

improve. Choice animals are worth about 41-2 to 5c per pound. Spring lambs, \$1.50 to \$5.00 each.

HOGS—A few odd lots have been in in this week, but practically speaking the market is bare. The ruling quotation is 41-2 to 43-4c.

MILCH COWS—Very scarce owing to farmers holding their cows for dairying purposes. From \$35 to \$40 is the ruling price for a good cow.

HORSES—Horses are coming in pretty freely in response to an active demand. Several carloads per week of southern horses are disposed of at prices ranging from \$200 to \$350 per team. Western range horses are also offering in considerable numbers.

Minneapolis Markets.

Compared with a week ago flour is 20c lower. Millfeed 25 to 50c lower, oats 1-2c lower, corn 1c lower, flax seed 3c lower, poultry 1c lower, hay 50c lower.

Flour—Prices in barrels. First patents, \$3.50 to \$3.60; second patents, \$3.30 to \$3.40.

Millfeed—Shorts in bulk, \$9.75 to \$10.25; bran in bulk, \$10.00 to \$10.50; corn feed, \$12.75 to \$14.75 per ton as to quality.

Oats—No. 3 white, 27 1-4c.

Corn—Quoted at 30 1-4c; for No. 3 yellow, 30c for No. 3, and 28 to 29c for No. 4.

Barley—35 to 40c.

Flax seed—\$1.16 1-2 per bushel.

Eggs—12 1-2c to 13c for strictly fresh, including cases; seconds, 9c.

Cheese—Choice to fancy, 11c to 13 1-2c, fair to good, 9 to 10c.

Butter—Creamery, 18 to 20c for choice to extras; seconds, 13 to 15c; dairy, 14 to 15c for choice to fancy; seconds, 13 to 13 1-2c.

Hides—Green salted hides, 81-4c for No. 1; 71-4c for No. 2; green salted steers, 73-4 and 83-4c; bulls, oxen and brans, 6 to 71-2c; sheepskins, 25 to 70c each; veal, calf, 9 1-4 to 10 3-4c; tallow, 3 to 4c; seneca root, 22 to 24c.

Apples—No. 1 stock, \$5.50 to \$6 per barrel, boxes, \$2 to \$2.25.

Dressed meats—Mutton, 5 to 7 1-2c; lamb 5 to 8 1-2c; veal, 6 to 9c; hogs, light, 4 1-2c, medium, 4 1-2c; heavy, 4 to 4 1-4c.

Poultry—Chickens, 9 1-2 to 11 1-2c; hens, 7 to 10c; roosters, 4 to 5c; turkeys, 9 to 12c; ducks, 6 to 11c; geese, 5 to 10c.

Potatoes—Straight varieties per bushel, 45 to 60c; mixed, white, 43 to 48c; mixed, red, 38 to 43c.

Wool—Unwashed, fine, 10 to 13c; medium, 14 to 15c; coarse, 13 to 14c.

Hay—\$7.50 to \$8.00 per ton for timothy mixed clover, \$5 to \$6.

Live stock—Hogs, \$3.70 to \$3.75; sheep range, \$3.90 to \$5.25; cattle, stockers, \$3.40 to \$4.60; butchers' steers, \$4 to \$5; butchers' cows, \$2 to \$4.35.

BRITISH LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Liverpool, April 3—Owing to increased supplies of cattle and a limited demand, the tone of the market was weaker, and prices show a decline of 1-2c since this day week. Choice American cattle sold at 12c, Canadians at 11 1-2c.

London, April 3—Trade was of a holiday character, and prices a shade lower. Choice Canadian cattle sold at 11 1-2c.

LIVERPOOL PRICES.

Liverpool, April 7—Wheat, spot firm, No. 1 California 6s 4d to 6s 5d; No. 1 red northern spring 6s 1d.

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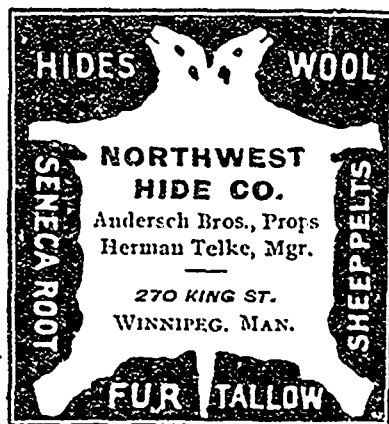
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