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VEGETABLES WERE STRONG FEATURE

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NEW OATS ADVANCING

Sales Reported as High as \$1.50, But Some Sold as Low as \$1.32—Other Quotations.

Vegetables were the strongest feature on the market this morning, and they were offered in very large quantities. The demand, however, was not as brisk as usual, due probably to the very large sales of the past few days. Tomatoes were selling at 20 to 25 cents a basket, and had a very good sale. Corn was somewhat lower in price, bringing 10 cents a dozen, potatoes, of which there was a very considerable supply offered, sold at 90 cents to \$1. Gherkins appeared for the first time this morning, and opened at 20 to 30 cents a hundred.

Supply of Fruit.

The supply of fruit was very large, though the smaller fruits are beginning to disappear from the market. There are still a very few black currants and raspberries, but these are practically done. Thimbleberries were quite plentiful, selling at 9 to 10 cents a box, and dewberries were offered at 10 to 12 cents. Apples are still a great luxury, though there were more offered on this morning's market than usual. They brought 40 cents a basket, and \$1 to \$1.25 by the bushel.

New Oats.

New oats showed a very decided tendency to advance today, one load going as low as \$1.32, but other loads were reported as high as \$1.47 and \$1.50. Old oats remained at the regular figure that has prevailed for the past few days, \$1.25 to \$1.30. Hay again advanced in a very pronounced degree. Twelve dollars was the lowest price paid, while the better quality sold readily at \$13. There was a comparatively small supply, some dozen loads in all, and the demand was very strong.

Other prices are as follows:

Grain.	
New wheat, per bu.	\$1.25 to \$1.30
Old wheat, per bu.	\$1.15 to \$1.20
Oats, per cwt.	13.25 to 14.00
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Barley, per cwt.	12.00 to 12.50
Corn, per cwt.	10.00 to 10.50
Peas, per cwt.	15.00 to 15.50
Buckwheat, per cwt.	12.00 to 12.50
Beans, per bu.	1.15 to 1.20
Rye, per bu.	1.05 to 1.10

Hay and Straw.

New hay, per ton.	12.00 to 12.50
Straw, per ton.	6.00 to 7.00
Straw, per load.	7.00 to 7.50

Dairy Produce.

Butter, creamery, lb.	24 to 25
Butter, rolls, lb.	20 to 22
Butter, crack, lb.	20 to 22
Eggs, fresh, doz.	20 to 22
Honey, strained, lb.	10 to 12
Honey, in comb., lb.	10 to 12

Poultry, Dressed.

Turkeys, per lb.	12 to 14
Old fowl, per lb.	9 to 10
Ducks, dressed, pair.	90 to 115
Spring chickens, pair.	60 to 80

Butchers' Meats.

Beef, by the carcass.	5.50 to 7.00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt.	7.00 to 7.25
Mutton, per cwt.	7.00 to 7.25
Veal, per cwt.	6.00 to 6.50
Spring lambs, per lb.	13 to 15
Spring lamb, by the piece.	5.00 to 6.00
Dressed hogs, per cwt.	10.50 to 10.75

Hides and Wool.

Wool, washed, per lb.	20 to 22
Wool, unwashed, per lb.	12 to 14
Hides, No. 1, per lb.	10 to 12
Hides, No. 2, per lb.	9 to 10
Hides, No. 3, per lb.	8 to 9
Calfskins, per lb.	14 to 15
Sheepskins, each.	1.00 to 1.40
Tallow, rough, lb.	6 to 8
Tallow, rendered, lb.	5 to 6

Live Stock.

Select hogs, per cwt.	7.00 to 7.50
Sows, per cwt.	5.00 to 5.50
Spring lambs, per lb.	13 to 15
Export cattle, cwt.	4.50 to 5.00
Milk cows, each.	20 to 30

Vegetables.

New potatoes, per bu.	90 to 100
Sage, per dozen.	20 to 25
Lettuce, per dozen.	20 to 25
Raspberries, per dozen.	20 to 25
Rhubarb, per dozen.	20 to 25
Green onions, per dozen.	20 to 25
Cucumbers, per dozen.	20 to 25
Peas, per bushel.	10 to 15
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Black currants, quart.	12 to 14
Black currants, half gal.	12 to 14
Red currants, per box.	10 to 12
Black raspberries, per box.	10 to 12
Apples, per bushel.	1.00 to 1.25
Peaches, 6-quart basket.	40 to 60
Pears, 6-quart basket.	40 to 60
Dewberries, per bushel.	10 to 12
Apples, per basket.	40 to 60
Thimbleberries, per bushel.	10 to 12

Milked.

Shorts, wholesale, ton.	22.00 to 23.00
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SPLENDID ATTRACTIONS FOR GRAND OPERA HOUSE

The Season Opens on Saturday Next—Some of the Good Things.

The regular season of the Grand Opera House will not open until Sept. 13 (Fair week), during which no less than four attractions will be played—"The Burgomaster," Sept. 13 and 14; "The Man From Home," Sept. 15 and 16; "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway," and John Cort's magnificent new production of the well-known comic opera, "King Dodo," Sept. 17 and 18.

A short preliminary season will be given at the Grand during the latter part of August, including "Texas," for Saturday night of this week, Aug. 21; the big Cohan and Harris musical success, "The Talk of New York," with Victor Moore in the principal comedy role, Aug. 27, and Eugene Walter's popular comedy performance, "Paid in Full," on Saturday night, Aug. 28.