mand and firm. But few new coming in. California, $1.60 per bushel, and Texas at 75c per ½ bushel box. Old quoted: Home grown and Northern, 40@50c to the trade; Utah and Colorado, choice, 60@70c; common, 50@55c.

VEGETABLES—Jobbing prices: Beans, navy, California, per bushel, $2.00@2.10; New York, fancy, $2.10; country, $1.75@2.00; pound, 4c; onions, new, per bushel, $1.20@1.25.

CABBAGE—Quiet, but steady. California, $2.10@2.25 per cwt.

NEW VEGETABLES—Selling slowly and weak. We quote: Turnips: California, new, 75c; cauliflower, $2.00 a dozen; asparagus, 100@15c per dozen bunches; lettuce, $1.00 per bushel; radishes, home grown, 50 a dozen bunches; cucumbers, hot house, $1.00@1.50 per dozen; Florida, 50@$1.25 per dozen; tomatoes, Bermudas, $1.50 per box; pie plant, 50@60 per dozen bunches; Texas and Arkansas beans, $2.00 per bushel box; Florida, $2.00@2.25 per bushel; spinach, 25@50c per bushel; Mississippi and Alabama peas, $2.00 per bushel box, 75@$1 per one-third bushel box; mushrooms, 50c per basket; Texas squash, 25@50c per dozen.

SWEET POTATOES—Steady, but dull. Red, 25@30c; yellow, 25@35c per bushel.

FRUITS—Firm, and selling very well. Quoted: Bananas, large $1.75@2.00; lemons, fancy Messina, $3.00@4.50; Malaga, $4.00; oranges, Mexican, $2.50@3.00; Washington navels, $3.00@3.50; California seedlings, fancy, $2.75@3.00; California seedlings, choice, $2.25@2.50; cranberries, Cape Cod, $11.00@11.50 per barrel; Jersey, $11.00@11.50.

APPLES—Steady and in fair demand. Standard packed ranged at $4.00@4.50 per barrel; others, $3.00@4.00; fancy stand, $5.50@6.50.

BROOM CORN—Quoted: Hurled, green, 4½@5¼c per pound; green, self-working, 4½@6½c; red tipped, self-working, 4c; common, self-working, 2@3½c; crooked, half price; dwarf, 3½@5c.

FEATHERS—Prime geese, 35c per pound; dark and soiled, 30c; mixed and old, 15@30c; 1 per cent tare on small sacks and 2 per cent on large.

HONEY—1 pound comb, white, 15c; fall, 1 pound comb, 13@14c; 2 pound comb, California white, 16@17c; 2 pound comb, California dark, 12@13c; extracted, in cans, 6@7c; extracted, in barrels, 5@6c.

BEESWAX—No. 1 amber, 22c per pound; No. 2, 18c.

GROUND LINSEED CAKE—Quoted: Car lots, sacked, $22.00 per ton; 2,000 pounds, $1.30 per 100 pounds.

NUTS—Jobbing prices: Cocoanuts, per 100, quoted at $4.00. Pecans—Missouri, per pound, 9½c; Texas, 4½@5c; pecans, polished, 8@10c. Peanuts—Virginia, white, raw, per pound, 4½@5c; Tennessee, raw, 4½@5c; roasted, 7@8c; Kansas, 3½c; Hickory nuts—Small, per bushel, $1.25; large, $1.25. Hazelnuts—20@21c per pound. Chestnuts—9@10c per pound.

DRIED FRUITS—Sun dried: Apples, choice, 6c per pound; good, 5c; poor, 3c. Peaches—Peeled halves, 8c; unpeeled halves, 6c; unpeeled quarters, new, 4½c. Evaporated—Apricots, California, jelly cured, 10c. Apples—Choice, barrels, 8c; poor, in boxes, 5c; poor, in barrels, 4c.

Wool, Hides and Pelts.

WOOL—Market quiet; prices unchanged. Missouri and similar—Fine, 7@9c; fine medium, 9@11c; medium, 11@13c; combing, 12@14c; coarse, 10@12c. Kansas, Nebraska and Indian Territory—Fine, 7@9c; fine medium, 7@10c; medium, 9@12c; combing, 11@13c; coarse, 8@10c. Colorado—Fine, 6@8c; fine medium, 7@10c; medium, 9@12c; coarse; and carpet, 8@10c; extra heavy and sandy, 4@7c.

HIDES AND PELTS—Demand good at old prices: Green salted, free of brands, No. 1, 7½c per pound; No. 2, 6½c; green, 6½c; green salted, butt branded, No. 1, 6½c; No. 2, 5½c; green salted, side branded, No. 1, 5½c; No. 2, 5c; green salted kips, 15@25 pounds, No. 1, 6½c; No. 2, 5½c; green salted calf, 8@15 pounds, No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 6c; green salted hides, Nos. 1 and 2 and butt branded, around 6½c; green uncured, No. 1, 5½c; dry flint hides, No. 1, 9c; No. 2, 7½c; dry salt hides, No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 7c. Sheep pelts, green and dry, 10@50c; dry, 4@5c per pound.

TALLOW—We quote: No. 1, 4½c, and No. 2, 4c.

St. Louis, May 2.—WOOL—Steady, but slow sale. Missouri and Illinois medium, 13@14c; coarse and braid, 12@13c; light fine, 9@10c; heavy fine, 8@8½c. Kansas and Nebraska, medium, 9@11c; light fine, 7@8c; heavy fine, 5@6c. Texas and Arkansas, fall and spring, medium, 10@12c; coarse and low, 7@9c; light fine, 8@9c; heavy, fine, 6@7c; sandy and heavy, 5@6c. Western medium, 9@12c; coarse and low, 7@8c; light fine, 7@8c; heavy fine, 5@6c. Tub washed, fair to choice, 18@32c.

Provisions.

There was a firmer tone to the market yesterday and a little more trading. The demand, however, continues largely of a jobbing character, there being very little speculation or buying ahead.

We quote car lots:

D. S. MEATS (partly cured)—Shoulders, cash, $5.00 per cwt.; short ribs, sides, cash, $6.15; long clear sides, $6.15; short clear sides, $6.30.

LARD—Cash, $6.50; May, $6.50.

GREEN MEATS—Shoulders, $5.55 per cwt.; hams, $8.00@8.50.

S. P. MEATS—Hams, cash, $8.50; shoulders, $5.60.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York, May 2.—FLOUR—Receipts, 21,000 barrels; exports, 15,000 barrels; sales, 27,000 packages. Firmly held, with demand better for high grades. At the close buyers and sellers were apart, as mills refuse the least concessions. Prices range as follows: City mill patents, $4.60@4.75; winter patents, $3.90@4.00; city mill clears, $3.60@3.90; winter straights, $3.60@3.75; Minnesota patents, $3.70@4.00; winter extras, $2.20@2.70; Minnesota bakers, $2.70@3.25; winter low grades, $2.20@2.50; spring low grades, $2.00@2.25.

CORN MEAL—Dull; yellow Western, $1.15@1.18 per cwt.

WHEAT—Receipts, 196,100 bushels; exports, 31,200 bushels; sales, 13,000,000 bushels futures, no spot. Spot unsettled, closing weaker. No. 2 red, store and elevator, 68½c; afloat, 70c delivered; f. o. b., 70½c. Options had a sharp upturn at the opening, with good local outside and foreign buying, stimulated by high cables, and rumors of a good cash demand at St. Louis. There was free realizing at the rise, however, causing a reaction at noon, which later developed into decided weakness under reports that Armour was selling out; closed at ⅛@¾c net decline. May, 68⅛@69⅛c, closed 68⅝c; June, 68⅛@68⅞c, closed 68⅝c; July, 68 5-16@69 11-16c, closed 68⅝c; August, 68⅝@69⅞c, closed 69⅝c; September, 69⅝@70⅛c, closed 69⅞c; December, 71@71⅛c, closed 71⅛c.

CORN—Receipts, 199,200 bushels; exports, 7[illegible] bushels; sales, 810,000 bushels futures, 15,000 bushels spot. Spot dull and weaker. No. 2, 56½c asked elevator; 57c asked afloat; steamer mixed, 55½@56½c. Options higher during the forenoon on lighter arrivals and good local covering, also by the rise in wheat, but subsequently lost all the advance under realizing, and closed ⅜c lower. May, 55⅝@55⅞c, closed 55⅞c; July, 56 13-16@56c, closed 56c; September, 54⅝@55⅛c, closed 54⅝c.

OATS—Receipts, 23,000 bushels; exports, 3,200 bushels; sales, 125,000 bushels futures, 82,000 bushels spot. Spot—Higher and more active; No. 2, 25½@25¾c; No. 2 delivered, 25½@25¾c; No. 3, 25c; No. 2 white, 27@27½c; No. 3 white, 26½c; track mixed Western, 25@26c; track white, 27@31c. Options ruled firmer at first, with wheat and corn, afterwards reacting and closing unchanged to ⅛c lower. May, 25@25⅛c, closed 25⅛c; June, closed 25⅛c; July, 23@23½c, closed 23½c.

HAY—Firm. Shipping, 50@60c; good to choice, 60@75c per cwt.

PROVISIONS—Cut meats—Quiet; pickled bellies, 6½@6¾c; pickled hams, 9½@10c.

LARD—Dull; Western steam closed at $6.55 asked; May, closed $7.00, nominal; July, $7.10, nominal; refined, quiet; compound, 5¾c.

PORK—Quiet. New mess, $13.50@14.00; family, $13.50@14.50; short clear, $13.50@15.50.

BUTTER—Steady. Western dairy, 8@12c; Western creamery, 12@19c; Western factory, 7@11c; Elgins, 19c.

CHEESE—Weak; state, large, 6@8c; small, 6½@8c; part skims, 2@6½c; full skims, 1@1½c.

Chicago, May 2.—FLOUR—Receipts, 6,000 barrels, and shipments, 8,000 barrels. Slow sale, but market firm. Quoted as follows: Winter patents, $3.90@4.20; straights, $3.50@3.60; spring patents, $3.20@3.75; straights, $2.50@3.15; bakers' grades, $1.85.

BUTTER—Weak. Creamery, 8@19c; dairy, 8@19c.

EGGS—Steady. Fresh, 13@13½c.

St. Louis, May 2.—FLOUR—Receipts 5,000 barrels and shipments 7,000 barrels. Higher, but dull; patents, $3.90@4.00; extra fancy, $3.60@3.75; fancy, $3.50@3.65; choice, $2.50@2.60; rye flour, $3.25@3.35.

WHEAT—Receipts 9,000 bushels and shipments 21,000 bushels. Advanced ½c, but was unsettled, selling off later ½@¾c, rallying ⅝@⅞c, declining ⅝c and then recovering the loss. The market finally became weak, declining ⅜c and closing at ⅛@⅜c below yesterday. No. 2 red, cash, 68c; May, 69½c; July, 62¼@62⅜c bid; August, 61⅛c asked; September, 63c asked.

CORN—Receipts 18,000 bushels and shipments 21,000 bushels. Advanced ⅛c at the opening, but was weakened by the decline in wheat, falling off and closing weak, ⅛c under yesterday. No. 2 mixed, cash, 46c; May, 46c asked; July, 47⅛c; September, 48½c.

OATS—Receipts 18,000 bushels and shipments 8,000 bushels. Stronger early for futures, but later weakened and closed ¼@½c lower than yesterday. No. 2, cash, 25½c bid; May, 29c; June, 29¼@29⅝c asked; July, 27½c asked.

BRAN—Scarce and firm. Selling at 67c per cwt., east track.

BUTTER—Steady. Creamery, 14@16c; dairy, 10@14c.

EGGS—Steady. Fresh, 10c.

PORK—Standard mess, $12.42½c.

LARD—Prime steam, $6.62½; choice, $6.65.

BACON—Boxed shoulders, $6.00; longs, $6.62½; ribs, $6.87½; shorts, $7.12½.

DRY SALT MEATS—Boxed shoulders, $5.25; longs, $6.50; ribs, $6.62½; shorts, $6.75.

Liverpool, May 2.—WHEAT—Spot, firm. Demand moderate. No. 2 red winter, 5s 5½d; No. 2 red spring, 5s 6½d; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 7d. No. 1 California, 5s 2½d. Futures opened steady, with near and distant positions ¼d higher; closed firm, with April ¾d higher, and other months 1d higher; business about equally distributed: May, 5s 2½d; June, 5s 3d; July, 5s 3½d; August, 5s 4d; September, 5s 4½d; October, 5s 5d.

CORN—Spot, firm. American mixed, new, 4s 6½d. Futures opened firm, with near and distant positions ¾d higher; closed firm, with near and distant positions 1d higher. Business about equally distributed.

BACON—Easy; demand poor. Cumberland cut, 25@30 pounds, 33s; short ribs, 28 pounds, 33s; long clear, light, 35@45 pounds, 32s; long clear heavy, 35 pounds, 32s; short clear backs, light, 18 pounds, 32s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 55 pounds, 32s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 pounds, 34s.

SHOULDERS—Square, 12@13 pounds, 30s.

HAMS—Short cut, 14@16 pounds, 48s.

TALLOW—Fine North American, nominal.

BEEF—Extra India mess, 77s 6d; prime mess, 62s 6d.

PORK—Prime mess, fine Western, 61s 3d; medium, 55s 6d.

LARD—Dull; prime Western, 34s 3d.

New Orleans, May 2.—PROVISIONS—Unchanged.

PORK—12¾c.

LARD—Refined tierce, 5¾c.

BOXED MEATS—Dry salted shoulders, 5¾c; sides, 6½c; bacon sides, 7½c; hams, choice sugar cured, 9½@10c.

RICE—Steady; ordinary to good, 3@3¾c.

FLOUR—Strong; fancy, $3.20@3.25; patents, $3.30@3.40.

CORN MEAL—Quiet; $2.20 per barrel.

BRAN—Weak; 70@75c per cwt.

CORN—Steady; No. 2 sacked, mixed, 52@53c; white, 53½c; yellow, 53@54c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 sacked, 25c.

HAY—Demand fair; prime timothy, $13.00@14.50; choice, $15.50@16.50.

Coffee and Sugar.

New York, May 2.—COFFEE—Options opened irregular, with near months showing a decline of 5@15 points and late months no change to 5 points advance. The market ruled generally weak. There was some foreign buying orders, offset by local pressure; closed barely steady at unchanged to 10 points net decline. Sales, 14,500 bags, including: March, 14.50@14.55c; May, 14.25@14.40c; June, 14.15@14.25c; July, 14.7c; September, 14.6c; October, 14.65@14.75c, and December, 14.60@14.65c.

Spot coffee—Rio, quiet; No. 7, 16c; mild, quiet; Cordova, 18½@19c; sales, 1,000 bags Maracaibo; 1,600 bags Central American, p. t.; 500 mats interior Padang, at 26½c.

Santos—Firm; good average Santos, 16,150; receipts, 4,000 bags; stock, 228,000 bags.

Hamburg—Barely steady, unchanged to ½ pfg lower; sales, 25,000 bags.

Rio—Firm; No. 7 Rio, 16,000; exchange, 9¾d; receipts, 10,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 7,000 bags; cleared for Europe, none; stock, 270,000 bags.

Warehouse deliveries from New York yesterday, 7,844 bags; New York stock 19-day, 290,518 bags; United States stock, 316,889 bags; afloat for the United States, 217,000 bags; total visible for the United States, 463,889 bags, against 441,089 bags last year.

SUGAR—Raw, firm; sales, 1,075 bags centrifugal, 96 test, at 2 5-16c, c. and f.; 540 tons, 97 test, at 2 9-32c; 200 tons Muscovado, 89 test, at 2⅜c; 1,640 bags, 89 test, at 2⅜c, and 450 bags molasses sugar, 89 test, at 2⅛c; refined, strong.

Havre, May 2.—COFFEE—Opened quiet, unchanged; at 12 m., quiet, ½f decline; at 3 p. m., irregular, unchanged to ½f decline; closed irregular at ½@¾f net decline for the day; sales, 22,000 bags.

New Orleans, May 2.—COFFEE—Rio, ordinary to fair, 17½@18½c.

SUGAR—Steady. Open kettle, choice, 2 11-16c; prime and strictly prime, 2½@2⅝c; fair to good, 2 5-16@2⅜c; common to good common, 2@2¼c; centrifugal, choice yellow clarified, 3 3-16@3¼c; prime, 3⅛c; off, 3@3⅛c; seconds, 1⅝@2 13-16c.

MOLASSES—Quiet. Centrifugal, good prime, 10@11c; prime, 7@8c; good fair, 6@7c; good common to fair, 3c; inferior to common, 4c.

Cotton.

New York, May 2.—COTTON—Quiet; middlings, 6 12-16c; net receipts, none; gross, 48 bales; exports to France, 200 bales; to the Continent, 2,388 bales; forwarded, 48 bales; sales, 1,561 bales; spinners, 61 bales; stock, 228,208 bales.

New Orleans, May 2.—COTTON—Futures steady. Sales, 36,500 bales. May, 6.23 bid; June, 6.31@6.32c; July, 6.39@6.40c; August, 6.44@6.45c; September, 6.46@6.47c; October, 6.48@6.49c; November, 6.52@6.53c; December, 6.57@6.58c; January, 6.61c bid.

Lead and Zinc.

New York, May 2.—Lead—Quiet. Domestic, $2.95. Spelter—Weak. Domestic, $3.15.

St. Louis, May 2.—Lead—Steady; $2.85. Spelter—Dull; $3.05.

Whisky.

Cincinnati, O., May 2.—WHISKY—Demand good; sales, 459 barrels at $1.20.

St. Louis, May 2.—WHISKY—Steady; distillers' finished goods at $1.20.

Peoria, Ill., May 2.—WHISKY—Steady. High proofs spirits, $1.21; finished goods, $1.21.

Rye and Seeds.

Chicago, May 2.—Rye—No. 2, cash, 65c; May, 65c. Flaxseed—No. 1, cash, $1.42; May, $1.42.

St. Louis, May 2.—Rye—No. 2, cash, 65c. Flaxseed—Cash, $1.41. Clover seed—Cash, $7.00@8.00. Timothy seed—$3.50@4.00.

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LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Receipts at Chicago, St. Louis, Omaha and Kansas City yesterday were: Cattle, 11,500; hogs, 43,200; sheep, 16,400. Same time last year: Cattle, 15,800; hogs, 45,500; sheep, 10,000.

New York, May 2.—European cables quote American steers at 11@12½c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 9½@10c.

CATTLE—Movements for the past 24 hours:

	Cattle.	Calves.
Receipts	2,952	205
Shipments	1,217	1
Drive-outs	2,729	51

There were not many in yesterday, and the markets east of us were a little better. The result was a fairly active and rather firm market for all desirable offerings. Some of the best dressed beef steers were thought to be a dime higher. Cows were in better supply, but good demand, and values steady, and sometimes firm. Stockers and feeders coming in slowly and the best offerings in fair demand and firm, but rough and undesirable lots dull. Range cattle, as well as natives, showed a little more life and firmness. Milch cows active and best higher. Common, $15@17; medium to fair, $18@25, and good to choice, $27@42.50.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

No.	Av. Wt	Price.	No.	Av. Wt.	Price.
DRESSED BEEF AND EXPORT STEERS.					
18	1439	$ 5 35	19	1291	$ 5 10
19	1189	4 85	19	1244	4 75
13	1195	4 55	13	1015	4 50
22	878	4 10	21	1151	4 00
23	1284	5 40	2	1280	5 30
21	1264	5 05	21	1322	4 90
40	1261	4 85	20	1163	4 35
2	980	4 20	17	1180	4 15
20	967	4 05	26 s.w.	1025	4 00
Mixed—					
25	758	4 10	110	766	4 25
63	961	3 75			
COWS					
3	940	2 00	2	1035	2 15
24	770	2 30	3	1083	2 35
2	1000	2 75	2	1050	2 85
2	950	3 00	6	1178	3 25
2	760	3 25	8	1003	3 50
2	1225	3 50	3	1133	3 75
4	1067	4 00	9	845	1 75
11	652	2 25	3	1180	2 30
2	715	2 50	2	965	2 65
3	1100	2 80	3	1003	3 00
6	985	3 25	23	947	3 40
2	922	3 50	24	956	3 50
6	1061	3 75	13	1008	3 90
1	1430	4 25			
Mixed—					
19	852	3 40	19	807	3 50
BULLS.					
2	855	2 25	1	1330	2 75
1	1130	2 00	1	1590	3 00
1	1220	3 30	1	820	3 80
1	1500	3 50	2	625	3 75
1	1020	3 50	1	1590	4 25
1	1410	2 65	2	1530	3 25
1	940	4 00	1	1080	2 85
HEIFERS.					
20	498	3 25	13	736	3 30
26	750	4 25	22	622	3 70
33	692	3 65	22	622	3 80
10	773	3 30	16	800	3 65
10	474	2 80	15	807	4 25
18	564	3 15	61	513	2 65
50	832	4 00			
Mixed—					
50	697	3 25			
CALVES.					
4	@	7 50	4	@	6 75
3	@	7 75	2	@	9 50
STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.					
20	881	2 60	18	909	2 80
11	425	2 80	9	875	2 80
100	853	2 85	16	747	2 50
14	1072	2 40	21	925	3 45
RANGE CATTLE—NATIVE DIVISION.					
TEXAS HEIFERS.					
Spayed—					
15	841	3 25			
COLORADO STEERS.					
Feeders—					
45	908	3 30	21	880	3 35
Fed—					
10	1124	4 75			
COLORADO COWS.					
1	1010	2 35	1	960	2 25
1	1030	2 50	16	809	2 50
COLORADO HEIFERS.					
21	858	3 25			
RANGE CATTLE—TEXAS DIVISION.					
TEXAS AND INDIAN STEERS.					
Corn fed and grass—					
35	1201	4 65	28 fed	799	3 75
138	997	3 80	30	1177	4 20
Cottonseed—					
59	964	3 75			
TEXAS AND INDIAN BULLS.					
Mixed—					
19	1242	3 25			
TEXAS AND INDIAN OXEN.					
21	1133	3 00	5	1160	3 20

HOGS—Movements for the past 24 hours:

Receipts	10,108
Shipments	2,985
Drive-outs	9,152

There was more life and a firmer tone to the market yesterday, the run was good, but, as the markets east of us were more favorable to sellers, buyers all wanted supplies. Packers and shippers both buying and paying a little more money, and the pens were cleared early. Extreme range, $4.30@4.70; bulk of sales, $4.45@4.60.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

No.	Sh.	Av.	Price	No.	Sh.	Av.	Price
46	..	89	$ 3 00	7	..	134	$ 4 15
80	..	198	4 25	100	..	157	4 40
80	120	164	4 42½	58	..	183	4 40
54	160	210	4 40	143	120	195	4 45
93	120	184	4 45	96	40	184	4 40
86	80	191	4 45	67	120	195	4 50
67	160	220	4 50	73	40	209	4 50
73	40	216	4 50	84	80	197	4 50
62	80	221	4 50	79	..	202	4 50
76	80	227	4 50	83	40	197	4 50
78	..	232	4 50	70	80	214	4 50
68	120	218	4 50	68	120	218	4 50
90	..	204	4 52½	63	200	229	4 55
82	200	217	4 55	49	80	236	4 55
68	80	196	4 55	127	..	218	4 55
80	40	235	4 57½	142	40	254	4 60
68	..	247	4 60	54	80	252	4 60
89	160	253	4 60	71	..	273	4 65
62	..	282	4 70	65	120	309	4 70
95	..	113	3 60	53	..	140	4 00
72	120	174	4 35	67	40	152	4 40
79	120	181	4 40	96	120	181	4 40
72	160	182	4 45	69	160	189	4 45
75	80	208	4 45	62	..	195	4 45
66	..	223	4 50	74	..	212	4 50
59	..	208	4 50	69	80	225	4 50
77	40	212	4 50	84	40	181	4 50
76	40	194	4 50	79	..	220	4 50
63	80	244	4 50	74	..	229	4 50
69	80	233	4 50	66	..	233	4 52½
83	..	233	4 52½	87	40	226	4 52½
61	240	240	4 55	79	80	223	4 55
72	..	231	4 55	70	160	221	4 55
83	80	233	4 55	79	..	228	4 55
69	..	248	4 60	76	80	250	4 60
68	..	242	4 60	81	120	250	4 60
79	..	244	4 60	61	80	280	4 70
67	..	295	4 70	56	160	295	4 72½

SHEEP—Movements for the past 24 hours:

Receipts	4,272
Shipments	1,779
Drive-outs	3,219

While there were a good many in yesterday, the offerings on the open market were the lightest for some time, most of the arrivals going direct to killers. Sales in consequence were light, but generally at steady prices.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

No.	Av. Wt.	Price.
86 shorn yearlings	69	$3.95
1059 shorn Arizona	85	3.75
27 mottons	79	3.75
218 wool	97	3.90
31 sheep and lambs	81	3.90

HORSES AND MULES—Movements for the past 24 hours:

Receipts	1
Shipments	163
Drive-outs	—

The market this week has shown less life and heavy draft horses that have been selling fairly well heretofore were dull and a little lower. Good drivers continue to move very well, but not many in. Plantation horses and streeters, if anything, are moving more freely than last week. Sales at auction by the Kansas City Stock Yards Horse and Mule market Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday: 48 good to choice draft at $32.50@37.50; 47 good to choice drivers at $32.50@77.50; 49 fair to good Southern mares and geldings at $22.50@37.50, and 45 good to choice streeters at $30@45. Mules slow sale, but steady. We note the sale of 48 mules 15½@16 hands at $[illegible].

We quote:

Mules 14 hands	$25@40
Mules 14½ hands	40@50
Mules 15 hands	50@65
Mules 15½ hands	65@75
Mules 16 to 16½ hands	85@110
Horses—Southern	20@45
Horses—Streeters	25@45
Drivers	50@75
Draft	50@85

LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

St. Louis, May 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,700; shipments, 1,100. Market strong and a shade higher; beef steers and heavy butchers', $4.25@5.50; choice heavy, $5.75@6.00; light steers, $3.50@4.60; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.00; cows, $2.25@3.50; fed Texas steers, $3.70@4.80; grassers, $2.50@3.75; cows, $2.00@3.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,400; shipments, 1,500. Market steady; top price, $4.65, with bulk of sales at $4.50@4.60; light, $4.40@4.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,800; shipments, 500. Market, best grades strong, but poor stuff hard to sell; clipped natives, $4.25; Texans, $3.50@3.90; spring lambs, $5.00@5.50.

Chicago, May 2.—CATTLE—To-day's arrivals were estimated at barely 6,000 head. The demand was decidedly improved and for all really desirable the market was stronger and 10c per cwt. higher. Sales were made at $4.60@6.00 for common to strictly choice native steers, weighing from 950 to 1,350 pounds, with the bulk of the transactions at $4.75@5.75. A few extra fine steers weighing 1,450 to 1,475 pounds sell occasionally at $6.15@6.25, but big cattle weighing between 1,500 and 1,750 pounds are disposed of at $5.50@5.80. There was a fairly active demand for cows at an advance of about 10c, sales ranging at $1.75@4.65, while bulls found buyers at $2.25@4.65. Veal calves sold mainly at $5.50@4.50, prices ruling steady, with an ample supply. For stockers and feeders there was a moderate inquiry at $2.50@4.75, choice feeders showing great strength. Texas cattle receipts were about 700 head, and sales were lively at an advance of about 10c, some choice fed steers bringing $5.75.

HOGS—Including those left over from yesterday there were about 35,000 in the pens for sale to-day. There was an active demand both from Chicago packers and shippers to Eastern markets, and the greater part of the offerings found purchasers at an early hour, prices ruling firm at an advance of 5c per cwt. Common to choice heavy hogs sold at $4.50@4.90; light and mixed hogs at $4.40@4.80, and pigs at $4.25@4.50. Heavy hogs sold principally at $4.70@4.80, with sales to a large extent at $4.80, and the larger part of the light and mixed weights crossed the scales at $4.70@4.75.

SHEEP—About 11,000 arrived to-day and trade was active, with good export demand for choice heavy sheep and lambs at stronger and higher prices. As a rule choice flocks were about 10c per cwt. higher, but common lots were not changed. Natives were saleable at $2.00@4.75 for inferior to strictly choice; Westerns at $3.00@4.40, and lambs at $3.00@5.75. Spring lambs sold at $6.50@7.00 per cwt.

Omaha, Neb., May 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 700. Market 10c higher. Steers, $4.00@5.75; cows and heifers, $1.50@4.00; stockers and feeds, $2.50@4.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,300. Market opened strong to 5c higher; closed 5c higher. Light, $4.45@4.55; mixed, $4.45@4.50; heavy, $4.50@4.65.

SHEEP—Receipts, 200. Market steady. Fair to choice natives, $3.00@4.00; fair to good Westerns, $2.75@3.80; common stock sheep, $2.25@3.00; lambs, $3.25@4.50.

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Den., Col. Sp. & Pueblo	x8:40 pm	x8:20 am
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Coffeyville & Wichita	9:20 pm	7:20 am
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