

Courier's Markets of World

Chicago Grain and Provisions

Articles—	Opening	High	Lowest	Closing
Wheat—				
May	1.60@1.59	1.63 1/2	1.59	1.62 1/2-B
July	1.34@1.33 1/2	1.37 1/2	1.33 1/2	1.37 1/2-B
Sept.	1.24 1/2@1.23 1/2	1.26 1/2	1.23 1/2	1.26 1/2-B
Corn—				
May	77 1/2@76	78 1/2	75 1/2	77 1/2-A
July	78 1/2@77 1/2	80 1/2	78 1/2	80 1/2@79 1/2
Sept.	79 1/2@78 1/2	81 1/2	78 1/2	81 1/2@80 1/2
Oats—				
May	54 1/2@53 1/2	56	53 1/2	55 1/2@54 1/2
July	53 1/2@52 1/2	55 1/2	53 1/2	55 1/2@54 1/2
Sept.	47 1/2@47	49 1/2	47	48 1/2-A
Mess Pork, per bb—				
May	17.55	17.60	17.50	17.55
July	18.10@17.07	18.15	18.07	18.10
Sept.	18.55	18.60	18.52	18.52
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
July	10.42	10.42	10.40	10.40
Sept.	10.70	10.70	10.65	10.65
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	10.22	10.22	10.20	10.20
July	10.57	10.57	10.52	10.57
Sept.	10.87	10.87	10.82	10.85

SHIPPING DEMAND FOR HOGS IS GOOD

CATTLE MARKET IN CHICAGO IS DULL ANI SAME IS TRUE OF SHEEP AND LAMBS

Chicago, April 28.—Lively shipping demand today made the hog market go higher. There was no urgent call for cattle, sheep or lambs. Medium weight steers and the wool and heavy clipped lambs proved especially weak.

Chicago Live Stock; Opening.
Chicago, April 28.—Live stock opened as follows:

Hogs—Market steady to shade higher; estimated receipts today 25,000; over 1,217; estimated tomorrow, 20,000 receipts last year 30,000; quality good; bulk, \$7.40@7.55; light, \$7.25@7.35; mixed, \$7.20@7.32; pigs, \$5.25@6.90; heavy, \$6.90@7.55; good heavy, \$7.10@7.55; rough, \$6.90@7.10; Yorkers, \$7.50@7.65.

Cattle—Market steady; estimated receipts today 16,000; estimated tomorrow 4,000; beefs, \$6.10@6.35; Texans, \$5.60@5.75; western, \$5.60@5.70; cows and heifers, \$3.10@3.40; calves, \$6.50@9.

Sheep—Market 15 to 25c lower than Monday; receipts today 11,000 estimated tomorrow, 11,000; native, \$7.50@8.40; western, \$7.50@8.40; yearlings, \$8.30@8.50; lambs native, \$8.25@10.70; western, \$8.25@10.85.

Chicago Live Stock; Closing.
Chicago, April 28.—Live stock closed as follows:

Hogs—Market strong to 10c higher than yesterday's; receipts today 26,000; estimated tomorrow 20,000; bulk, \$7.40@7.80; light, \$7.25@7.75; heavy, \$6.90@7.55; mixed, \$7.20@7.65; rough, \$6.90@7.10.

Cattle—Market slow, steady; receipts 16,000; top, \$8.65.

Sheep—Market steady at decline; receipts 11,000; top, \$3.40; lambs, \$10.85.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Kansas City, Mo., April 28.—Live stock prices follow:

Hogs—Market strong to 5c higher; receipts 7,000; bulk, \$7.35@7.45; western steers, \$7.25@8.25; cows, \$4@7.25; heifers, \$6@8; stockers and feeders, \$6.50@8.40; calves, \$6@10.

Sheep—Market steady to weak; receipts 5,000; lambs, \$8.75@10.75; western steers, \$7.50@8.50; cows, \$7.75; ewes, \$6.75@8.50; stockers and feeders, \$6@9.25.

St. Louis Live Stock.
St. Louis, Mo., April 28.—Live stock prices follow:

Hogs—Market 10c higher; receipts 6,000; pigs and lights, \$6@7; mixed and butchers, \$7.55@7.80; good heavy, \$7.50@7.70.

Cattle—Market steady; receipts 2,300; native beef steers, \$7.50@8.50; yearling steers and heifers, \$5@9.50; cows, \$6@7.25; stockers and feeders, \$6@7.75; calves, \$6@9.50.

Sheep—Market steady; receipts 600; lambs, \$9.50@10.75; ewes, \$6.50@8.25; yearlings, \$8.50@9.60.

Omaha Live Stock.
South Omaha, Neb., April 28.—Live stock prices follow:

Hogs—Market higher; receipts 12,000; heavy, \$7.20@7.30; light, \$7.20@7.40; pigs, \$6.50@7.25; bulks of sales, \$7.20@7.50.

Cattle—Market steady; receipts 5,400; native steers, \$7@8.40; cows and heifers, \$5.50@7.50; western steers, \$6.50@7.80; calves, \$8@10.

Sheep—Market slow; receipts 5,500; yearlings, \$8.70@9.30; wethers, \$7.75@8.60; lambs, \$10@10.50.

Kansas City Produce Market.
Kansas City, Mo., April 28.—Butter, creamery, 28c; firsts, 26c; seconds, 24c; packing, 17 1/2c.

Eggs—Firsts, 17 1/2c; seconds, 15 1/2c. Poultry—Hens, 14c; roosters, 10c; turkeys, 15c.

New York Produce Market.
New York, April 28.—Butter steady; receipts \$74; creamery extras, 30 1/2c@31c; creamery, 31 1/2c@32c; firsts 29@30c; seconds, 27 1/2@28 1/2c.

Eggs—Weak; receipts 54,086; fresh gathered extras, 22 1/2c; storage packed extra firsts, 21 1/2c@22c; regular packed extra firsts, 21 1/2c@22c; firsts, 19 1/2@20 1/2c.

Cheese—Steady; receipts 5,180; state whole milk fresh specials, 15 1/2@16 1/2c; do average fancy, 15 1/2@16c.

Live poultry—Firm; western chickens, broilers, \$5@5.50; fowls, 16@20c; turkeys, 12@20c. Dressed, steady; western frozen roasting chickens, 17@21 1/2c; fowls, 14 1/2@17 1/2c; turkeys, 15@21c.

Minneapolis Grain.
Minneapolis, Minn., April 28.—Wheat May, \$1.57 1/2; July, \$1.53 1/2; No. 1 hard, \$1.64 1/2; No. 2 northern, \$1.59 1/2@1.63 1/2; No. 2 northern, \$1.55 1/2@1.60 1/2; Corn—No. 3 yellow, 73 1/2@74c. Flax—\$1.92 1/2@1.94 1/2.

Toledo Grain Market.
Toledo, O., April 28.—Wheat, cash, \$1.61; May, \$1.61.

CHARITON.
Miss Kate Klinkend expects to leave this week for an extended visit to Los Angeles and Huntington Beach, Cal., with relatives.

Mrs. J. E. Peppers and baby left yesterday for a visit with relatives in Promise City.

Mrs. Harry Roton and children returned last evening from a visit with relatives in Albia and Hynes.

Miss Josephine Baker returned Monday evening from a few days' visit in Afton with her parents.

Miss Ethel Russell of Ward returned home yesterday after a visit of several days at the Howell Jones home.

RETURN OF NICKEL SHOWN IN PORKERS

HOGS ADVANCE FIVE CENTS IN ALL GRADES—NO CHANGES IN OTHER LISTS.

The local hog market was five cents higher in all grades this morning following the depression of Tuesday. The other lists remain steady with no change in price. The markets today follow:

Hogs—(Corrected daily by John Torrell & Co.)—120@150, \$6.45; 150@180, \$7.10; 180@200, \$7.10; 200@240, \$6.95; 240@300, \$6.95; 300 and over, \$6.85; packers, \$6.35@6.65.

Ottumwa Hay Market.
No. 1 timothy \$12@15; 2 timothy and No. 1 light clover mixed, \$13; No. 3 timothy and No. 3 mixed, \$12; clover hay, \$12@14; oat straw, \$7; wheat straw, \$5.

Corn—\$7@8c; rye, 85@87c; oats, 50c. Wheat—\$1.40@1.45.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.
Butter fat—No. 1, 24c; No. 2, 26c; country butter, grocers pay, 20@25c.

Wool and Hides.
Wool—Bright medium, 21@23c; semi-bright medium, 16@20c; fine Delaine, 14 1/2@18 1/2c; fine Merino, 11 1/2c; burry, 1/2@3/4c less; fine Oct., 15@20c; fine Nov., 11@14c; chaffy and burry, 2 to 5c less; sheep pelts, 50@75c; lambs 25@50c.

Hides—Cured, 11 1/2c; green, No. 1, 16 1/2c; No. 2, 9 1/2c; No. 1 horse hide, \$3; No. 2, \$2.

RETAIL PRICES—Flour and Feed.
Flour and feed—Graham flour, per sack 45c; corn chop, per cwt., \$2.00; shorts, per cwt., \$1.75; bran, cwt., \$1.55; corn, per bu, \$1.00; hay, per lb., \$0.00; straw, per cwt., 40@50c; meal per sack, 25c; corn and oat chop, per cwt., \$1.85; corn chop, 20 lbs. 40c; oil meal, per cwt., \$2.25.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.
Creamery butter 38c; country butter, 36c.

Eggs—20c. Poultry—Geese, dressed, lb., 20c; turkeys, dressed, 27 1/2c; chickens 22 1/2c; ducks, dressed, 25c.

Fresh Fish—Cattfish, 18 1/2c@20c; trout, 20c; halibut, 18c; salmon, 20c; pike, 20c; live lobsters, 50c each; broiled lobsters, 60c each; white fish, 20c each; crabs, hard shell, 15c each; soft shell, 30c each; perch, 12 1/2c; shrimp, 35c each; native mackerel, 40c; shad, 60c each; shadroe, 40c per; frog legs, 35c per; Spanish mackerel, 20c lb.

Salt fish—Mackerel, 10@12c; herring, 4 for 25c; codfish, 10@20c; lake fish, pail, 70c; salt mackerel, 10@25c; salt blue fish, 10 to 25c lb.; salt cod, 10@25c lb.

Smoked fish—Spiced herring, 3 for 10c; smoked white fish, 25c lb.; sardines, 5@25c; spiced sardines, 3 for 10c; box cod, 12 1/2@20c; fancy smoked blotters, 25c lb.; smoked boneless herring, 25c lb.; smoked herring, 25c lb.; smoked salmon, 25c lb.; smoked halibut 25c lb.; smoked turbot, 25c lb.

Fruits—Bananas, 20@25c; lemons, 25c; oranges, 20@50c; malaga grapes, basket, 20c; apples, lb. 5@6c; kumquats strawberries, 20c.

Vegetables.
Cabbage, per pound, 5c; Spanish onions, 8 1/2c; cauliflower, 25c; turnips, 5c bunch, mangos, 5c; cucumbers, 15c; fresh tomatoes, lb 20c; spinach, 12c; head lettuce, 10@15c; radishes 10@10c; parsley, 5@10c; shallots, bunch, 5c; oyster plants, 2 for 15c; celery bunch, 5@10c; leaf lettuce, 5c; milk, 5@10c; bunch endive, 5c; potato, 20c; peas, 5c; parsnips, 4c lb; new carrots, 4c lb.; celery cabbage 25c; sweet potatoes, lb. 3 1/2c; mushrooms, 85c; wax beans, 25c; green beans, 20c; peas, 20 lb.; horseradish root, 10c.

WILL ARREST ALL NOT USING NUMBER

COUNTY ATTORNEY ISSUES INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFICERS OF CITY.

In response to numerous objections coming to the office regarding the running of cars without license numbers, County Attorney E. K. Darbey has issued orders to all officers of the city and county to arrest any one driving an automobile not carrying a proper license number.

The official stated today that he had received a great many calls over the phone and personally within the past few weeks that the practice is very prevalent in Ottumwa and that he intends to put a stop to it if possible.

MRS. VAN HORN ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

Mason City, April 28.—Mrs. Charlotte Van Horn, who is charged with the murder of her husband, Chester Van Horn, the Clear Lake farmer, who was found dead in bed with a bullet hole in his head on the morning of November 21, 1914, is on trial here before Judge Edwards of the district court. A number of witnesses from Clear Lake and this city have been summoned to testify for both sides of the trial. A special panel of twenty-five jurors was drawn several days ago, making a total of sixty-five up to date. Mrs. Van Horn was released some time ago on a \$15,000 bond, which was provided by her father and her brother.

REPRESENTATIVE PURDY DEAD

Mason City, April 28.—George H. Purdy, aged 48, of Rockford, Floyd county's representative in the legislature which just closed its session, is dead following a brief illness.

WORK ON BRIDGES IS PROGRESSING

COUNTY ENGINEER AND CREWS ARE BUSY IN DIFFERENT PARTS OF COUNTY.

County Engineer Henry Cook and his forces of workmen are busy in different parts of the county on bridge and road construction work.

The engineer stated this morning that it is his intention to have the roads dragged as much as possible after each rain. The frequency of this work will, however, depend in a great measure on the weather conditions and it will not always be possible to get over the same road after every rain. The idea is to have every road dragged at least four or five times during the season rather than one or two of them after each shower.

A great deal of work is being done just at the present time on the highways of Wapello county. There are two bridge crews at work now. One has just finished an abutment on the Little Soap creek truss bridge on the Bloomfield-Ottumwa road about six miles south of the city. The other abutment is partially completed. It is the intention of the engineer to begin work sometime next week on the refooring of the Eddyville bridge. Another bridge, known as the Bonfield bridge, will be built near the county home, the material having been hauled this week for it.

ASSESSORS ARE FINISHING WORK

ALL BUT FOUR TOWNSHIPS HAVE SENT IN THEIR REPORTS TO AUDITOR.

All except four townships have sent in their assessors' reports to the county auditor's office for this year's work and these four are expected to report within the next two weeks.

No information can be given out regarding the census of the county outside of Ottumwa until all of the assessors' books are in. However, the county auditor stated today that from data already in it would appear to him the census will run about 37,000, which is practically the same as five years ago.

WATERLOO FIRST TO TALK MANAGER

Waterloo, April 28.—Waterloo is the first city in Iowa to consider the adoption of the city manager form of government, which was made possible by special election will be called in January or February to give the electors a law enacted by the last legislature. An opportunity to express their preference. The law passed by the legislature becomes effective on publication, which probably will be within the next few weeks, as it has been signed by the governor. It provides that cities of certain classes may change the method of municipal management by the adoption of the city manager form. If the electors vote to accept the plan, the transfer in system will be made at the close of the present fiscal year which is on April 1.

OTTUMWA GIRL A GRINNELL TEACHER

Grinnell, April 28.—Miss Blanche Campbell of Ottumwa will be gymnasium assistant to Miss Anderson, the physical director for women, at Grinnell college next year. Miss Campbell was chosen by Miss Anderson from among the junior women because of her proficiency in all branches of women's athletics.

GRINNELL HAS BOTANICAL GIFT

Grinnell, April 28.—The college botanical garden is in receipt of a consignment of medical plants from the bureau of plant industry at Washington, D. C. This is the second consignment that has come in the last two years. It is the object of the bureau to get these plants tried in good, rich Iowa soil, and if they grow, to latter test the parts used for medicine to see whether they contain the power percentage of necessary constituents. It has been found that climate and soil pray a very important part in the raising of drugs for the market, and this method has been devised by the government to determine just what drugs should be raised in certain localities and what ones should not. The information obtained is used to prevent people from being victimized by drug-rich schemes for raising drug plants.

WADE IS PRESIDING AT DAVENPORT NOW

Davenport, April 28.—The April term of the United States court of the southern district of Iowa, is on at the postoffice building, Davenport. Thirteen civil cases and twenty-five criminal cases will be disposed of during the term, which is expected to last about two weeks. Judge M. J. Wade of Iowa City, who was recently appointed to the federal bench, will preside.

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CHARITON I. O. O. F. AND REBEKAHS HOSTS

Chariton, April 28.—The members of the I. O. O. F. No. 64 and Rebekah lodge No. 33 celebrated the ninety-seventh anniversary of the organization of the order by entertaining a number of friends at their hall. Light refreshments were served and a splendid program was rendered consisting of an address of welcome by E. W. Drake, instrumental music by George Shelton and Van De Herman, readings by Margaret Hooper, Octavia Bello and Mrs. Marie Trautwein, piano solos by Pauline Yengel, Gladys Scales and Ruth Rogers, piano duets by Helen and Ethel Brewer and Helen Mauk and Genevieve Foster, a violin solo by H. A. Shirer and a song by Vergie Fetzer. The event was greatly enjoyed by those present.

IDEAL CONDITION FOR VEGETABLES

Des Moines, April 28.—The weekly bulletin of the Iowa weather and crop service for the week ending April 28: Ideal conditions continued during the week for farm operations and growth of vegetation. Rapid progress was made in preparing ground for corn planting and considerable planting was done in the southern part of the state. Grass and small grains made good growth under the effects of high temperatures and light showers, but a good, soaking rain is needed to insure a bountiful harvest. All fruit trees, except peaches, show an abundance of bloom. Live stock is in pasture in the southern and central counties.—Geo. M. Chappel, director.

COMPANY OPPOSES PAVING

Iowa City, April 28.—The Mississippi Valley Electric company, owners of the Iowa City Electric Railway company, has instituted a big injunction suit. The company seeks to enjoin Iowa City, the mayor, the council and William Horribin, contractor, from paving several streets on either side of the river, at the cost of about \$100,000. The company is fighting especially the paving between its tracks, and along the dalls.

FIVE WOLF CUBS CAPTURED

Fort Dodge, April 28.—John Houge, a farmer living near Badger, brought in five fuzzy, harmless wolf cubs. The bounty on the little fellows is \$4 a head. When they are full grown the bounty advances to \$20. All five cubs were sold to local men for pets, to be kept until they reach full size and viciousness when the owners will claim the bounty.

Peg O' My Heart Pumps

One of the season's new ones. We have this pump in fine gray de laine and black queen's cloth tops, priced \$2.85 and \$3.35

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STEEL SECURITIES AT FANCY FIGURES

HEAVY DEALINGS IN WALL ST. SEE STOCK CONTINUE ITS UPWARD MOVEMENT.

New York, April 28.—Steel continued to hold its commanding position in stock trading, increasing its gain to 1 1/2 points on heavy dealings. Interborough common was really the most active issue of the first hour, and with the preferred stock advanced as much as a steel.

Representative railway issues, which showed early backwardness, later registered substantial advances. In the general industrial and equipment groups gains of 2 to 5 points were numerous, Westinghouse being most conspicuous.

Bonds were strong. The quarterly report of the United States steel corporation was favorably received by speculative interests, judging from the course of that stock and the general market at today's opening.

Steel made an initial gain of 1/4 of a point at the outset, soon increasing this to a point. Local traction, motors and some of the other industrial specialties rose a point or more.

Investment railway shares participated in more moderate degree. New York Central debenture sixes with a gain of 1 1/2 made a new high record. American Tobacco Central Leather and Pressed Steel were among the few issues to decline.

Heavy selling in the last hour made only a temporary impression, prices rebounding sharply. The closing was strong.

New York Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	17 1/2
American Beet Sugar	50
American Can	31 1/2
American Car & Foundry	56
American Cotton Oil	15 1/2
American Smelting	14 1/2
American Sugar Refining	110 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	122 1/2
Anaconda Mining Co.	37
Atchison	103 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	47 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	146 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	91 1/2
California Petroleum	19
Canadian Pacific	168 1/2
Central Leather	39 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	47 1/2
Chino Copper	143 1/2
Chicago & North Western	130 1/2
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	98 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande	8
Erie	123
General Electric	49 1/2
Goodrich Co.	123 1/2
Great Northern pfd	121 1/2
Illinois Central	111
Interborough-Met.	24 1/2
Inter-Harvester	104