WHEAT SET BACK.

A NET LOSS OF THREE AND A HALF CENTS FOR SEPTEMBER.

SIX CENTS BELOW CURB.

FLOOD OF REALIZING SALES TOO MUCH FOR THE BULL TRADERS.

CORN DUMPED TO TAKE PROFITS.

Lowest Prices of the Day Prevailed at the Closing—Oats and Provisions Lower.

MARKET SUMMARY.

Wheat—	Close.	Previous Day.
September, Chicago	96	99½
September, Minneapolis	94⅞	97⅞
September, Duluth	97¾	1 00½
September, New York	1 03½	1 05½

FINANCIAL.

Call money, New York	1½	1¼@1½
Bar silver, New York	52	51⅞

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Wheat had a setback today, and after selling early on the curb at $1.02 for September, closed at 96c, a net loss of 3½c, as compared with Saturday's final figures; December lost 3⅜c, closing at 95¾c. Corn, oats and provisions were all weak.

Every big trader with corn showing a profit in it, appeared to be selling out today. The market opened so very strong that it was easy at first to find buyers for the offerings. The influential factors at the start were a 3¾d advance at Liverpool, and crop reports of an unfavorable nature. The tremendous quantities that were poured into the pit all forenoon told in the end, and towards the close the market became very weak. The start was wild, September bringing from 32@33c, simultaneously, and December from 34@35½c, compared with Saturday's closing prices of 31½ and 33⅜c. The market soon broke badly with wheat, and though recovering later, became weak again, the lowest prices of the day prevailing as the market was closing. Local receipts were heavy, 1,793 cars. September broke to 31⅞c, recovered to 32½c, then declined to 31c, where it closed. December declined to 33⅞c, recovered to 34½c, and declined to 32¾c, closing at 32⅞c. The seaboard reported 100 loads taken for export.

There was important liquidation in oats, as in all the other pits. Prices opened with a rush, September starting ¼c higher at 20c, and advancing immediately to 20¼c, while December opened ¾@1c higher at 22¼c. There was good outside buying all day, but not enough to counteract the effect of the heavy liquidation of long holdings by elevator people, which was chiefly responsible for the drop which ensued shortly after the opening. The selling was, of course, influenced greatly by the action of wheat. Local receipts were 807 cars. September declined to 19c, and closed at 19⅛c. December dropped off to 20¼c, and closed at that price bid.

Provisions were higher early in the session, on the strong hog market and under the sustaining influence of good foreign buying orders, but there were too many local traders ready to sell out for the market to maintain its opening advance. Packers generally were free sellers. At the close September pork was 10c lower at $8.57½; September lard unchanged at $4.65, and September ribs 5@7½c lower at $5.32½. Estimated receipts Tuesday: Wheat, 375 cars; corn, 1,900 cars; oats, 800 cars; hogs, 15,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Opening	Highest	Lowest	Closing
Wheat—				
Sept	1 00	1 00	95	96⅛
Dec (new)	1 00	1 00	94⅝	94¾
May	1 00	1 00	96¾	97
Corn—				
Aug	32¾	32¾	30¾	30¾
Sept	33	33	31	31
Dec	35½	35½	32¾	32⅞
May	37½	37½	35¼	35¼
Oats—				
Sept	20	20¼	19	19⅛
Dec	22¼	22¼	20¼	20¼
May	24½	24½	22⅞	23
Pork—				
Sept	8 85	8 85	8 52½	8 57½
Oct	8 90	8 90	8 60	8 62½
Dec	9 00	9 05	8 70	8 75
Lard—				
Sept	4 75	4 75	4 62½	4 65
Oct	4 75	4 82½	4 67½	4 70
Dec	4 50	4 92½	4 75	4 75
Ribs—				
Sept	5 37½	5 37½	5 25	5 25
Oct	5 40	5 40	5 25	5 25

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour quiet. No. 2 spring wheat, 96@98c; No. 3 spring wheat, 90@96c; No. 2 red, 99@$1.00; No. 2 corn, 30¾c; No. 2 oats, 19¼c; No. 2 white, f. o. b., 22@24c; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 20½@22½c; No. 2 rye, 53c; No. 2 barley, none; No. 3, f. o. b., 32@43c; No. 4, f. o. b., 28@29c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1.14@1.15; prime timothy seed, $2.75. Mess pork, per bbl, $8.55@8.60; lard, per 100 lbs, $4.65; short ribs sides (loose), $5.15@5.40; dry salted shoulders, 5@5¼c; short clear sides (boxed), 5½@5⅝c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, $1.20. Sugars, cut loaf, unchanged. Receipts—Flour, 11,000 bbls; wheat, 173,000 bu; corn, 732,000 bu; oats, 767,000 bu; rye, 26,000 bu; barley, 18,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 6,000 bbls; wheat, 398,000 bu; corn, 346,000 bu; oats, 701,000 bu; barley, 14,000 bu. On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 12@18c; dairies, 10@14c. Cheese steady, 8¼@9c. Eggs firm, fresh 13c.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 23.—One dollar wheat received a blow at the opening this morning from which it did not recover throughout the morning session. The blow was severe and we believe that in the interest of the patient it is well that the blow was delivered. There is a plenty of inherent strength which will be used later on more conservative lines. The market opened wild and excited, but from a different cause than that which has prevailed for a week of so. The local trade were "keyed" up because of strong cables from Liverpool and curb dealings in Chicago. At the opening in the latter city the "gymp" was out, as a consequence our local pit experienced a cold chill. First prices were 1⅝c off from Saturday's close and in less than two minutes another decline of 2¼c was scored. There was an immediate recovery from this point to Saturday's price, after which the market ruled erratic with a tendency to a lower range.

The news of the day was very short, being almost entirely confined to cable news and some reports of business done at the seaboard. There were numerous reports about Russia contemplating the prohibition of exports because of a short crop. This is an old story and has been denied more than once during the past five weeks. Russia will never do this, unless for political reasons, such as an immediate prospect of war. The country is wild at present and absorbs with avidity any sensational news which tends to help the price of wheat. Prices are undoubtedly going to be good during the crop year, but there is no reason to feel hungry for a stomach to be filled six months hence.

September wheat opened at 96c against 97⅞c Saturday, dropped to 93½c; advanced to 98c, declined to 97½c, firmed up to 97⅞c, dropped to 97c, gained ⅛c, declined to 96¾c, firmed up to 97¼c, dropped to 96¾c, declined to 95c, firmed up to 96½c, lost ½c, firmed up to 96⅝c, fell to 95c, advanced to 95¾c, lost ½c, firmed up to 96c and lost ¼c by noon.

December wheat opened at 95¾c, against 96c Saturday, sold at 93c, firmed up to 95c, lost ¼c, advanced to 96c, lost ⅞c, firmed up to 95⅝c, sold down to 94c and by noon held at 94¼c.

The cash wheat market still continues very strong for old No. 1 northern. The premium today was as high as 11½c over the September future. New No. 1 northern was not quite so strong, the most of it selling at 3½ to 3¾c over September. Sales were made as per statement below. Receipts here were 296 cars and 26 cars shipped out.

During the noon hour there was a marked decline of bullish sentiment from various causes. The visible was expected to show over a million bu decrease, instead of this we have but 497,000 bu. The English visible decreased 1,255,000 bu, considerably less than previously stated. French cables reported that there was no prospect of the remission of duties on imports.

September wheat closed at 94⅞c and December at 93⅝c.

RANGE OF PRICES.

Wheat—	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing. Today.	Yes.
August	....	....	....	1.05⅛	1.08
September	96	98	93½	94⅞	97⅞
December	95¾	96	93	93⅝	96

On Track—No. 1 hard, $1.06⅞; No. 1 northern, $1.05⅞; No. 2 northern, $1.03⅞@1; August oats, 20¾c; flaxseed, $1.14½.

Curb on September wheat, nom.....94⅞
Puts on September wheat.....88¼
Calls on September wheat.....99¼

SAMPLE SALES.

No. 1 northern, 6 cars, old.....$1.06½
No. 1 northern, 7 cars, old.....1.08¾
No. 1 northern, 6 cars, old, o. w. b....1.08
No. 1 northern, 7 cars, old.....1.06¾
No. 1 northern, 1 car, old.....1.06⅜
No. 1 northern, 1,500 bu, old.....1.08
No. 1 northern, 1,500 bu, old, to arrive. 1.07
No. 1 northern, 3 cars, old, to arrive...1.07
No. 1 northern, 2 cars, new, to arrive...98
No. 1 northern, 5 cars, new, to arrive..1.00½
No. 1 northern, 600 bu, new, to arrive..1.00
No. 1 northern, 600 bu, new, to arrive..99½
No. 1 northern, 2,500 bu, new, to arrive. 97¼
No. 1 northern, 3,000 bu, new, to arrive. 97¼
No. 2 northern, 6 cars, new, to arrive..98
No. 2 northern, 11 cars, new.....99
No. 2 northern, 2 cars, new.....98½
No. 2 northern, 21 cars, new.....1.00
No. 2 northern, 1 car, new.....90½
No. 2 northern, 1 car, new, o. w. b.....99½
No. 2 northern, 1 car, new, o. w. b.....99¼
No. 2 northern, 3 cars, new.....99¾

FLOUR.

Flour—The flour market is rather quiet today because of the drop in wheat. Millers, however, are strong, and not disposed to grant favors. Prices are held materially higher, but not quotable till the fever has abated.

BRAN, SHORTS AND COARSE GRAINS.

Bran, in bulk.....$6.50@ 6.75
Bran, 200-lb sacks.....7.50@ 7.75
Bran, 100-lb sacks.....8.00@ 8.25
Shorts, in bulk.....8.50@ 9.00
Middlings, in bulk.....9.50@10.00
Red-dog, 140-lb sacks.....12.00@12.50

The market is very firm, with a good demand for all grades.

Corn—No. 3, 28@28½c.
Oats—No. 1, 21@21½c; No. 3 white, 22c.
Rye—No. 2, 54c.
Barley—New barley, 24@24½c; old, 25@27c.

Feed—Trade is very good, the demand being much better than is usual at this time of the year.

Coarse corn meal and cracked corn in sacks, per ton, sacks extra, to jobbers only.....$11.00@11.25
No. 1 ground feed, 2-3 corn, 1-3 oats, 80-lb sacks, sacks extra..11.25@11.70
No. 2 ground feed, ½ corn, ½ oats, 75-lb sacks, sacks extra.....11.50@11.75
No. 3 ground feed, 2-3 oats, 70-lb sacks, sacks extra.....11.75@12.00

GRAIN IN STORE.

	Aug. 21. Bu.	Aug. 14. Bu.
Wheat.		
No. 1 hard	4,871	4,871
No. 1 northern	3,224,374	3,690,739
No. 2 northern	229,402	253,753
No. 3 wheat	1,506	1,506
Rejected wheat	733	733
No grade	1,182	1,182
Special bin	930,854	1,098,829
Total wheat	4,392,922	5,051,613
Corn	7,912	26,989
Oats	54,174	81,995
Barley	2,177	7,847
Rye	8,124	6,287
Flaxseed	16,547	19,562
Wheat, decrease for the week		658,691

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

Received—Wheat, 296 cars, 210,160 bu; corn, 12,800 bu; oats, 40,660 bu; barley, 5,720 bu; rye, 1,650 bu; flax, 3,850 bu; oil cake, 191,150 lbs; flour, 150 bbls; hay, 108 tons; fruit, 1,016,286 lbs; merchandise, 1,645,390 lbs; lumber, 20 cars; posts and piling, 2 cars; barrel stock, 3 cars; machinery, 441,150 lbs; coal, 1,519 tons; wood, 92 cords; brick, 31,000; lime, 2 cars; household goods, 40,000 lbs; stone and marble, 3 cars; dressed meats, 48,730 lbs; railroad materials, 29 cars; sundries, 28 cars; car lots, 788.

Shipped—Wheat, 26 cars, 15,600 bu; oats, 3,510 bu; barley, 1,440 bu; rye, 3,100 bu; oil cake, 27,480 lbs; flour, 41,926 bbls; millstuffs, 1,376 tons; fruit, 103,700 lbs; merchandise, 1,911,720 lbs; lumber, 79 cars; machinery, 488,900 lbs; cement, 250 bbls; household goods, 48,100 lbs; hides, pelts, etc., 24,000 lbs; wool, 48,100 lbs; stone and marble, 1 car; butter, 45,950 lbs; hides, pelts, etc., 24,000 lbs; wool, 26,530 lbs; railroad materials, 24 cars; sundries, 41 cars; car lots, 643.

DULUTH GRAIN.

DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 23.—The market was erratic and lower. September opened 3½c off at 97c, sold up to $1.00½ at 9:40, off to 98½c at 10:40, fluctuated alternately between that figure and 99c till 1:00 and closed 2¾c off at 97¾c bid. Cash, 5,000 bu to elevators, 300 bu to mills. Close: Wheat, No. 1 hard, cash, 1.05; No. 1 northern, cash, $1.05; September, 97¾c; October, 96¾c; December, 95c; new, 98¾c; No. 2 northern, $1; to arrive, No. 1 hard, $1.05; No. 1 northern, $1.05; rye, 53c; No. 2 oats, 22½c; No. 3 oats, 22c; flax, $1.17. Car Inspection—Wheat, 19 cars; corn, 23 cars; oats, 1 car; rye, 11 cars; barley, 12 cars; flax, 48 cars. Receipts—Wheat, 36,614 bu; corn, 23,578 bu; oats, 19,681 bu; rye, 5,210 bu; barley, 4,156 bu; flax, 1,382 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 1,407 bu. Wheat stocks last week: No. 1 hard, 19,399 bu; No. 1 northern, 158,371 bu; No. 2 northern, 158,735 bu; No. 3 spring, 68,085 bu; no grade, 14,601 bu; rejected, 15,085 bu; special bin, 60,673 bu; total, 494,949 bu; decrease, 557,885 bu; amount, 1,052,844 bu; corn, 131,016 bu; oats, 253,238 bu; rye, 265,032 bu; barley, 237,978 bu; flax, 690,989 bu.

Cash Sales—1,600 bu of No. 1 northern, $1.07½; 300 bu of No. 1 northern, $1.05; 3,000 bu of No. 1 northern, $1.01½; car of barley, 41c.

ST. PAUL GRAIN.

Quotations of hay, grain, feed, etc., furnished by Griggs Bros., commission merchants:

Wheat—Trading yesterday was light; prices ranged lower than on Saturday; No. 1 northern, $1.04@1.05; No. 2 northern, 99c@$1.03. The above prices are for old wheat; new wheat sells at about 5c per bu less.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 28½@29c; No. 3 27@28c.
Oats—No. 3 white, 20@21½c; No. 3, 18@19c.
Barley—24@25¾c.
Rye—47@48c.
Seed—Timothy, $1.20@1.40; red clover, $3.60@4.20; flax, $1.16½@1.17½.

Flour—Patent, per bbl, $5.10@5.30; straight, $4.60@4.90; bakers', $4@4.20; rye flour, $3.30@3.60.

Ground Feed and Millstuffs—No. 1 feed, $11.50@12.; coarse cornmeal, $11@11.25; bran, bulk, $8@8.25; shorts, $9.50@10.

Hay—Market holding steady with good demand for best qualities; other grades dull. Choice to fancy upland, $6.00@6.50; fair to good, wild and upland, $5.00@5.75; inferior qualities, $4.00@4.75; timothy, good to choice, $7.50@8.00. Straw, good demand; oats, $4@4.25; rye, $4.25@4.50.

OTHER GRAIN.

GRAIN GOSSIP.

Gossip by private wire to C. H. F. Smith & Co., St. Paul, members of the New York stock exchange and Chicago board of trade.

The public is taking advantage of the weakness in corn and is buying. All of the big private warehouses and commission firms in general are buying for the ordinary speculators, who sent in more orders yesterday morning than at any time since the bulge.

A St. Louis trader wires: The trade is crazy. Ray cables me the French deficiency is probably 60,000,000 bu. I am confident he tells me the truth. The crop of Kansas, Oklahoma and Indian territory is 50,000,000 bu more than last year, which nearly makes up the French loss. High prices and dear wheat bread will force economy. The poor will eat rye bread and our corn will be imported to distill instead of the rye if frost don't touch our corn crop. Wheat will sell below 70c for May, provided the Southern hemisphere makes a good crop, and its time for them to do it.

London, opening cable: Wheat off coast, nothing doing; on passage, sellers asking an advance. Corn off coast, nothing doing; on passage, rather firm. Paris: Wheat, August 5c higher, September 10c higher; August flour 40c higher, September flour 15c lower.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Flour—Receipts, 29,051 bbls; exports, 28,362 bbls; market practically unchanged as to price; easier at the close, winter patents, $5.35@5.75; winter straights, $5@5.25; Minnesota bakers', $4.30@4.70. Rye flour stronger. Cornmeal quiet. Rye strong. Barley firm. Barley malt quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 358,350 bu; spot weak; No. 2 red, $1.08; No. 2 hard, $1.06½; options opened irregular and developed weakness all day, with few reactions, influenced by heavy realizing efforts, both local and foreign; disappointing French cables, a light export demand and increasing winter wheat receipts, closed 2c net lower; No. 2 red August closed $1.05½; September, $1.03@1.06¾, closed $1.03½. Corn—Receipts, 243,900 bu; exports, 34,444 bu; spot market active; No. 2, 35⅞c; options opened very strong on higher cables and good local buying, but turned weak and declined all day under realizing; closed ⅜@⅝c net lower; August closed 35⅞c; September, 35⅞@38c, closed 35⅞c. Oats—Receipts, 343,200 bu; exports, 317,056 bu; spot quiet; No. 2, 25c; options very weak with the other markets, closing 1@1⅛c net lower; September closed 23½c.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 23.—Wheat lower and excited; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, $1.00@1.01½; track, $1.00@1.01; No. 2 hard, cash, 96¼c track; August, $1.01, nominal; September, $1.00@1.00¾; December, $1.00⅜ bid; May, $1.02½ asked. Corn lower; No. 2 cash, 29c bid; September, 28c; May, 32¼@33c. Oats firm; No. 2 cash, 19¾c bid; on track, 20@20½c; No. 2 white, 21½@22½c; No. 3 white, 19½@21c. Rye unsettled; 53½@54c track. Flaxseed lower, $1.10.

WHEAT MOVEMENT.

The following are the receipts and shipments at principal wheat markets:

	Receipts. Bushels.	Shipments. Bushels.
Kansas City	581,800	178,200
Baltimore	270,163	56,000
Minneapolis	210,160	15,600
St. Louis	176,375	6,425
Chicago	172,973	398,354
Boston	57,890	7,980
Philadelphia	38,260	1,404
Duluth	36,614	1,407
Milwaukee	22,750	650

MARK LANE WHEAT.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Mark Lane Express, in its weekly review of the grain situation, says: The wheat harvest is about half over and the reports continue to be fairly favorable, in spite of interruptions of many heavy showers and the general delay in carrying the wheat already out. The foreign harvests are unfavorably reported. The latest advices from France, Austria-Hungary, Russia and Roumania are all more or less unfavorable.

MILWAUKEE.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 23.—Flour nominal. Wheat lower; No. 1 northern, $1.03; No. 2 spring, $1; December, 95¼c. Corn ½c higher; No. 3, 31½c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 22¼@23c. Rye higher; No. 1, 55@55½c. Barley higher; No. 2, 47c; sample, 25@47c. Receipts—Flour, 6,000 bbls; wheat, 23,000 bu; barley, 42,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 2,000 bbls; wheat, 1,000 bu.

VISIBLE GRAIN.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The visible supply of grain statement, as compiled by the New York produce exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 16,729,000, decrease 497,000 bu; corn, 21,956,000, increase 3,449,000 bu; oats, 8,005,000, increase 1,325,000 bu; rye 1,675,000, increase 139,000 bu; barley, 812,000, decrease 50,000 bu.

LIVERPOOL.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 23. — Closing — Wheat higher; August nominal; September, 8s 3¼d; October 8s 1½d; December, 8s ½d.

Corn—Spot firm; futures quiet, 3@3¼d higher; August nominal; September, 3s 6¼d; October, 3s 7¼d; December, 3s 9d.

PRODUCE.

ST. PAUL MARKET.

Note—The quotations which follow are for goods which change hands in lots in the open market. In filling orders, in order to secure the best goods for shipping and to cover the cost incurred, an advance over jobbing price has to be charged.

Butter—Market steady on all grades.	
Creameries—	
Extras	.14½@.15
Firsts	.12 @.13
Seconds	.10 @.11
Hand separator	.12 @.12½
Dairies—	
Extras	.11 @.11½
Firsts	.08 @.09
Ladies—	
Extras	.09 @.10
Firsts	.08 @.09
Packing stock	.07 @.07½
Grease	.02½@.03
Cheese—Market slow. Offerings large.	
Twins, fancy full cream, new	.07½@.08
Twins, common to fair	.06½@.07
Full cream Young America, new	.08 @.08½
Swiss cheese	.12 @.13
Brick, No. 1, new	.08 @.08½
Brick, No 2, new	.07 @.07½
Eggs—Market steady; receipts liberal.	
Candled stock, fresh, cases included	.10 @.10½
Beans—Market quiet; supply moderate.	
Fancy, navy, per bu	1.25@1.35
Medium, hand-picked, per bu	1.00@1.25
Yellow peas, per bu	.75@ .80
Green peas, per bu	.90@1.00
Potatoes—Quiet.	
Home grown, per bu, new	.40 @.45
Vegetables—	
Egg plant, per doz	.50
Tomatoes, 4-basket crate	.75 @1.00
Radishes, per doz	.10
Cauliflower, per doz	.65 @.75
Beets, per bu	.15 @.20
Celery, per doz	.25
Rutabagas, per bu	.40
Turnips, per bu	.40
Mint, per doz	.20
Lettuce, per doz	.15 @.20
Carrots, per doz	.25
Green peas, bu	.60 @.75
Spinach, per bu	.20
Cucumbers, per doz	.15 @.20
New onions, per doz	.08 @.10
Parsley, per doz	.15
Oyster plant, per dozen	.40
Miscellaneous—	
California pears	2.00@2.25
Bartletts	2.40@2.50
Concord grapes	.25@ .30
Lyes grapes	.18@ .20
Michigan peaches, 1-5 baskets	.25@ .30
California pears	2.00@2.25
California gros prunes	1.25@1.50
California egg plums	1.00@1.25
California peach plums	1.00@1.25
California peaches, box	.90@1.00
Clingstone peaches (California)	.70@ .80
Raspberries, red, 24-pt	1.50
Raspberries, black, 24-pt	.75@1.00
Blackberries, 16-qt	1.40@1.50
Gooseberries, 24-qt cases	.75
Cherries, Southern, 24-qt	2.00
Blueberries, 16-qt cases	1.15@1.25
Watermelons	.10@ .12
Osage melons, crates	.75
Gem melons, baskets	.40@ .50
Apples—	
New, bbl	1.75@2.00
Fancy eating, bbl	2.25@2.50
Lemons—	
Fancy Messinas, per box	5.00@5.50
California, per box	4.00@4.50
Oranges—	
California medium sweets, per box	4.00@4.50
California seedlings, per box	3.25@3.50
California navels, per box	4.25@4.50
California Valencias	5.00@5.50
Nuts—	
Hickory, per bu	1.00
New California walnuts, per lb	.09 @.11
Black walnuts, per bu	.75
Peanuts, raw, per lb	.05 @.05½
Peanuts, roasted, per lb	.06 @.06½
Brazils, per lb	.08 @.10
Pecans, per lb	.18 @.20
Filberts, per lb	.10 @.12
Hazelnuts, per lb	.05
Bananas—Supply large; demand active.	
Choice shipping, large bunches	1.50@2.00
Figs and Dates—	
Figs, fancy, five-crown	.12 @.13
Figs, fancy, four-crown	.11 @.12
Fard dates, 10-lb boxes	.05 @.09
Hallowee dates, new	.06
Honey—	
White clover	.15 @.16
Extracted	.06½@.07
Maple syrup, per gal	1.00
Maple sugar, per lb	.10 @.11
Apple Cider—	
Sweet, per bbl	3.75@4.00
Sweet, per half bbl	2.00@2.25
Hard, bbl	6.00@8.00
Hard, half bbl	4.50@5.00
(No charge for package or carriage.)	
Dressed Meats—	
Veal, fancy	.07
Veal, medium	.06
Hogs, country dressed	.03 @.03¾
Mutton, country dressed	.06½@.07
Sprng lambs, pelts off	.06 @.08
Live Poultry—	
Broilers, lb	.08½@.10
Young roosters	.04 @.05
Hens	.07
Spring ducks	.08 @.09
Turkeys	.06
Geese	.06
Fish—	
Croppies, lb	.06
Pickerel, lb	.06
Pike, lb	.06
Sunfish, lb	.03

MINNEAPOLIS MARKET.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 23.—Butter is firm. There is a big demand for extra creameries and dairies, which are scarce. The call for medium and low grades is improving, as jobbers and retailers can occasionally be persuaded to take firsts and seconds in the absence of extras. Ladles and packing stock are in good demand. The advance in lard has increased the price of grease butter 1c per lb. On 'change this morning 5c per lb was bid for a full car lot of grease, with no offerings. Eggs are ½c higher and are now quoted at 11½@12c. Receipts are rather light and the demand exceeds the supply. Poultry market is fairly well cleaned up from last week. Hens and spring chickens are in best request. Turkeys, ducks and geese are steady and current receipts light. Veal of the strictly fancy quality is firm and wanted. Mutton and lamb are moving satisfactorily. Dressed hogs are firming up somewhat.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Butter firm; creameries, 12@18c; dairy, 10@15c. Eggs firm, fresh, 13c.

New York, Aug. 23.—Butter—Receipts, 9,061 pkgs; firm; Western creamery, 12@18½c; Elgins, 18½c; factory, 7½@11c. Cheese—Receipts, 16,649 pkgs; steady; large, white, 8¼@8½c; small, white, 8½@8¾c; large, colored, 8¼@8½c; small, colored, 9@9¼c; part skims, 5½@6½c; skims, 3½@4c. Eggs—Receipts, 8,332 pkgs; firm; state and Pennsylvania, 14½@16½c; Westerns, 15c.

LIVE STOCK.

UNION STOCKYARDS.

Receipts—150 hogs, 3,000 cattle, 100 calves, 1,033 sheep.

Hogs—Active and 5c higher than Saturday. Only a few bunches of medium quality on the market, selling at the advance.

Representative Sales—

No.	Wt.	D'k'e.	Price.	No.	Wt.	D'k'e.	Price.
6	265	..	$3 40	25	264	80	$3 85
6	371	..	3 40	25	264	80	3 85
2	285	..	3 50	16	231	80	3 85
44	183	..	3 85				

Cattle—Steady and active. Nearly half of the receipts were Westerns going through. The demand is good for fat cattle and those offered brought good prices. The more inferior stuff sold slowly at prices 15@20c lower than last week. Good demand for light feeders, steers and heifers. Common dragging at low prices.

Representative Sales—

No.	Wt.	Price.	No.	Wt.	Price.
1 heifer	190	$3 00	1 cow	980	$2 75
2 bulls	900	2 75	3 cows	863	3 25
3 calves	156	5 00	2 cows, 1 calf	63	00
9 heifers	553	3 00	2 cows	1105	3 25
1 ox	1440	3 00	1 ox	1310	2 35
1 stag	1150	2 75	3 bulls	676	3 00
4 steers	1162	3 25	1 stag	1140	3 00
1 cow	1190	3 00	1 stag	1170	2 60
18 steers	1158	3 75	8 stockers	262	4 00
1 cow	1158	3 75	5 heifers	436	3 00
8 steers	1158	3 75	1 ox	1350	2 75
2 cows	820	2 65	1 calf	220	4 00
2 oxen	1315	2 35	1 cow, 1 calf	for	29 00
2 cows	825	2 25	1 cow	for	28 00
1 cow	780	2 50	6 steers	581	3 90
1 cow	1110	3 25	34 stockers	574	4 05
11 stockers	587	3 80	1 stocker	410	4 00
2 heifers	570	3 00	1 stocker	320	4 00
2 bulls	565	3 00	1 stocker	340	4 00
2 cows	935	2 85	13 heifers	578	3 05
1 heifer	950	2 60	1 heifer	600	2 60
1 cow	740	2 50	2 heifers	586	3 00
3 cows	840	3 25	1 cow	1080	3 20
1 cow	1180	3 25	4 cows	1045	3 20
1 heifer	790	3 00	21 cows	982	3 20
1 heifer	910	3 25	11 cows	994	3 27
4 canners	820	2 25	2 bulls	1395	2 75
1 cow	630	2 00	1 bull	1590	2 75
2 bulls	515	3 00	37 steers	896	4 00
1 cow	620	2 25	1 cow	1050	3 00
13 heifers	567	3 00	4 cows	850	3 15
19 stockers	449	3 80	17 stockers	1092	4 15
9 cows	842	2 45	3 stockers	1066	3 90
2 cows	1060	2 65	1 stocker	450	2 75
1 canner	940	2 25			

Sheep—Good sheep firm; lambs steady; common dull.

Representative Sales—

No.	Wt.	Price.	No.	Wt.	Price.
46 muttons	104	$4 40	33 lambs	60	$4 25
77 lambs	70	4 40	13 muttons	93	3 00
20 muttons	102	3 50			

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—The general demand for cattle today was active, and prices averaged 10c higher, thus recovering on desirable offerings what was lost late last week. Sales were on a basis of $4.25 for common to $5@5.50 for good to fancy, with the bulk of the sales at $4.70@5.20. Exporters were fair buyers of the better class of cattle. The stocker and feeder trade was active at strong prices, with sales largely at $4@4.45. Butchers' and canners' stuff sold actively, fat cows and heifers selling especially well, and nine fancy 1,037 pound heifers brought $4.70. Bulls were steady, and calves were unchanged. Texas cattle sold actively at firm prices, and so did Western, a good many of the latter being taken by feeders. The supply of hogs was well taken, prices ruling 5@10c higher. Sales were at $3.65@4.25 for common to prime hogs, the bulk going for $3.95@4.15, while pigs sold mostly at $3.30@4.15. Today's receipts averaged very well in quality. Although the supply of sheep and lambs was liberal, prices were steady, there being an active general demand. Sheep were wanted at $2.50@4 for inferior to choice, Western rangers selling at $3@3.65. Feeders took a great many range sheep at $3.50@3.55, and killers paid $3.60@3.65. Lambs sold freely at $3.50@5.10, feeders bringing $4@4.25. Receipts—Cattle, 17,000; hogs, 34,000; sheep, 19,000.

OMAHA.

SOUTH OMAHA, Aug. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,100; market active, stronger; native beef steers, $3.10@4.00; Western steers, $3.60@4.40; Texas steers, $3.25@4.10; cows and heifers, $2.80@4; canners, $2@2.80; stockers and feeders, $3.75@4.40; calves, $4@6; bulls, stags, etc., $2@3.70. Hogs—Receipts, 1,900; market 5c higher; heavy, $3.75@3.85; mixed, $3.80@3.87½; light, $3.85@3.90; bulk of sales, $3.80@3.85. Sheep—Receipts, 2,900; market steady; fair to choice natives, $3.40@3.80; fair to choice Westerns, $3.20@3.50; common and stock sheep, $2.75@3.35; lambs, $3.75@4.75.

MIDWAY HORSE MARKET.

Barrett & Zimmerman's report: Market opened good; prices fair; demand for heavy horses good. The following representative sales are for horses this day:

		Wt.	Price.
1 pair gray horses, 5 and 6 years		3,400	$200
1 pair gray horses, 6 years		3,200	195
1 pair bay horses, 5 and 6 years		3,000	190
1 pair bay mares, 6 years		2,800	185
1 pair bay mares, 5 and 6 years		2,600	180
1 sorrel mare, 6 years		1,600	100
1 sorrel mare, 6 years		1,400	85
1 sorrel mare, 6 years		1,300	70

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; market strong and active; native shippers' steers, fair to fancy, $4.25@5.40; light to dressed beef grades, $3.75@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.25; cows and heifers, $2@4.60; Texas and Indian steers, $3@4.30; cows and heifers, $2@3.50. Hogs—Receipts, 2,000; market 10c higher; light, $4.10@4.20; mixed, $3.90@4.15; heavy, $3.80@4.20. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market steady to strong; native muttons, $3@3.90; stockers, $2.80@3.25; lambs, $3.75@5.10; sheep, $3.75@5.

MINNEAPOLIS.

NEW BRIGHTON, Aug. 23.—Receipts, 1,800 cattle, 5,350 hogs. Cattle—Firm on good cattle; stockers and feeders steady. Sales: 10 Montana steers, average 1,182 lbs, $3.40; 2 Montana steers, average 920, $3.40; 13 Montana cows, average 936, $2.75. Hogs—No trading; receipts all Western; market steady. Sheep—Sales: 106 stock ewes, average 86 lbs, $2.50; 162 stock ewes, average 84, $2.50.

SIOUX CITY.

SIOUX CITY, Io., Aug. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,100, two-thirds Westerns; Saturday, 100; shipments, 216; market steady; Westerns, 10c lower; cows, stronger; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.50@3.50; veals, $4@4.75; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.25; calves and yearlings, $3.50@4.60; Westerns, $3.50@4.20. Hogs—Receipts, 500; Saturday, 780; shipments, 74; no light, selling at $3.75@3.85; bulk, $3.80.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 23.—Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; market 5@10c higher; bulk of sales, $3.95@3.97½; heavies, $3.90@4; packers, $3.90