SHORTAGE OF OIL ON PACIFIC COAST

Production 10,000,000 Barrels Under Requirements.

RAPID INCREASE IN USE

Gasoline Bought in Mid Continent Field at Above Parity With Selling Prices in West.

Instructions have been issued to all agents of the Standard Oil company of California to take no contracts for the sale of fuel oil without referring to the home office in San Francisco. At the same time it has been decided that exportations of refined products, already materially curtailed, shall be kept at a minimum and be only such as to meet the company contractual obligations, says a statement issued by K. R. Kingsbury, president of the company.

The condition of the petroleum industry which has necessitated these actions is one which so closely and importantly touches the interests of the public, industrially and otherwise, that a description of it will be useful in giving a thorough understanding of the situation which exists. In its simplest terms, it is that the crude oil production of California is not sufficient to meet the demands. President Kingsbury's statement says:

"California was called upon in 1919 to supply approximately 475,000,000 gallons of naphtha products. This quantity could not be obtained from the production of crude oil in California and the shortage of over 20,000,000 gallons was imported from the east. With the demand for gasoline and heavier fuels in direct proportion to the number of internal combustion engines, embracing automobiles, trucks, tractors, marine motors and pumping plants and the production of this class of equipment constantly increasing, the 1920 demand for naphtha products, it is estimated, will exceed the 1919 demand by at least 25 per cent, indicating a total requirement of 600,000,000 gallons. From the present supply of crude oil, the total possible production of naphtha products is but 450,000,000 gallons, indicating a shortage in the products named to 150,000,000 gallons.

"While heretofore gasoline has been purchased in the mid-continent field, such purchases must necessarily be made on a competitive basis with eastern buyers. The wholesale prices of gasoline in the mid-continent field today, at points of manufacture, are 18 to 19 cents per gallon. Add to this price 7 cents per gallon, the cost of bringing the product to the coast in tank cars, and the gasoline would sell at San Francisco at between 25 and 30 cents per gallon, as against the present price of 21½ cents.

"There are two simple factors, production and consumption. Today the crude oil production of California is 25,000 barrels daily less than the requirements and the deficiency for 1920 at the present rate of production will exceed 10,000,000 barrels. Since 1916 stocks have decreased 14,000,000 barrels which means that the public consumed that quantity over the amount produced. Stocks of crude oil on hand today of 50,000,000 barrels are lower than at any time since 1910 and of this quantity, it is estimated only 14,000,000 barrels are available for the market. At least 10,000,000 barrels are required as a working capital, or, so to speak, 'as merchandise on the shelf,' and the remaining 6,000,000 barrels are in pipe lines and tank bottoms and entirely unavailable.

"This company has been successful in increasing its production of crude oil. In 1918 the increase was 4,500,000 barrels over 1917, and in 1919 3,000,000 barrels over 1918, but even these considerable increases on the part of one company do not save the whole situation. In view of the shortage existing, the company has increased the prices it offers for refinable crude oil. Other purchasers of refinable crude oil have been paying large premiums over the prices offered by the Standard Oil company.

"The remedies are increased production and importations, and to a lesser extent but quite as important, conservation and the elimination of waste by careful and scientific handling of petroleum and its products by the oil industry on the one hand and its scientific and careful use by the public on the other hand."

DOLLAR DECLINE IN MILLRUN PRICE

No Trading in Wheat in Northwest; Corn Sharply Lower.

Millrun prices were reduced $1 a ton yesterday to $42.50 for carlots at mill. Stocks are accumulating with the increase in green feed.

The wheat market was lifeless locally and throughout the country. Minneapolis was 5 cents higher.

There was but little interest in coarse grains. Corn bids at the Merchants' Exchange were reduced $2@2.75. There were no offers for oats or barley.

Weather conditions in the middle west, as wired from Chicago: "Northern Illinois, cloudy, cool, raining; Western Illinois, cloudy, warmer; Central Illinois, cloudy, cool; Western Missouri, very foggy and damp; Eastern Kansas, cloudy, calm, cool; Ohio valley, clear, cool; Omaha district, cloudy, cool; Kentucky, part cloudy, warmer; Tennessee, cloudy, warmer; Minnesota, clear, cold; Canada, part cloudy, cold. Forecast: Generally fair and colder tonight and Tuesday, except warmer extreme west portion."

Terminal receipts, in cars, were reported by the mechants' Exchange as follows:

	Wheat.	Barley.	Flour.	Oats.	Hay
Portland, Mon..	28	...	17	...	8
Year ago	6	...	9	2	17
Season to date.	5853	169	2771	397	1262
Year ago	6113	861	1713	586	2451
Tacoma, Sat....	10	...	....	2	....
Year ago	1	...	....	2	1
Season to date.	4846	68	....	143	641
Year ago	4588	25	....	131	962
Seattle Sat.....	19	1	4	7	4
Season to date.	4390	225	516	543	1009
Year ago	4654	52	975	495	2132

MORE BUTTER SHIPPED TO SOUTH

Eggs Weak With Little Outside Demand; Poultry Steady.

The butter market was steady, with the best cubes held at 58½@59 cents. Further shipments of fresh butter to San Francisco were announced.

Eggs were inclined to be weak, as there was little outside demand. The country buying price was 42½ cents delivered, and the same price was offered on the street, case count.

Poultry and dressed meat receipts were moderate and quotations were unchanged.

Decline in Wheat Supply.

The American visible wheat supply compares as follows:

	Bushels.	Decrease.
February 9, 1920....	58,234,000	2,125,000
February 10, 1919....	129,302,000	1,311,000
February 11, 1918....	12,643,000	1,226,000
February 13, 1917....	47,888,000	833,000
February 14, 1916....	66,496,000	619,000

The corn visible is 3,664,000 bushels, an increase of 89,000 bushels; oats visible, 11,283,000, decrease 267,000 bushels; rye visible, 19,574,000 bushels, increase 379,000 bushels.

Potato Trade Is Slow.

The local potato market was very slow and prices, while unchanged, were no more than steady. No shipments to the south were reported.

Poor Wheat Outlook in Australia.

Melbourne advices say railway authorities estimate the 1919-20 wheat yield in the state of Victoria at 13,578,134 bushels, versus 25,239,871 bushels harvested last season, a decrease of 46.17 per cent. The unfavorable weather conditions will, it is feared, reduce the average yield per acre to 5.62 bushels, versus 9.62 bushels last season. Australian wheat shipments last week were 1,784,000 bushels.

FLOUR PRODUCTION HOLDING EVEN

Wheat Receipts From Farms Larger in Week Reported.

The 39th weekly bulletin covering wheat and wheat flour movement throughout the United States for the week ending January 30, in comparison with figures for the same period a year ago, follows:

	Bushels. 1920.	Bushels. 1919.
Wheat receipts from farms.....	6,421,000	8,371,000
Wheat receipts from farms previous week	5,671,000	6,267,000
Wheat receipts from farms June 27 to January 30	652,257,000	672,748,000
	Barrels.	Barrels.
Flour produced during week ...	2,701,000	2,270,000
Flour produced previous week..	2,859,000	2,314,000
Flour produced June 27 to January 30	88,282,000	74,244,000
	Bushels.	Bushels.
Total stocks wheat all elevators and mills	210,948,000	245,683,000
Total stocks wheat all elevators and mills previous week	217,148,000	247,159,000
Change for week decrease	6,210,000	1,476,000

Exports of wheat and flour July 1 to January 30 amount to 85,892,000 bushels of wheat and 9,738,000 barrels of flour, making a total equal to 129,715,000 bushels of wheat compared with 114,633,000 bushels of wheat and 12,580,000 barrels of flour last year to January 30, 1919, making a total equal to 171,241,000 bushels of wheat.

Salt Prices Advanced.

General advances were announced in salt prices yesterday. Baled salt moved up 25@50c a bale and fine salt $4 a ton. Half-ground salt was advanced $1 on 50s and 75 cents on 100s.

Bank Clearings.

Bank clearings of the northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Portland	$5,617,075	$1,099,205
Seattle	6,040,007	1,552,288
Tacoma	632,515	170,679
Spokane	2,517,030	851,962

PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

Merchants' Exchange, noon session:

	February. Bid.	March. Bid.
Eastern oats and corn, bulk:		
Oats—		
38-lb. clipped	$55.00	$55.00
Corn—		
No. 3 yellow	55.00	55.00

WHEAT—Government basis, $2.20 per bushel.

FLOUR—Family patents, $13.15; bakers' hard wheat, $12.75; whole wheat, $12.65; graham, $11.80; valley, $11.40; straights, $11 per barrel.

MILLFEED—Prices f. o. b. mill, city carlage $2 extra. Mill run, car lots of mixed cars, $43.50 per ton; rolled barley, $73; rolled oats, $66.50; ground barley, $73; scratch feed, $80.

CORN—Whole, $67; cracked, $69 per ton.

HAY—Buying prices, f. o. b. Portland. Alfalfa, $31.50; cheat, $20; clover, $26; oats and vetch, $26; valley timothy, $29@28.

Dairy and Country Produce.

BUTTER—Cubes, extras, 58½@59c per lb.; prints, parchment wrappers, box lots, 62c; cartons, 63c; half boxes, ½c more; less than half boxes, 1c more; butterfat, No. 1, 59@60c per pound at stations; Portland delivery, ordinary grades, 62c; A grade, 64c.

EGGS—Jobbing prices to retailers: Oregon ranch, candled, 45@46c; selects, 50c.

CHEESE—Tillamook, f. o. b. Tillamook: Triplets, 32c; Young Americas, 33c; longhorns, 33c. Coos and Curry, f. o. b. Myrtle Point: Triplets, 31c; Young Americas, 32½c.

POULTRY—Hens, 28@33c; springs, 28c; ducks, 35@40c; geese, 20@25c; turkeys, live, 40c; dressed, choice, 52c.

VEAL—Fancy, 26c per pound.

PORK—Fancy, 20@21c per pound.

Fruits and Vegetables.

FRUITS—Oranges, $4@6; lemons, $6.25@7.25 per box; grapefruit, $3.25@7 per box; bananas, 10@11c per pound; apples, 60c@$2.75 per box; cranberries, $5@5.50 per box, $15 per barrel.

carrots, $1.50@1.75 per sack; celery, $9.50

VEGETABLES—Cabbage, 5½@7c per lb.; lettuce, $2.75@3.50 per crate; beets, $3.50 per sack; cucumbers, $2@2.25 doz.; carrots, $1.50@1.75 per sack; celery, $9.50@10.50 per crate; horseradish, 15c per pound; garlic, 40c per pound; turnips $3.50 per sack; cauliflower, $1.75@3.25 per crate; tomatoes, $5 per box; sprouts, 17@17½c per pound; parsnips, $3.50 per sack; artichokes, $2 per dozen; peppers, 35c per pound; spinach, $2.75@4.25 per box; rhubarb, 20c per pound.

POTATOES—Oregon, $4@4.50 per sack; Yakimas, $4.75@5.25; sweets, 7@8½c per pound.

ONIONS—Oregon, 5@5½c per pound.

Staple Groceries.

Local jobbing quotations:

SUGAR—Sack basis: Cane, granulated, 15.90c per pound; beet, 11.27c; extra C, 15.50c; Golden C, 15.40c; Yellow D, 15.30c; cube, in barrels, 16.75c.

NUTS—Walnuts, 32@39c; Brazil nuts, 30c; filberts, 35c; almonds, 35@38c; peanuts, 15@15½c; chestnuts, 25c; pecans, 32c; hickory nuts 15@16c; cocoanuts, $2 per dozen.

SALT—Half ground, 100s, $17.75 per ton; 50s, $19.50 per ton; dairy, $25@28 per ton.

RICE—Blue Rose, 16c per pound.

BEANS—White, 8¼c; pink, 8¼c; lima, 17c per pound; bayous, 10c; Mexican red, 8c per pound.

COFFEE—Roasted, in drums, 39@51c.

Provisions.

Local jobbing quotations:

HAMS—All sizes, 34@37c; skinned, 27 @35c; picnic, 27@28c; cottage roll, 40c.

LARD—Tierce basis, 30½c; compound, 28¼c per pound.

DRY SALT—Short, clear backs, 28@32c; plates, 23c.

BACON—Fancy, 41@50c; standard, 33 @39c.

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET

Prices Current on Vegetables, Fresh Fruits, Etc., at Bay City.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Butter, extra grade, 63½c; prime firsts, 63c.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 48½c; firsts, 47c; extra pullets, 41½c; undersized, 41½c.

Cheese—Old-style California flats, fancy, 31c; firsts, 28½c.

Poultry—California hens, 38@40c; strictly young roosters, 37@39c; fryers, 41@43c; broilers, 40@43c; ducks, 30@32c; belgian hares, 16@18c; jackrabbits, $3@3.50 per dozen; turkeys, dressed, 52@53c; live, 43 @45c.

Vegetables—Eggplant, southern, 7@10c per pound; bell peppers, southern, 7@12½c; squash, large lug, cream squash, 75@85c; hubbard, $1.25@1.75 per sack; tomatoes, southern, $1@1.75 per crate; Florida tomatoes, $7@8 per crate; potatoes, Rivers, $4.50@5 per cental; sweet, 4@5½c per pound; Oregon Burbanks, $5@5.25; Oregon American Wonders, $5.25@5.50; onions, yellow and white, $4.50 per cental on street; Australian brown, $3@3.25 on the street; cucumbers, hothouse, $4@4.50 per box for No. 1; English, $2.75@3; garlic, 22 @25c per pound; beans, 10@15c; celery, $7@8 per crate; artichokes, 75c@$1.25; turnips, $1.50@1.75; beets, $1.75@2; carrots, $1.25@1.50; cauliflower, $1.25@1.75 per dozen; lettuce, southern, 75c@$1.25; peas, 12½@15c; asparagus, 40c per lb.; spinach, crate, $2.25; green onions, $2@ 2.25 per box.

Fruit—Oranges, navels, $4@5; lemons, $4.50@5.50; grapefruit, $2.25@3.75 box; tangerines, $2@3 per half orange box; bananas, $7@10; pineapples, $3@4 per dozen; pears, cooking, $1@1.50 per lug; ditto Winter Nellis, $3@4; apples, Rhode Island Greenings, $1.75@2 for four-tier and $1.50@1.75 for 4½ tier; Newtowns, $2.25@2.50; Oregon Spitzenberg, $2.50@ 3.25; Baldwin, $2@2.25; Oregon Newtown pippins, $2.50@3; rhubarb, bay stock, $2.50 @3 per box; southern, $2@2.50 per box.

Receipts—Flour, 8082 quarters; wheat, 840 centals; barley, 7502 centals; oats, 9327 centals; beans, 6143 sacks; corn, 3000 centals; potatoes, 4047 sacks; onions, 400 sacks; hay, 271 tons; eggs, 63,390 dozen; oranges, 6500 boxes.

Naval Stores.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 9.—Turpentine dull, $1.96; sales, none; receipts, 57 barrels; shipments, 129 barrels; stock, 9606 barrels.

Rosin, dull; sales, none; receipts, 361 barrels; shipments, 199 barrels; stock, 36,568 barrels. Quote: B, $17.90; D, $18.10 @18.25; E, $18.10@18.25; F, $18.15@18.30; G, H, $18.35; I, $18.35@18.45; K, $19.25; M, $19.75; N, $20; WG, $20.50; WW, $20.75.

Duluth Linseed Market.

DULUTH, Feb. 9.—Linseed, $4.90@5.

STOCK DECLINE CHECKED

PRICES RALLY WHEN MONEY MARKET TURNS EASIER.

Improvement in Foreign Exchange Situation Is Also Factor; Tone of Bonds Irregular.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Nervousness was the dominant note sounded by today's apathetic stock market, prices recording progressive reactions after the firm opening, but rallying irregularly when money eased in the last hour.

Market gossip and letters circulated by the brokers and commission houses over the week-end dwelt upon the uncertainties underlying the general financial situation and such opinions as were vouchsafed expressed belief in further liquidation.

Foreign exchange and local money conditions were unmistakably better, the London rate retaining most of its recent recovery, while call money was freely offered at 8 per cent after opening at 14 per cent.

Some stocks were carried under last week's lowest quotations, shippings displaying conspicuous weakness as a result of selling impelled by the belief that they are likely to suffer severely in any further curtailment of foreign trade. Leathers were among other heavy stocks. Sales amounted to 775,000 shares.

The general bond market was hesitant, minor reactions predominating in investment issues, the liberty group and internationals. Sales, par value, aggregated $13,850,000. Old United States coupon and registered 2s and 4s advanced ¼ per cent on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing bid.
Am Beet Sug..	1,100	83¾	82	82½
Am Can	6,200	49¾	48	49
Am Car & Fdy.	1,700	133½	131½	133½
Am H & L pfd.	2,900	110½	108¾	110
Am Loco	3,900	92	90	92
Am Sm & Rfg.	2,800	63½	62½	62¾
Am Sug Rfg...	100	128½	127½	127½
Am Sum Tob..	1,000	85¼	84½	85¼
Am T & T....	800	97¾	97¼	97¾
Am Z L & S..	300	16¾	16¾	16¾
Anaconda Cop.	5,400	57⅞	56¾	57⅞
Atchison	1,500	81	79¾	81
A G & W I S S..	3,700	153¼	145	150
Bald Loco	47,100	112⅞	109	112⅞
B & O.....	1,700	31¾	30	30¾
Beth Steel "B".	12,400	91¼	89¼	91¼
B & S Cop....	200	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
Calif Petrol ...	1,100	32	32	32
Can Pacif	1,300	121½	120	121½
Cent Leather..	1,400	83⅞	81⅞	82½
Ches & Ohio...	900	52	50⅞	52
C M & St P...	3,000	34	32⅞	33⅞
Chi & N W....	300	80½	80	80
C R I & P....	4,400	26½	25½	26½
Chino Cop	300	35¼	35	35¼
C F & I.....	700	39	38¾	39
Corn Products.	2,200	81	80	80¼
Crucible Steel	15,400	214¾	209¼	212
Cuba Cane Sug	2,000	46	45	46
Dist Sec Corp..	2,000	59½	58¾	59¼
Erie	2,300	12½	12	12
Gen Elec	1,500	156½	153	156
Gen Motors ...	27,400	267½	258	265½
Gt Nor pfd....	2,000	75	74¼	74¾
Gt Nor Ore ctfs	1,700	36¾	35¾	36¼
Gt Cent	300	85¼	85	85
Insp Cop	3,400	52	51	52
I M M pfd.....	7,700	85	80	83½
Int Nickel	2,700	21¼	21¼	21¼
Int Paper	6,400	78½	77¾	77¾
K C South	400	15	14¾	15
Ken Cop	2,500	28¾	28¼	28¼
Louis & Nash	...	...	...	100
Mex Petrol....	13,100	178	171	174
Miami Cop	300	22½	22¼	22½
Mid Steel	4,100	46½	45¾	46½
Mis Pacif	2,700	23⅞	22¾	23⅞
Nev Cop	700	14⅞	14½	14⅞
N Y Cent.....	2,200	67½	66¾	67½
N Y N H & H..	2,900	26¼	25¾	25¾
Nor & West	400	92	91	91¾
North Pacif	2,400	75¾	74	74½
Pan-Am Petrol.	10,100	81	79	81
Pennsylvania ..	3,700	41½	40¾	41½
Pitts & W Va..	1,000	26	25½	26
Pitts Coal	1,900	55¼	55¼	55¼
Ray Con Cop...	1,200	20¼	20	20
Reading	4,000	72	68½	70½
Rep Ir & Steel.	32,000	107⅞	105	107¼
Shat Ariz Cop.	500	11	11	11
Sin Oil & Rfg..	34,600	38	36	37¾
South Pacif	12,900	95	93¾	94½
South Ry	3,900	20½	19¾	20¼
Studebaker Corp	41,300	93	89½	91¾
Texas Co	4,600	180	175½	178
Tob Prod	4,300	76	74¼	74¾
Union Pacif ...	3,600	118½	116¾	117¾
Un Ret Stores.	6,200	76½	72	75¾
U S Ind Alc....	4,400	93¾	90½	93
U S Steel	80,600	100⅞	98⅞	100⅞
do pfd	2,800	111⅞	110¾	110⅞
Utah Cop.....	1,600	73	71½	72⅞
West Union	400	85¼	85	85
Westing Elec..	3,400	51¼	50	50¾
Willys-Over ..	6,800	26½	25¾	26⅜
Nat Lead	600	78¼	77½	78¼
Ohio Cities Gas	4,900	44	43	44
Roy Dutch N Y.	6,200	100⅞	99¼	100¼

BONDS.

88s	2 sg	Anglo-Fr 5s	93¾
88s	2 sg	A T & T cv 6s.	97¼
90s	2 op	Atch gen 4s....	76¼
90s	2 op	B & O con 4s..	61¾
100s	2 op	N Y C deb 6s..	92¼
100s	2 sg	S ÃN P 4s	74½
106s	2 op	N P 3s	51½
106s	2 sg	Atlantic Ref T & T 5s..	*95
106s	2 op	Pa con 4½s....	90⅞
106s	2 op	S P cv 5s.....	*100
106s	2 op	So Ry 5s	83¼
106s	2 op	U P 4s	81
106s	2 op	U S Steel 5s....	96¾
106s	2 op		

*Bid.

Minnig Stocks at Boston.

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—Closing quotations:

Allouez	30	North Butte	16¼
Ariz Com	12	Old Dom	32
Calu & Ariz	60¼	Quincy	60
Calu & Hecla..	360	Superior	4½
Cop Range	43	Sup & Boston..	5
East Butte	13	Shannon	1¾
Franklin	3½	Utah Con	8¾
Isle Royalle	32½	Winona	1½
Lake Copper...	3¾	Wolverine	18½
Mohawk	62	Greene Can	32½

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Mercantile paper, 6@8½.

Sterling 60-day bills, $3.33¾; commercial 60-day bills on banks, $3.33¾; commercial 60-day bills, $3.33¼; demand, $3.37; cables, $3.37¾. Francs, demand, 14.52; cables, 14.50. Belgian francs, demand, 14.07; cables, 14.05; guilders, demand, 37.80; cables, 37.90; lire, demand, 18.52; cables, 18.50. Marks, demand, 1.01; cables, 1.02.

Drafts on London and several continental centers ruled higher in the late dealings. Sterling, 60-day bills, $3.34½; commercial, 60-day bills on banks, $3.34½; commercial, 60-day bills, $3.34; demand, $3.37¾; cables, $3.38½. Francs, demand, 18.42; cables, 18.40.

Time loans, strong; 60 days, 90 days and six months, 8½.

Call money, easy. High, 14; low, 8; ruling rate, 14; closing bid, 8; offered at 9; last loan 8.

Bar silver, $1.33. Mexican dollars, 1.02¼.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Bar silver, 88½d per ounce. Money 4¼ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 5¾@5 13-16 per cent; three-months bills, 5¾@5 13-16 per cent.

HOGS HIGHER AT YARDS

ADVANCE OF QUARTER ON TOP GRADE OFFERINGS.

Best Lambs Also Bring Better Price—Buyers Pay $13 for Grain-Fed Steers.

There was a good run of 101 loads at the stockyards yesterday and a very active market. Hogs were the firmest feature of the day's trading and moved up a quarter with tops at $16.25. There was also an advance in lambs from east of the mountains. The cattle market was generally steady throughout. Grain-fed steers from eastern Oregon sold at $13.

Receipts were 205 cattle, 24 calves, 1440 hogs and 1416 sheep.

The day's sales were as follows:

	Wgt.	Price.		Wgt.	Price.
25 steers.	955	$ 8.75	35 hogs..	224	$16.25
26 steers.	1021	10.00	91 hogs..	185	16.20
8 steers.	999	9.50	4 hogs..	312	14.25
6 steers.	971	8.00	6 hogs..	195	15.00
14 steers.	1077	9.75	97 hogs..	122	15.25
15 steers.	886	9.75	0 hogs..	188	15.75
24 steers.	990	8.85	113 hogs.	82	14.50
22 steers.	778	9.50	1 lamb..	120	17.80
29 steers.	1021	10.35	236 lambs	83	17.80
7 steers.	978	8.00	14 lambs.	86	17.00
11 steers.	987	9.00	59 lambs.	83	18.00
5 steers.	1018	10.25	11 lambs.	61	15.50
26 steers.	975	9.00	9 lambs.	73	17.00
5 steers.	768	5.25	11 lambs.	94	17.00
15 steers.	1074	11.25	84 ewes..	105	12.00
21 steers.	906	10.75	60 ewes..	107	12.00
3 steers.	996	9.00	21 ewes..	196	12.00
15 steers.	928	10.75	55 ewes..	102	9.50
13 steers.	1211	11.65	1 wether	60	10.00
27 steers.	879	9.75	1 buck..	160	7.00
24 steers.	940	10.80	2 steers.	893	9.25
40 steers.	1116	11.50	3 steers.	856	10.50
27 steers.	1121	11.35	28 steers.	892	10.00
26 steers.	1090	11.40	1 steer..	490	9.00
26 steers.	1171	11.00	26 steers.	1017	11.50
28 steers.	1026	11.40	27 steers.	1029	10.50
23 steers.	1237	13.00	27 steers.	824	11.00
13 steers.	923	9.50	33 steers.	904	11.25
6 steers.	950	10.00	12 steers.	1048	10.25
22 steers.	1119	11.50	11 steers.	1140	11.50
26 steers.	965	10.65	1 bull....	1340	7.50
8 cows.	857	6.00	2 bulls..	1330	7.50
8 cows.	923	8.00	1 cow...	930	7.00
13 cows.	975	8.50	21 cows..	975	10.00
9 cows.	1017	6.50	20 cows..	952	9.00
6 cows.	783	5.50	2 cows..	1075	9.00
39 cows.	997	8.75	22 cows..	934	8.25
11 cows.	983	7.00	3 cows..	874	8.00
11 cows.	547	7.75	23 cows..	858	7.50
19 cows.	852	9.00	3 cows..	926	9.00
9 cows.	1000	9.00	3 cows..	1103	7.75
4 cows.	950	6.50	5 cows..	1132	10.25
11 calves	154	16.00	2 cows..	850	7.00
1 calf..	190	16.00	7 cows..	1141	9.00
3 calves	123	17.00	16 cows..	1222	10.50
2 calves	140	17.00	5 cows..	992	8.50
28 calves	176	14.00	1 cow...	990	5.00
27 calves	175	14.00	2 cows..	950	7.00
22 calves	360	12.50	1 cow...	600	10.00
3 calves	208	12.00	29 cows..	939	8.75
18 calves	221	11.50	1 cow...	1210	6.50
12 calves	150	17.00	25 cows..	970	8.50
20 calves	349	12.00	4 cows..	1350	7.75
10 calves	247	15.50	5 cows..	960	9.50
14 calves	165	17.00	1 cow...	1180	10.50
1 bull..	1480	7.50	5 cows..	1150	10.50
1 bull..	1520	7.75	2 cows..	1120	8.00
1 bull..	1710	8.75	2 cows..	1110	8.50
2 bulls..	1500	7.00	12 calves.	196	16.00
1 bull..	810	6.50	4 calves	130	17.00
1 bull..	1115	7.50	6 calves	166	17.00
1 bull..	1140	7.50	2 calves	290	15.00
2 bulls.	1350	9.00	2 calves	295	11.00
7 bulls.	1310	7.50	3 calves	213	15.00
1 bull..	1150	8.00	1 calf...	220	15.00
1 bull..	1050	7.50	10 mixed.	929	8.00
1 bull..	1310	7.50	53 mixed.	723	7.50
7 mixed	448	6.00	3 hogs..	393	14.00
4 mixed	720	8.00	3 hogs..	244	14.00
23 mixed	818	8.25	2 hogs..	210	16.75
7 mixed	840	8.00	1 hog...	270	14.00
3 mixed	903	8.00	33 hogs..	217	16.00
26 mixed	619	8.00	1 hog...	450	14.00
5 hogs..	176	14.00	4 hogs..	212	16.00
94 hogs..	200	16.25	65 hogs..	218	16.00
15 hogs..	196	15.00	11 hogs..	188	16.00
14 hogs..	167	15.50	43 hogs..	203	16.10
70 hogs..	220	15.75	2 hogs..	240	16.00
93 hogs..	185	16.35	2 hogs..	145	15.75
13 hogs..	268	15.65	2 hogs..	470	14.00
4 hogs..	227	15.75	1 hog...	230	14.00
36 hogs..	220	15.70	1 hog...	470	14.00
90 hogs..	194	16.30	2 hogs..	375	14.00
11 hogs..	207	14.30	1 lamb..	110	15.00
4 hogs..	247	15.85	6 lambs.	83	15.00
32 hogs..	217	15.85	9 lambs.	73	16.50
9 hogs..	197	14.30	12 lambs.	82	12.00

Livestock prices at the local yard follow:

Cattle—	Price.
Best steers	$11.50@12.50
Good to choice steers.....	11.00@11.50
Medium to good steers.....	9.50@10.50
Fair to good steers.....	8.50@ 9.50
Common to fair steers.....	7.50@ 8.50
Choice cows and heifers.....	9.50@10.50
Good to choice cows, heifers..	8.50@ 9.50
Medium to good cows, heifers.	7.50@ 8.50
Fair to medium cows, heifers.	6.50@ 7.50
Canners	3.50@ 6.50
Bulls	6.25@ 8.50
Prime light calves	15.00@17.00
Heavy calves	7.00@12.50
Stockers and feeders.....	8.00@ 9.50
Hogs—	
Prime mixed	15.75@16.25
Medium and mixed	15.25@15.75
Rough heavy	11.00@15.25
Pigs	13.00@15.00
Sheep—	
Eastern lambs	17.00@18.00
Light valley lambs	15.00@16.50
Heavy valley lambs	14.00@14.50
Feeder lambs	12.00@15.00
Wethers	13.00@13.50
Yearlings	13.50@14.00
Ewes	10.00@12.00

Chicago Livestock Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Hogs—Receipts 38,000, mostly steady with Saturday's average. Bulk, $14.40@15; top, $15.25; heavy, $14.25@14.85; medium, $14.40@15; light, $14.50@15.10; light light, $14.10@14.70; heavy packing sows, smooth, $13.50@14; packing sows, rough, $13@13.50; pigs, $13 @14.

Cattle—Receipts 24,000, weak. Beef steers, medium and heavyweight, choice and prime, $15@17; medium and good, $11 @15; common, $9@11; light weight, good and choice, $12@16; common and medium, $8.50@12; butcher cattle, heifers, $6.50@ 12.75; cows, $6.50@11.50; canners and cutters, $5.25@5.50; veal calves, $16.50@18; feeder steers, $7.85@11.75; stocker steers, $7@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts 15,000, higher. Lambs, 85 pounds down, $18@21; culls and common, $15@18; ewes, medium, good and choice, $10.75@13.75; culls and common, $6.50@10.25.

Omaha Livestock Market.

OMAHA, Feb. 9.—(United States bureau of markets.)—Hogs—Receipts 4800, active, 25c higher. Top, $14.40; bulk, $14.10@ 14.35; heavy weight, $14.20@14.35; med