THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS

The Wheat Fluctuations Confined Within a Narrow Range.

CLOSED AT THE HIGHEST PRICE.

Corn Opens Strong But Drops Off Almost Immediately—Oats Erratic and Fluctuating—Live Stock Quotations.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, June 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—WHEAT—Not much of interest could be expected in a wheat market that only fluctuated ½c and not much was realized. Trade was small and sometimes stopped altogether while the crowd had fun with visiting strangers. The tendency at first seemed downward, rather from lack of interest than any other cause, but whatever early weakness existed was overcome later, and although buying never became enthusiastic, the close was at the highest prices of the session. The first board cable quoted spot wheat ⅛d lower, with a downward tendency both for spot and futures, but this, so far as spot grain was concerned, was not confirmed by second cables. There were private cables which gave a poor outlook for the wheat crops in Europe and explained the present easy feeling in the foreign markets by the fact of heavy arrivals, which relieved all anxiety of buyers for the immediate future. New York reported that exporting houses were buying futures moderately there because of reports of cold and wet weather in Great Britain. There was some buying here for St. Louis account and this was said to be because of wet weather in the winter wheat country about there and danger of rust in consequence. The outward movement of wheat is disappointing to the bulls who looked for a decline to stimulate exports. The clearances of wheat reported to-day were insignificant. However, receipts show a falling off, which is some compensation. There was no very great trading by anybody, but it was noticed that Hutchinson was a seller on "hard spots," but bought moderately when prices declined. Ream was selling and Jones, Kennett & Hopkins, and Schwartz & Dupee were buyers. July wheat opened at 81⅝c and after selling at 81½c fell to 81c, but recovered quickly to 81¾c, and then followed a period of excessive dullness, with only ⅛c fluctuations and these infrequent, but during the last few minutes there was an advance to 81½c, which was the price at the close of the morning session. Late strength in corn seemed to be responsible for the upturn. December wheat opened at 84¼c, sold to 83⅞c, up to and closing at 84⅜c. A board cable quoted spot wheat in Liverpool dull with poor demand at unchanged prices. Futures were all lower, except July which was unchanged.

The speculative corn market was strong right at the opening because of decreased receipts, but there was plenty of long corn for sale, and the price fell ⅜c almost immediately. Then upon the purchase of about one million bushels by Bryant, there was an upturn in which all the loss was recovered, the estimates of lighter receipts for to-morrow helping the advance. During the last half hour of the session there was another steady advance of about ⅝c. This seemed to be caused almost entirely by the efforts of the local crowds to cover their shorts. They had been trying all morning to hold the market down against the stimulating effect of decreased receipts, and when this was found impossible, they were eager buyers. There seems to be good reasons to expect lighter receipts of corn from this on. A canvass was made this morning of about twenty-five of the principal receiving houses, and with but one or two exceptions they were all looking for greatly decreased receipts for the next few weeks. These houses judge from advices they get from country shippers who are sending them corn. July corn opened at 50c, sold at 50⅛c, then down to 49½c, up to 50⅛c again, back to 49¾c, then up to 50⅝c, back to 50½@50⅝c, closing at 50⅝c. September corn opened at 51⅛c, sold down to 50¾c, up to 52@52⅛c, and closed at 52c asked.

The speculative oat market was extremely erratic during the early part of the session, the greatest fluctuation being in July delivery. That delivery opened at 31⅞@32c, sold straight down to 30½c@30¼c, advanced to 31⅜c, fell to 30⅝c, then advanced to 31½c and closed with that price bid. When the dust was over it appeared that the only reason for it was the effort of one local trader to sell about 50,000 bushels of oats when as it happened there were no buyers in the oat crowd. The few traders who were there were also sellers and the market fell a full cent on three sales. As soon as bupers appeared, however, the market immediately recovered most of the loss, showing that there was no legitimate reason for so great a decline. June oats opened at 31⅜c, sold down to 30½c and closed nominally at 31¼c. August oats opened at 26⅞@27c, sold at 27c and at 26½c, closing at 26¾c. September oats opened at 26c, sold at 25⅝c, up to and closing at 26⅛c.

The provision trade was inclined to rule weak. There was no liberality in the cash movement and the speculative contingent adhered to a conservative line of conduct. The market was narrow and tame. Traders, in fact, acted as if they were prepared for a break and accepted the changes witnessed in prices in a spirit of resignation. Pork was weakest early in the last and at 1 o'clock rested 7½c under last night's final prices. Lard also suffered a decline of 5c, while short ribs were unchanged to 2½c lower.

AFTERNOON SESSION.—Wheat higher; June closed at about 81½c; July opened at 81½c, sold to 81⅝c, closing at about 81¾c; August closing at 82¼@82⅜c; September closed about 82½@82⅝c; December closing at 84⅜c. Corn firm; June closed at 51¼@51⅜c; July opened at 50⅝c, sold to 51⅛c, off to 50⅝c, then to 51c, closing at 51c; August sold at 51⅝ to 51¾c, off to 51⅜c, then to 51⅝c, closing at 51⅝c; September sold at 51¾@52⅛c, closing at 52⅛c. Oats closed ⅛@¼c higher; June at about 31½c; July sold at 31½@31¾c and closed at 31⅝c bid; August closed at 27c; September closed at 26¼c asked. Pork was quiet and steady; closed at $13.70 for June, $13.75 for July, $13.85 for August, $13.95 for September and $13.70 for October. Lard was a shade easier; the closing bid prices stood at $8.32½ for June, $8.70 for July, $8.47½@8.50 for August and $8.55@8.57½ for September; light trading. Short ribs were steady and unchanged.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, June 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—the market was slow and prices were lower from the opening to the close on all classes of natives. The best dry fed steers were at least 50c lower than last week and common to green and grassy stock 75c to $1.00 off as compared with the boom of last week. The eastern markets are full of beef and private cables quoted American refrigerator beef ½c lower in the British markets. The run is not excessive and prime steers are really scarce, but the weather is warm and there is plenty of beef in sight in all the markets. The run of Texans is very heavy—12,000 in sight yesterday and about 14,000 to-day. This alone will send down prices on grassy and green natives that in turn will drag down other native grades. Native butcher stock has had to come down to prices equal to those on Texans, and common canning stock is rapidly going to last summer's extremely low figures. Veal calves are on the market in large numbers and down to low water mark; there were over 10,000 among the arrivals yesterday. Light little stockers are accumulating in large numbers and can hardly be given away. They are as low as at any time last year, while fat cattle are substantially higher. Nice thrifty steers, well bred and in good condition, can be had at $2.50 to $2.60, or even lower. Natives, $3.90@6.00. Cows and mixed, $2.00@4.05. Stockers, $2.65@3.75. Texans, $1.80@4.05.

Hogs—Business was active and prices are a strong 5c higher, the best making $5.80@5.85 and the best mixed $5.60@5.75, and light sorts $5.55@5.65, a few making $5.67½.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, June 19.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The strength noted at the close yesterday all disappeared during the morning, the market opening with a rather heavy undertone, with declines extending to ½ per cent. St. Paul, Reading and Lake Shore were the weak features at the start, and before midday recorded declines of ¾ to 1⅜ per cent. The feature of the market was a slump of 2½ points in Rock Island from the closing sales yesterday and 4 points from the highest point touched on yesterday's bulge. The drop was due to a reported row in the directory over the rate of dividend to be declared. The rumor was that President Cable and H. H. Porter wanted the rate reduced to 4 per cent, but that the Bishop party wanted 5 or 6. The break in this stock caused a general giving way of the entire list, and at 1 o'clock the market was dull and weak, with more sellers than buyers. There was little change in the last hour, except in Oregon Trans-Continental, which advanced ¾ per cent and closed at the outside figures, showing a net gain over yesterday. Cotton oils were also strong and closed ½ per cent higher. The rest of the list was easy, with declines ranging from ½ to 2¾ per cent. Rock Island had the lead. Lake Shore was 1¼, and Northwestern and Burlington 1 point each, New England ⅝, Missouri Pacific ⅝, St. Paul ⅝, Reading ⅝, Western Union ⅝. Total sales included 26,000 St. Paul, 34,100 Reading, 2,300 Rock Island, 9,800 Northwestern, 15,300 New England.

MONEY—1@1½ per cent.

BAR SILVER—92 per cent.

GOVERNMENTS—Government bonds were dull but steady.

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS.

U. S. 4s registered	127	C. & N. W.	105¼
U. S. 4s coupon	128	do preferred	140
U. S. 4½s registred	107¼	N. Y. Central	104⅝
U. S 4½s coupon	107¼	O. R. N.	92
Pacific 6s of '95	119	P. T.	23⅞
Canada Southern	49¼	Pacific Mail	33½
Central Pacific	29½	O. D. & E.	18½
Chicago & Alton	133	Pullman Palace Car	152
C., B. & Q.	111½	Reading	58⅝
D., L. & W.	128¾	Rock Island	161½
D. & R. G.	15½	St. L. & S. F.	28¾
Erie	24	do preferred	64¾
do preferred	55	C., M. & St. Paul	61¼
Illinois Central	116¼	do preferred	101¾
L. S. & W.	11	St. P. & O.	34⅞
K. & T.	11¾	do preferred	102
Lake Shore	89	Texas Pacific	20⅞
L. & N.	53½	Union Pacific	54¾
Michigan Central	78¼	W., St. L. & P.	12⅞
Missouri Pacific	72¾	do preferred	22¼
Missouri Pacific	25¾	W. U. Telegraph	76⅝
do preferred	50¾		

MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 1@1½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4@6 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady at $4.87 for sixty day bills; $4.88¾ for demand.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Chicago, June 19.—Following are the 2:30 closing prices:

Flour—Steady and neglected; winter wheat, in sacks, $2.75@3.85; in barrels, $3.00@4.75; spring wheat, in sacks, $1.75@4.50; in barrels, $3.60@4.90; rye, in sacks, $2.90@3.10; in barrels, 3.10@3.70.

Wheat—Quiet but steady, closing ¼@¼c higher than yesterday: cash, 81½c; July, 81⅝c; August, 82 5-16.

Corn—Opened weak and lower, and closed 1@1¼c above yesterday; cash, 50⅝c; July, 52c; August, 51⅝c.

Oats—More active, closing ¾c above yesterday; cash, 31½c; July, 31¾c; August, 31c.

Rye—Dull at 56c.

Barley—Nominal at 64@65c.

Prime Timothy—$2.15@2.20.

Flax Seed—$1.30.

Whisky—$1.20.

Pork—Dull and lower; cash, $13.70; July, $13.75; August, $13.85.

Lard—Weaker and irregular; cash, $8.32½; July, $8.40@8.42½; August, $8.50.

Dry Salted Meats—Shoulders, $6.00@6.05; short clear, $8.00@8.05; short ribs, $7.52½.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 15@19c; dairy, 15@17c.

Cheese—Unchanged: full cream cheddars, 7¼@7½c; flats, 7½@7¾c; young Americas, 8@8¼c.

Eggs—Unchanged at 14@14½c.

Hides—Easy; green salted calf, 4½@5c; heavy green salted, 5½@5¾c; light green salted, 5¾@6c; salted bull, 3½c; dry flint, 8c, dry calf, 8c; deacons, 20@25c each; dry salted, 6@7c.

Tallow—Weaker: No. 1, country, 4c; No. 2, 4¼c; cake, 4c per lb.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	16,000	6,000
Wheat bu	21,000	14,000
Corn, bu	296,000	108,000
Oats, bu	198,000	156,000
Rye bu	1,000	2,000
Barley, bbls	8,000	1,000

New York, June 19.—Wheat—Receipts, 40,350; exports, 400; cash a shade lower; options opened steady, but soon declined ¼@⅜c, later rallied ⅜@½c, closing strong. Ungraded red, 86⅞@91c; No. 2 red, 89½c f. o. b., 90½@91⅝c afloat; July closing at 88⅝c.

Corn—Receipts, 7,030; exports, 12,000; cash firm; options declined early ⅜@⅝c, but soon advanced 1@1¼c, closing near best figures; ungraded, 50½@56½c; No. 2, 56¼@56⅝c delivered; July closing at 57c.

Oats—Receipts, 39,000; exports, 128; market steady; mixed western, 35@38c; white western, 42@47c.

Coffee—Spot, fair; Rio, quiet at $15.00; options variable and irregular, closing firm; sales, 76,500 bags; June, $12.50@12.62; July, $12.65@12.75.

Petroleum—United closed strong at 74c.

Eggs—Quiet and weak; western, 15½@16c.

Pork—Dull; mess quoted at $15.25@15.50 for new; $14.00@14.50 for old.

Lard—Lower; western steam spot, $8.65@8.67½.

Butter—Unsettled; western, 13@19½c.

Cheese—Quiet and weak.

Cincinnati, June 19.—Wheat—Lower; No. 2 red, 87c.

Corn—Lower; No. 2 mixed, 52c.

Oats—Lower; No. 2 mixed, 35¾@36¾c.

Rye—Nominal.

Provisions—Firm.

Whisky—$1.14.

St. Louis, June 19.—Wheat—Lower; cash, 84½c; July, 81¼c.

Corn—Lower; cash, 44½c; July, 45¼c.

Oats—Irregular; cash and June, 32c.

Pork—$14.40.

Lard—$8.00.

Whisky—$1.14.

Butter—Firm; creamery 14@17c; dairy, 12@14c.

Afternoon Board—Wheat—Higher; June, 81½c; July, 81⅝c. Corn—Firmer; July, 46½c. Oats—Firm; June, 32c.

Minneapolis, June 19.—Wheat—Dull; receipts, 105 cars; shipments, 47 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, cash 83¾c; June, 80c; July, 81c; No. 1 northern, cash, 79½c; July, 80c; No. 2 northern, cash, 76½c; July, 77c. On track: No. 1 hard, 82c; No. 1 northern, 80@81c; No. 2 northern, 77@78c.

Flour—Unchanged; patents to ship in sacks in carlots, $4.50@4.70; in barrels, $4.70@4.90.

New Orleans, June 19.—Corn—Lower; in sacks mixed, 63@64c; yellow, 64@65c; white, 67c.

Oats—Lower; No. 2, white, 41@41½c.

Corn Meal—Easier at $2.80.

Hog Products—A shade lower; pork, $14.75; lard, refined tierce, $7.72½.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $6.82½; long clear $8.60; clear ribs, $8.70.

Kansas City, June 19.—Wheat—Weak; No. 2 soft, July, 72½c bid, 74c asked.

Corn—Weak; No. 2 cash, 42½c bid, 44c asked.

Oats—No. 2, August, 32½c bid.

Liverpool, June 19.—Wheat—Dull; California No. 1, 6s 7d per cental; red western spring and red western winter, 6s 6d@6s 8d per cental.

Corn—Dull.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, June 19.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 8,000; market slow and prices lower; natives, $3.20@6.00; cows and mixed, $2.00@4.05; stockers, $2.62@3.75; Texans, $1.80@4.05.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; market active and strong; mixed, $5.60@5.75; light, $5.55@5.65; packers and shippers, $5.30@5.80; skips, pigs and assorted light, $3.50@5.65.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; market a shade stronger; Texas feeders, $3.00@3.25; natives, $3.50@4.90; lambs, $5.75@6.75.

National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, June 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,300; shipments, 1,200; market steady; choice heavy native steers, $5.50@6.20; fair to good native steers, $4.90@5.60; butchers' steers, $4.00@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.30.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,000; shipments, 100; market stronger; choice heavy and butchers' selections, $5.60@5.70; packing, $5.45@5.60; light grades, 5.50@5.50.

Kansas City, June 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; shipments, 1,800; bulk of supply grassers; common to choice corn-fed, $4.00@5.75; grass range steers, $2.00@3.60; stockers, $2.00@3.25; cows, $2.00@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; shipments, 500; market strong and 5@10c higher; common to choice, $5.15@5.60; skips and pigs, $2.50@5.00.

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OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Tuesday, June 19, 1888.

Good cornfed steers were in fair demand to-day and sold quite freely, although the market was not very active, at prices about steady with yesterday. Common and grass cattle were a drag and were almost entirely neglected by the buyers. Old and thin cows are almost unsalable at any price, as they are not wanted. The cattle were mostly sold before the close.

Hogs.

To-day's receipts consisted of 113 fresh loads. The market was active at steady prices and the pens were closed at an early hour. One load of heavy hogs reached $5.55. The demand, both local and shipping, is good and the market in a very healthy condition.

Sheep.

Aside from one load, the sheep received to-day were shipped direct to Swift & Co.

Receipts.

Cattle	700
Hogs	9,600
Sheep	300
Horses	60

Prevailing Prices.

The following is a table of prices paid in this market for the grades of stock mentioned.

Prime steers, 1300 to 1500 lbs.	$5.50	@6.00
Prime steers, 1100 to 1300 lbs.	4.75	@5.75
Fat little steers, 900 to 1050 lbs.	4.75	@5.00
Common to good cows	1.75	@3.50
Choice to fancy cows	4.00	@4.25
Common to choice bulls	2.25	@3.50
Fair to choice light hogs	5.25	@5.30
Fair to choice heavy hogs	5.45	@5.55
Fair to choice mixed hogs	5.30	@5.40

Representative Sales.

CATTLE.

No.	Av.	Pr.
33 cows	871	$1.90
16 cows	925	2.00
1 bull	1120	2.00
2 cows	920	2.25
7 cows	892	2.50
6 cows	915	2.50
3 cows	1096	2.75
7 cows	1113	2.75
21 cows	942	3.00
1 heifer	890	3.00
3 bulls	1470	3.00
1 cow	1200	3.15
6 mixed	991	3.25
8 cows	994	3.25
20 feeders	926	3.50
20 cows	1115	3.75
1 bull	1570	3.75
2 heifers	960	4.00
2 heifers	1060	4.00
2 oxen	1395	4.00
33 yearlings	659	4.25
4 steers	1075	4.50
22 mixed	1136	4.60
3 steers	1156	4.65
1 veal calf	190	4.75
9 cows	1304	4.80
13 steers	982	4.80
8 steers	1173	4.85
22 steers	1090	5.00
19 steers	1186	5.25
36 steers	1155	5.35
7 steers	1257	5.50
5 steers	1412	5.60
77 steers	1275	5.65
27 steers	1345	5.70
37 cornfed westerns	1432	5.70
45 yearlings, per head		12.00

SHEEP.

No.	Av.	Pr.
92 sheep	82	$3.80

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
71	198	240	5.25	65	226	120	5.35
75	193	160	5.25	56	250	40	5.35
64	199	80	5.25	54	258	200	5.35
84	200	80	5.27½	113	246	400	5.35
69	200	40	5.30	78	222	80	5.35
93	189	40	5.30	56	228	160	5.35
66	220	160	5.30	67	227	80	5.35
75	201	120	5.30	75	240	160	5.35
72	201	200	5.30	67	218	40	5.35
67	224	400	5.30	71	236	240	5.35
29	229	40	5.30	62	235	40	5.35
70	204	120	5.30	65	221	120	5.35
63	209	200	5.30	38	253	80	5.35
70	222	200	5.30	63	262	120	5.35
78	191	200	5.30	68	249	200	5.35
79	209	160	5.30	67	246	200	5.35
87	181	280	5.30	77	207	80	5.35
86	213	360	5.30	65	249	40	5.35
74	218	80	5.30	75	238	240	5.37½
66	230	100	5.30	63	228	80	5.37½
65	210	80	5.30	85	233	160	5.37½
62	237	160	5.30	68	269	120	5.40
74	213	80	5.30	61	230	160	5.40
69	223	160	5.30	67	261	160	5.40
61	220	120	5.30	60	252	120	5.40
71	201	160	5.30	69	248	200	5.40
21	231	—	5.30	73	246	120	5.40
87	189	200	5.30	69	253	40	5.40
70	212	160	5.30	63	267	160	5.40
72	212	160	5.30	66	247	120	5.40
68	230	200	5.30	61	254	240	5.40
70	231	320	5.30	64	245	120	5.40
65	210	160	5.30	64	262	160	5.40
65	232	200	5.30	59	300	200	5.40
67	220	120	5.35	65	242	220	5.40
60	223	120	5.30	64	239	80	5.40
67	238	360	5.30	40	258	120	5.40
71	230	80	5.30	77	228	40	5.40
66	211	—	5.30	62	265	160	5.42½
81	202	160	5.30	62	289	120	5.45
64	222	120	5.30	66	263	40	5.45
151	211	440	5.30	66	245	80	5.45
72	215	220	5.30	69	266	120	5.45
73	205	40	5.30	62	260	40	5.45
68	233	120	5.30	70	268	200	5.45
76	220	160	5.32½	72	252	200	5.45
60	209	160	5.32½	54	273	80	5.45
76	269	200	5.32½	63	261	120	5.45
72	231	160	5.32½	53	271	80	5.45
56	248	200	5.32½	47	276	160	5.45
76	223	200	5.35	59	290	280	5.45
73	231	200	5.35	61	262	120	5.45
57	232	80	5.35	68	269	200	5.45
69	229	160	5.35	58	281	200	5.45
60	228	200	5.35	61	269	80	5.45
68	217	80	5.35	65	258	—	5.45
65	236	280	5.35	123	266	240	5.47½
87	221	240	5.35	60	263	—	5.47½
58	233	80	5.35	58	280	160	5.50
72	237	240	5.35	61	296	—	5.50
64	247	160	5.35	52	317	120	5.50
69	255	480	5.35	65	278	160	5.50
57	238	80	5.35	53	274	200	5.50
70	229	40	5.35	57	329	280	5.50
63	270	240	5.35	56	343	280	5.55

Live Stock Sold.

Showing the number of cattle, hogs and sheep sold to the leading buyers on to-day's market.

CATTLE.

G. H. Hammond & Co.	355
Swift & Co.	103
Crone	83
Peterson Bros	50
Brainard, R. & C.	20

HOGS.

G. H. Hammond & Co.	660
Omaha P. Co.	657
Armour & C Packing Co.	4,926
J. P. Squires & Co.	1,383
Gibbs & White	122
Davis & Atwood	260
Tharp	211
C. White	97

SHEEP.

Swift & Co.	267
Hammond & Co.	13

Highest and Lowest.

The following are the highest and lowest prices paid for mixed and heavy loads of hogs on this market during the past few days and for the corresponding period in 1887 and 1886:

	June 1888.	June 1887.	June 1886.
3	Sunday	4 30 @ 4 70	3 45 @ 3 70
4	5 20 @ 5 40	4 50 @ 4 75	3 50 @ 3 67½
5	5 25 @ 5 50	Sunday	3 55 @ 3 65
6	5 20 @ 5 57½	4 55 @ 4 80	Sunday
7	5 15 @ 5 55	4 45 @ 4 75	3 57½@ 3 65
8	5 21 @ 5 60	4 45 @ 4 75	3 70 @ 3 75
9	5 25 @ 5 50	.....	3 62½@ 3 77½
10	Sunday	4 50 @ 4 77½	3 65 @ 3 70
11	5 20 @ 5 50	4 60 @4 90	4 45 @ 4 65
12	5 20 @ 5 55	Sunday	3 70 @ 3 75
13	5 25 @ 5 40	4 50 @ 4 85	Sunday
14	5 25 @ 5 45	4 62½@ 4 80	3 65 @ 3 70
15	5 25 @ 5 60	4 60 @ 4 92½	3 67½@ 3 70
16	5 2. @ 5 45	4 45 @ 4 75	3 60 @ 3 75
17	Sunday	4 50 @ 4 85	3 65 @ 3 75

Live Stock Notes.

Hogs steady.

Good cattle steady.

No sale for common cattle.

M. Hart and F. B. Kreglow, Edgar, came in with stock.

Hon. Watson Tyson, Blair, was in looking over the market.

John Payne, of Madison, marketed a bunch of cows at $1.80.

E. W. Ralph, Chicago, is the guest of his father-in-law, Ab Waggoner.

Keep your common grass stuff at home or come prepared to give it away.

L. T. Martin and wife, of Chicago, were the guests of their son, J. G. Martin, of the firm of Martin Bros.

Mr. Haines, Gresham; J. Paul, Dorchester; L. W. Denton, Waterloo; M. B. Palmer, Germantown; B. F. Downer, Arapahoe; W. L. Wills, Madison; Lee Martin, Benedict, and Mr. Peterson, Weston, were among those who came in with hogs.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

Produce, Fruits, Nuts, Etc.

Tuesday, June 19.

Trade was good to-day, and prices all around were firmer. Eggs and butter are in fair supply and good demand with quotations steady. Lemons are higher and a still further advance is looked for. Vegetables are now coming in principally from market gardeners, and quotations are only nominal.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery roll butter, 20@21c; with solid packed at 15@16c; choice country butter, 13@14c; common grades, 11@12c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh, 15@15½c.

CHERRIES—Per case of 10 lbs, $1.75@2.00. Southern cherries $2.75 per 24 quart case.

STRAWBERRIES—$2.50@2.75 per 16-qt case.

CHEESE—Full cream, 13@14c.

BEETS—30c per doz.

POTATOES—Choice home grown, 75@85c; Utah and Colorado stock, 90@95c; low grades, 55@65c.

POULTRY—No dressed fowl in the market; live chickens, $3.25 perdoz; spring chickens, $2.50@3.25.

RADISHES—10@15c per doz.

STRING BEANS—$1.50 per bu.

GREEN PEAS—$1.50@2.00 per bu.

TOMATOES—$2.50 per crate or $1.75@2.00 per bu.

PINE APPLES—$2.25@2.50.

BANANAS—Common medium, $2.50@3.00 per bunch; choice, $3.00@3.50; low grades, $2.00.

TURNIPS—California, 2½@3c per lb.

DATES—Persian, 6¼@7c per lb.

CIDER—Choice Michigan cider, $4.50@6.50 per bbl. of 32 gal.

SPINACH—$1.50 per bbl.

RHUBARB—2@2½c per lb.

ONIONS—Native stock $1.25@1.50; Spanish, per box of 5 lbs, $1.75@2.00; California onions, 3½@4c per lb.

LEMONS—$6.50@7.00 per box; fancy, $7.00@8.00

ORANGES—California Riverside, $3.75@4.00; medium sweet Riversides, $4.50 per box; Messina, $5.50@7.00; Los Angeles, $4.00@4.50; Los Angeles Navals, $4.00; Riverside Navals, $6.00.

CABBAGES—3@3½c per lb. for California.

CAULIFLOWER—Good stock, $1.50@1.75 per doz.

ASPARAGUS—60@75c per dozen bunches.

CUCUMBERS—50c per doz for choice.

CELERY—California stock, $1.50 per doz.

POPCORN—Choice rice corn is quoted at 3@4c per lb.; other kinds 2½@3c per lb.

CARROTS—New stock, 40@45c per doz.

BEANS—Good stock, $2.60@2.75; California beans, $2.25@2.40.

FIGS—In layers, 13@15c; cake, 10c per lb.

NUTS—Peanuts, raw, 6½@7c; Brazil nuts, 13c; almonds, Tarragona, 22c; English walnuts, 15@18c; filberts, 18c; Italian chestnuts, 15c; pecans, 15c.

HONEY—16@21c for 1 lb frames; canned honey, 10@12c per lb.

PURE MAPLE SYRUP—$1.25 per gal.

SALSIFY—25c per bunch.

Grocer's List.

REFINED LARD—Tierce, 7⅞c; 40 lb square cans, 7⅝c; 50-lb round, 8c; 20-lb round, 8¼c; 10-lb pails, 8⅝c; 5-lb pails, 8½c; 3-lb pails, 8⅝c.

SYRUPS—New Orleans molasses, per bbl., 37@46c per gal.; corn syrup, 34c; half bbls., 36c; 4-gal kegs, $1.55@1.55; sorghum, 38c.

PROVISIONS—Hams, 10¾@11¼c; breakfast bacon, 10½@10¾c; bacon sides, 9@9¼c; dry salt, 8¼@8¾c; shoulders, 7@7¼c; dried beef, 10@11c.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters, standard, per case, $3.20@3.35; strawberries, 2-lb, per case, $2.60@2.70; raspberries, 2-lb, per case, $2.60@2.70; California pears, per case, $4.70@4.80; apricots, per case, $4.25@4.35; peaches, per case, $5.60@5.75; white cherries, per case, $5.80@6.00; California plums, per case, $4.50@4.60; blueberries, per case, $2.00@2.10; egg plums, 2-lb, per case, $2.50; pineapples, 2-lb, per case, $3.20@5.75; 1-lb salmon, per dozen, $1.80@1.85; 2-lb gooseberries, per case, $2.80@2.90; 2-lb string beans, per case, $1.75@1.80; 2-lb Lima beans, per case, $1.60@1.65; 2-lb marrowfat peas, $2.50@2.60; 2-lb early June peas, per case, $2.85; 3-lb tomatoes, $2.30@2.40; 2-lb corn, $2.20@2.30; sardines, imported ¼, 12@15c per box; domestic ¼, 6¼@6½c; mustard, 9½@9¾c.

SUGAR—Granulated, 6⅞@7c; conf. A, 6⅝@6¾c white extra C, 6⅜@6½c; extra C, 6¼@6⅜c; yellow C, 5¾@5½c; cut loaf, 7⅞@8c; powdered, 7⅛@8¼c; New Orleans, 5⅝@5¾c.

COFFEE—Ordinary grades, 16@17c; fair, 7@18c; prime, 18@19½c; fancy green and yellow, 22@23c; old government Java, 28@30c; interior Java, 25@28c; Mocha, 28@30c; Arbuckle's roasted, 21¼c; McLaughlin's XXXX, 21¼c; Dilworth's, 21c; Red Cross, 21c; Alaroma, 21¼c; German, 20½c.

WOODENWARE—Two-hoop pails, per doz., $1.40; three-hoop pails, $1.65; No. 1 tub, $7.00; No. 2 tub, $6.00; No. 3 tubs, $5.00; washboards, electric, $1.50; fancy Northern Queen washboards, $2.75; assorted bowls, $2.75; No. 1 churns, $9.50; No. 2 churns, $8.50; No. 3 churns, $7.50; butter tubs, $1.70; spruce, in nests, 70c per nest.

TOBACCO—PLUG—Lorillard's Climax, 45c; Splendid, 44c; Mechanic's Delight, 44c; Leggett & Meyer's Star, 45c; Cornerstone, 39c; Drummond's Horseshoe, 45c; J. T., 42c; Sorg's Spearhead, 45c; "Cut Rate," 29c; "Oh, My," 27c; Piper Heidsick, 64c.

TOBACCO—SMOKING—Catlin's Meerschaum, 31c; Catlin's Old Style, 23c; Sweet Tip Top, 32c; U. N. O., 17c; Red, White and Blue, 18c.

JELLIES—30-lb pails, $1.25@1.50.

SALT—Per bbl in carload lots, $1.45.

ROPE—Seven-sixteenths, 10@10½c.

CANDY—Mixed, 9@11c; stick, 9@9½c.

PICKLES—Medium, in bbls, $6.00; do in half bbls, $3.50; small, in bbls, $7.00; do in half bbls, $4.00; gherkins, in bbls, $8.00; do in half bbls, $4.50.

HOLLAND HERRINGS—68@70c per keg.

MAPLE SUGAR—Bricks, 12½c per lb; penny cakes, 13@14c per lb.; pure maple syrup, $1.25 per gal.

BROOMS—Extra, 4-tie, $2.60; parlor, 3-tie, painted handles, $2.25; No. 1, $2.00; No. 2, $1.75; heavy stable brooms, $4.00.

STARCH—Mirror gloss, 5¾c; Graves' corn 6½c; Oswego gloss, 7c; Oswego corn, 7c.

TEAS—Japans, 23@35c; Gunpowder, 20@60c; Young Hyson, 22@55c; O