 4,700 votes were cast in Ottumwa at the last general election, November 8, the saloon men must secure nearly 2,400 signers.

Presbyterian church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Williams. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Williams, assisted by Mrs. R. W. Pugh and Miss Emily Fletcher.

Joe Yates who has been under arrest since he was arrested in Iowa City has so far recovered that he was able to return home Friday night.

OBITUARY.

Emma Lawew.

Emma Lawew was born in Danville, Ill. January 28, 1853 and died November 19, 1910 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lawew, 603 Williams street, Ottumwa, Iowa. The funeral which was a private one, was held yesterday at the residence of her parents and was conducted by Rev. G. L. Flowers, minister of the Friends church. Interment was made in the Ottumwa cemetery. The parents and relatives feel very grateful and wish to thank friends and neighbors for their attention and kindness shown towards them in this their time of affliction.—Contributed.

MARS HILL.

Edward, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. John White is very ill. Miss Adelle Deters has gone to Ottumwa to work this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Warren and family were over Sunday visitors with Mrs. Warren's mother Mrs. Mowrey.

Quite a few people from here attended the Belveal sale Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Belveal will move near Guyman, Okla., to make their future home.

Mrs. Newt Alderman, Mrs. Bill Orman and Mrs. Bucholtz visited with Mrs. Sam Fitzgerald Sunday.

Misses Jennie Sedore, Isabelle Carlson and Ruth Baldwin of Eldon, Mo. will and Ernest Fabritz and Henry, Cyrus Sedore spent last Monday evening with Minnie and Glen Mowrey.

His Distinguishing Mark

One day a big city bank received the following message from one of its country correspondents: "Pay twenty-five dollars to John Smith who will call today." The cashier's curiosity became suspicion when a cabman assisted into the bank a drunken "fart" who shouted that he was John Smith and wanted some money. Two clerks pushed, pulled and piloted the boisterous individual into a private room away from the sight and hearing of regular depositors. The cashier wired the country bank:

"Man claiming to be John Smith is here. Highly intoxicated. Shall we await identification?"

The answer read: "Identification complete. Pay the money."

Courier Want Ads 1/2 cent a word.

Wanted

FOR SALE—168 ACRE FARM ONE mile south of Dudley. Fair improvements. 70 acres cultivated. balance fresh pasture. Will sell all or part. For terms address J. R. Eyre, Dudley, Ia.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL household Splendid wages. Address N-17-A care Courier.

WANTED—OLD BEASON RECORDS in exchange for new ones. Arnold Jewelry and Music Co.

WANTED—I WANT YOU TO KNOW that I have moved from Unionville to Blakesburg, and am still in the auctioneering business and will cry your sale for you and guarantee satisfaction or no charges. Eli Swaim, Blakesburg, Ia.

FOR RENT—FARM FOR RENT—BY OWNER one section or part, shares or cash. Enlist east of Hedrick, on county line, and one mile west of Pekin. Known as the Pond farm, on Saturday, Nov. 26 at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp, the following described property: 33 head horses and mules consisting of pair sorrel mares, 3 and 4 years old, weight 3,100, pair black mares, 6 and 7 years old, weight 2,800, pair black mares, smooth mouths, weight 2,600, black mare, 2 years old, weight 1,400, bay mare, 7 years old, weight 1,200, brown mare 6 years old, weight 1,650; these are all in foal; bay mare 4 years old, weight 1,500, bay 4-year old horse, weight 1,400; brown horse, 5 years old, weight 1,300; bay driving horse, lady broke, 5 years old; brown coach horse, 3 years old; brown horse, 3 years old, weight 1,300; driving team, 5 and 7 years old, 4 two-year-old draft geldings; 4 two year old draft mares, yearling draft stud colt, pair mules, 2 and 3 years old, last one on spring colts; 2 spring mules; 87 head of cattle consisting of 9 milch cows, some extra good; 11 yearling heifers, 32 one and two year old steers, 32 spring calves, mostly 4 and 5 year old hogs, consisting of 6 Poland China sows, 27 gilts, some with paper, 67 shoats, weight 185 to 175; 100 head ewes, wethers and lambs; 1,500 bushels Red River Yellow Dent corn, 8 tons straight timothy hay in barn, 4 dozen chickens, disc, corn plow, Deere breaking plow, wagon, buggy set, work harness and lumber; 200 bushels of corn, 2 months credit or sums over \$10, on bankable note, drawing 7 per cent interest from date. Sums of \$10 and under cash. No property to be removed until settled for. W. H. Cooper and J. Frederick, Auctioneers, W. D. Mick-

FOR SALE—10 HEAD OF MULES weighing from 1000 to 1300 lbs. Both Agency and Floris phones. H. C. Sedore, R. No. 7.

FOR SALE—SOME BIG GROWTHY Berkshire boars and gilts of the right breeding. Also two Aberdeen Angus Bull calves. Extra good ones. Weight 650 and 700 lbs. N. M. Giltner, Agency, Ia.

FOR SALE—255 ACRES OF LAND at \$55 per acre. Mortgage \$5,500 which will stand until 1916 at 5 1/2%. A good ten room house, large barn. Chisman Real Estate Co., Blakesburg, Ia.

FOR SALE—2 GOOD YOUNG JACKS and 1 Percheron stallion at 1/2 price if taken quick. McCrory, Moravia, Ia.

STOP! LISTEN! 40 ACRE FARM \$485, cheap timberland; other farms. McGrath, Mountain View, Mo.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—FIRST class barber shop in a university city of 3,000. It is a good proposition and the price is right. Clay county, South Dakota. Real estate for sale. Write or call on A. B. Gunderson, Vermillion, S. D.

FOR SALE—37 ACRE FARM IN KEOUK township, fair well improved. 3000 bushels Red River Yellow Dent corn, 3 blocks east of Jefferson school.

DAVENPORT, OKLA. INDUSTRIAL Co. offers for quick sale 100 pair choice lots, adjoining town at \$70 pair, 1-5 cash, balance 1-10 monthly. Profits go for factories. Make check payable to J. G. McCue, secretary, Davenport, Okla.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, IF TAKEN soon, 10 1/2 acres poultry and fruit farm. For full information address C. J. De Hart, Saint Charles, Iowa.

WE HAVE CHOICE FARMS FOR sale that will make you fine homes or large profits as an investment. Come and see what we have. McIntire Real Estate Co., Blakesburg, Ia.

FOR SALE—A PAIR GREY MARES in foal 6 and 7 years old, weight 2,600, also new harness and good colts. Must sell in a few days. Cash or note with approved security. Call quick Fred Beach, Agency, Ia.

FOR SALE—SAW MILL IN FIRST class condition. Wilson Carriage Co.

ALBIA HOST TO NEWSPAPER MEN

SOUTHERN EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION WILL HOLD ANNUAL SESSION DEC. 1-2.

Albia, Nov. 22.—Invitations and the program are out for the fall meeting of the Southern Iowa Editorial association, which will be held at Albia this year on Dec. 1 and 2. The organization enjoys a good, healthy membership, and a large number are expected to attend the meeting.

The officers of the association are as follows: President—J. M. Anderson, Indianola Herald.

Vice president—Horace Barnes, Albia Republican.

Secretary-treasurer—O. E. Hull, Leon Reporter.

The following is the program of the sessions: Thursday morning, 11 o'clock—Enrollment of members, assignment of badges and announcements.

Thursday afternoon, 2 o'clock—Address of welcome, Mayor A. C. Pabst of Albia; "The Humorous Side of a Country Newspaper," Alex Miller of the Washington Democrat; "The Semi-Weekly Field," J. R. Needham, Centerville Iowa; "From Devil Up," H. L. Gaddis, Lovilia Press; "The Country Editor," Auditor John A. DeMuth, Albia.

Friday morning, 9 o'clock—"Country Correspondence," G. W. Shockley, Okaloosa Globe; "The Cost Congress," Charles V. Simmons, Waterloo; "The Editor's Wife," Mrs. Clint L. Price, Indianola Advocate-Tribune; "Address, Congressman N. E. Kendall;" A Lino-type Demonstration," by an expert

chinit-operator from the Mergenthaler company, Chicago. There are both standard and junior linotypes in the Albia offices, which will be used in the demonstration; appointment of committees.

Friday afternoon, 1 o'clock—Reports of committees; "A Small Town Daily," Elmer E. Johnson, Iowa City Citizen; "Little Leaks," H. W. Gittinger, Ghazton Leader; "Arrangement of a Country Printing Office," by Mr. Gaston, a representative of Barnhart Bros. & Spindler, Chicago; "Outside Advertising," A. P. Norton, Fremont Gazette; "Dry Goods Advertising," Joe Strasburger, Albia.

The following subjects will be brought up for general discussion: "Sunday School Lessons," "Buying Stock," "The Advertising Department," "Bank Job Work," "Special Editions," "Printing Half Tones on Envelopes."

Fire damaged the house belonging to David Clever on Benton avenue west Saturday afternoon. The inside was considerably injured.