# HOG VALUES SWING SHARPLY HIGHER

## ENGLISH MONEY RATE BOOSTED, STOCKS LOWER

### Fear of Local Discount Rise Causes Professional Selling.

### Average Stock Prices

Average price of twenty industrial stocks for Thursday, was 152.88, up .77. Average price of twenty rails for Thursday, was 107.30 off .07.

*By United Press*

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—An announcement from London before the opening of the stock market here that the Bank of England had advanced its re-discount rate to 5 per cent from 4 per cent was generally believed to foreshadow the immediate increase in the present 3½ per cent rate of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, to a 4 per cent basis. This anticipation caused some selling from professional sources in the initial transactions and prices opened generally lower.

United States Steel Common lost a point to 129½, Mack Trucks was off 1½ to 211½, Hudson ½ to 97¾. United States Rubber ⅝ to 88, American Can ¾ to 255½ and Baldwin ½ to 127⅛.

Stocks continued to move ahead in impressive style around noon, deriving stimulus from a floor of constructive news regarding business conditions throughout the country and from further sharp advance in wheat prices.

Trading showed a marked disposition to favor issues with bright dividend prospects. American Sugar common pushed into new high ground for the year at 75¾ on intimations that the stock was not likely to remain long on a $5 dividend basis now that payments have been resumed.

### Local Bank Clearings

—Dec. 3—

Indianapolis bank clearings for today amounted to $3,976,000. Debits for today totaled $7,237,000.

### Produce Markets

Eggs—Strictly fresh delivered at Indianapolis, 54c; loss off, ...

Poultry — Hens, 21c; Leghorns, 14c; springers 19c; Leghorns and blacks 15c; young turkeys, 33c; old turkeys 25c; cocks and stags 11c; ducks, 15c.

Butter — Jobbers selling prices to creamery butter fresh prints, 49@52c.

Cheese—Selling prices Domestic Swiss 32@43c; imported 53@59c; New York brick 28c, Wisconsin limburger 27½@28½c; Wisconsin Daisies 26¼c; Long Horns, 27@28c; American loaf 24c; pimento loaf 36c.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Butter—Receipts, 4,167; creamery 30¼c; standards 44¾c; firsts, 43½@44½c; seconds, 41@42½c. Eggs—Receipts, 2,412; ordinaries, 42@48c; firsts, 52@53c. Cheese—Twins, 24c; Americas, 24¾c. Poultry—Receipts, 7 cars; fowls 17@24½c; spring 25c; ducks, 18@21c; geese, 18c; turkeys, 30c; roosters, 16c. Potatoes—Receipts, 339 cars; Wisconsin and Minnesota whites, $3.50@3.65; poor, $2.75@3.25; Idaho russets, $3@3.45.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 3.—Poultry—Express fowls, heavy 25@26c; mediums, 22@23c; Leghorns and light stock, 16@17c; springers, 25@26c; Leghorn springers, 18@20c; cocks, 15@16c; heavy young ducks, 25@26c; light ducks, 20@22c; geese, 20@22c; guineas, $6.50 a dozen. Butter—Extra in tub lots, 54½@55½c; extra firsts, 52½@53½c; firsts, 49½@50½c; packing stock, 30c. Eggs—Northern Ohio extras, 65c; northern Ohio extras firsts, 60c; Ohio firsts, 56c; western firsts, 55c. Potatoes—Ohio, $2.10@2.25 a bushel. Indiana, $5 per 150 pounds; Idaho, $5 per 120 pounds; Idaho bakers, $3.50 per box; Colorado, $4.75@4.85 per 100-pound sack.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Flour—Dull, firm. Pork—Dull; mess, $38.50. Lard—Weak; Midwest, $14.40@14.50. Sugar—Easy; 96 test, 4.14c; refined easy; granulated, 5@5.50c. Coffee—Rio No. 7, 17c; Santos No. 4, 22½@23c. Tallow—Steady; special to extra, 10¼@10¾c. Hay—Easy; No. 1, $1.40@1.45; No. 3, $1@1.15; clover, $1@1.40. Dressed poultry—Dull; turkeys, 25@50c; chickens, 23@42c; capons, 30@55c; fowls, 12@33c; ducks, 16@30c; Long Islands, 29@31c. Live poultry—Firm; geese, 12@28c; ducks, 14@32c; fowls, 27@35c; turkeys, 16@35c; roosters, 18c; broilers, 35@42. Cheese—Dull; State milk common to special, 21@28c; Young Americas, 25@25¾c. Butter—Weaker; receipts, 8,104; creamery extras, 51c; special market, 51½@52c. Eggs—Quiet; receipts, 8,400; nearby white fancy, 68@77c; nearby State white, 56@76c; fresh firsts, 61@73c; Pacific coast first to extras, 50@76c; western whites, 46@77c.

### In the Sugar Market

(By Thomson & McKinnon)

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The temporary tightness of the sugar situation insofar as supplies for immediate shipment is concerned has apparently been alleviated and heavy offerings have again appeared slightly above 2¾ cents. Although recent heavy rains have retarded grinding operations somewhat, growing crops have been greatly benefited and less complaint is heard of damage.

### Local Wagon Wheat

Indianapolis mills and grain elevators are paying $1.70 for No. 2 red wheat. Other grades on their merits.

### TRAIN KILLS MAN

*By United Press*

FT. WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 3.—T. M. Dailey, 55, is dead here today as the result of slipping under the wheels of a freight car in the local railroad yards.

### 39 Legal Notices

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Howard W. Brydon, deceased, by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana, duly made and entered in a cause pending therein, wherein Theodore B. Brydon, Administrator, etc., is plaintiff and Julia E. Brydon and others are defendants, hereby gives notice that at 10 a. m., Jan. 2, 1926, at the office of Clerke & Clarke, 730-35 Bankers Trust Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana, he will offer for sale and from day to day thereafter will continue to offer for sale until sold, an undivided one-half interest in the following described real estate situated in Marion County, Indiana, to-wit:

That part of the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 4, Township 15 North, Range 4 East, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point in the middle of the National or Central Plank Road 836.2575 feet west of a point in the middle of said National or Central Plank Road where the east line of the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 4, Township 15 North of Range 4 East, intersects the same, running thence west along the said center of said National or Central Plank Road 90 feet, thence south 190 feet, thence east 90 feet, thence north to the place of beginning.

Lots Two Hundred Ninety-seven (297) and Two Hundred Ninety-eight (298), in Montrose, an addition to the city of Indianapolis, as per plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 14, page 128, in the office of the Recorder of Marion County, Indiana.

Lot Twenty-one (21) in Clarke's subdivision of Lots 66 and 67 in Original Irvington, now a part of the city of Indianapolis.

Lot Fifty-three (53), Fifty-five (55), Fifty-eight (58) and Fifty-nine (59), in Brookside Sunny Grove addition to the city of Indianapolis, and Lots Eighty-five (85), One Hundrde Two (102) and One Hundred Five (105), in Clarke's Brookside Gardens, an addition to the city of Indianapolis.

Lot Ninety-eight (98) in Heywoods' Boulevard Addition to the City of Indianapolis.

Said real estate will be sold for not less than the full appraised value thereof, and for cash in hand but subject to any unpaid taxes and municipal assessments.

Any sale made will be subject to the approval of the Marion Probate Court.

THEODORE B. BRYDON, Administrator.

CLARKE & CLARKE, Attorneys.

Dec. 3, 10, 17, 24, 1925.

## New York Stocks

(By Thomson & McKinnon)

All Quotations New York Time —Dec. 4—

| Railroads— | High. | Low. | 1:00. | Prev. close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atchison | 124¾ | ... | 123¾ | 124½ |
| Atl Cst L | 235 | ... | 235 | 233½ |
| B & O | 91⅝ | 90⅝ | 91⅝ | 90¾ |
| Canad Pac | ... | ... | ... | 146⅞ |
| C & O | 119 | 118¼ | 119 | 119⅛ |
| C & NW | 70⅝ | ... | 70⅝ | 70⅞ |
| C R I & P | 46½ | 46¼ | 46⅜ | 47¼ |
| Del & Hud | ... | ... | ... | 144½ |
| Del & Lack | ... | ... | ... | 138 |
| Erie | 37½ | 37¼ | 37½ | 37¼ |
| Erie 1st pfd | 42½ | ... | 42½ | 42½ |
| Gt North pf | 77½ | 77⅛ | 77¼ | 77½ |
| Lehigh Val | 83 | ... | 83 | 83¾ |
| L & N | ... | ... | ... | 135 |
| Mo Pac pfd | 87¾ | 87¼ | 87½ | 87¾ |
| N Y Cent | 127⅞ | 127 | 127¾ | 127⅝ |
| NY NH & H | 41⅝ | ... | 41¼ | 41⅞ |
| North Pac | 73⅝ | 73 | 73⅝ | 73¼ |
| Nor & Wn | 144⅞ | 144½ | 144⅞ | 144⅝ |
| Pen & W V | ... | ... | ... | 116⅞ |
| Pennsy | 51⅞ | 51⅝ | 51¾ | 51¾ |
| Reading | 86½ | 86⅛ | 86⅛ | 86¾ |
| So Railway | 116¾ | 116⅛ | 116¾ | 116½ |
| South Pac | 99⅝ | 99¾ | 99⅞ | 100 |
| St Paul | 9¾ | ... | 9¾ | 9⅞ |
| St Paul pfd | 20 | ... | 19½ | 19⅞ |
| St L & SW | 58⅛ | ... | 58⅛ | 57¾ |
| St L & S F | ... | ... | ... | 97¾ |
| Un Pacific | 146¼ | 145⅞ | 146¼ | 146½ |
| Wabash | 40 | ... | 39¾ | 39⅞ |
| Wabash pfd | 70¾ | ... | 70¾ | 70⅝ |
| **Rubbers—** | | | | |
| Fisk Rubber | 21¾ | ... | 21⅝ | 21⅝ |
| Goodrich R | 65 | ... | 65 | 65 |
| Goodyr pfd | 106 | ... | 105¾ | 106⅛ |
| Kelly-Sprgfld | ... | ... | ... | 16½ |
| U S Rubber | 90½ | 87⅞ | 90¼ | 88⅞ |
| **Equipments—** | | | | |
| A C and F | 110½ | 108 | 110½ | 109¼ |
| Am Stl Fdy | ... | ... | ... | 42½ |
| Am Loco | 120½ | ... | 120½ | 120½ |
| Bald Loco | 128⅝ | 127⅛ | 128¼ | 127¾ |
| Gen Elec | 307¼ | 306⅞ | 307¼ | 310¼ |
| Lima Loco | 67⅞ | ... | 67⅞ | 68⅛ |
| Pullman | 161 | 157½ | 160½ | 157½ |
| Ry Stl Spg | ... | ... | ... | 172 |
| West Abk | 123¾ | ... | 123¾ | 123¾ |
| Westh Elec | 73⅛ | ... | 72⅞ | 73½ |
| **Steels—** | | | | |
| Bethlehem | 47⅝ | 47⅝ | 47⅝ | 47½ |
| Colo Fuel | 36¾ | ... | 36¾ | ... |
| Crucible | 80 | ... | 80 | 80 |
| Gulf States | 89⅞ | ... | 89¾ | 90 |
| J R W | 40¾ | 40¼ | 40¾ | 41⅝ |
| Rep I & S | 58¼ | 57⅞ | 58¼ | 58⅝ |
| Sloss-Shef | 135 | ... | 135 | 135 |
| U S Steel | 130⅝ | 129½ | 130¼ | 130½ |
| Vanadium | ... | ... | ... | 30½ |
| **Motors—** | | | | |
| Am Bosch | 31⅞ | ... | 31⅞ | 32 |
| Chand Mot | 50⅝ | 40 | 50⅝ | 50 |
| Gen Mot | 116½ | 113¾ | 115½ | 114⅝ |
| Martin Pry | 21⅞ | 21¾ | 21⅞ | ... |
| Muck Mot | 213¾ | 211¼ | 214 | 215 |
| Chrysler | 190⅞ | 187 | 190 | 188½ |
| Hudson | 100¼ | 97½ | 99⅞ | 98¼ |
| Mocn Mct | 35⅞ | 34¾ | 35⅞ | 34⅝ |
| Studebaker | 56⅝ | 55¼ | 56 | 55½ |
| Hupp | 26½ | 25¾ | 26⅛ | 26¼ |
| Stew-Warn | 83½ | 82¼ | 83 | 82 |
| Timken | 43½ | 52¾ | 53¾ | 53 |
| Willys-Over | 26⅝ | 26 | 26⅛ | 26⅛ |
| Pierce Ar | 36½ | 35 | 35¾ | 35¼ |

| Minings— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dome Mines | ... | ... | ... | 17¾ |
| Gt Na Ore | 26⅝ | ... | 26½ | 26⅞ |
| Int Nickel | 47½ | 46¾ | 47¼ | 47 |
| Tex G & S | 114⅝ | ... | 114¼ | 114⅝ |
| **Coppers—** | | | | |
| Am Smelt | 121⅛ | 120½ | 121⅛ | 120¼ |
| Anaconda | 49 | ... | 48¾ | 49 |
| Inspiration | 26½ | ... | 26½ | ... |
| Kennecott | 56¼ | 56 | 56¼ | 56⅜ |
| Ray Con | 13⅞ | ... | 13½ | 13¾ |
| U S Smelt | 45⅞ | ... | 45⅞ | 46 |
| **Oils—** | | | | |
| Cal Petrol | 31⅝ | 31⅛ | 31¼ | 31⅛ |
| Md Ct Pete | 36⅝ | 36⅝ | 36½ | 36½ |
| Houston Oil | ... | ... | ... | 70⅞ |
| Marland Oil | 59⅛ | 58⅛ | 59 | 59 |
| P-A Pete | 74¾ | 73 | 73¾ | 74⅛ |
| P-A Pete B | 77¼ | 75¾ | 77¼ | 75½ |
| Pacific Oil | 60 | ... | 59⅞ | 59⅞ |
| Phillips Pet | 49 | ... | 43⅞ | 43⅞ |
| Gen Pete | 49½ | ... | 49½ | 49⅝ |
| Pure Oil | 27¼ | 26¾ | 27¼ | 27 |
| Royal Dutch | 55¾ | 54⅝ | 55¼ | 54 |
| Std Oil Cal | 55⅞ | ... | 55⅞ | 55⅝ |
| Std Oil NJ | 44⅛ | 43⅞ | 44 | 44¼ |
| Sinclair | 21 | 20⅝ | 21 | 20¾ |
| Texas Co | 53⅛ | 52¾ | 53⅛ | 53 |
| Tr Ct Oil | 4⅝ | 4⅝ | 4¾ | 4⅝ |
| **Industrials—** | | | | |
| Allied Chm | 113 | 112 | 112⅞ | 113 |
| Adv Rumely | ... | ... | ... | 18½ |
| Amer Can | 257½ | 255 | 257¼ | 256¼ |
| A & L pfd | ... | ... | ... | 63¾ |
| Amer Ice | 129 | ... | 129 | 129¼ |
| Am Woolen | ... | ... | ... | 47 |
| Cen Leath | 19⅛ | 19 | 19⅛ | 19 |
| Coca Cola | 146 | 145 | 146 | 146½ |
| Congoleum | 17½ | ... | 17¼ | 17⅝ |
| Cont Can | 82¾ | 81¾ | 82½ | 82¼ |
| Dupont | 225 | 220 | 224 | 226 |
| Fam Play | 107⅛ | ... | 107 | 107 |
| G Asphalt | 59 | ... | 59 | 58⅝ |
| Int Paper | 59¾ | 58⅝ | 59¾ | 59 |
| Int Harv | 127¾ | 126 | 127¼ | 125⅝ |
| May Stor | 137¾ | 137 | 137¾ | 136¼ |
| Mont & W | 78¾ | 77⅞ | 78 | 78½ |
| Nat Lead | ... | ... | ... | 163½ |
| Owen Bot | 66½ | ... | 66½ | 66 |
| Radio | 52 | 41 | 42 | 41⅛ |
| Sears-Roe | 225 | ... | 224½ | 225 |
| United Drg | 155 | 152⅞ | 155 | 154 |
| U S In Al | 75⅛ | 73⅛ | 75 | 73⅝ |
| Woolworth | 205½ | 203¾ | 205½ | 205 |
| **Utilities—** | | | | |
| Am T & T | 142¼ | ... | 142¼ | 142⅛ |
| Con Gas | 92¾ | 92⅝ | 92¾ | 92¾ |
| Columbia G | 78 | ... | 78 | 78¼ |
| People's G | 119½ | ... | 119½ | 118¾ |
| Wes Union | 140½ | 139 | 140½ | 139⅞ |
| **Shipping—** | | | | |
| Am Int Cor | 42½ | ... | 42¾ | 42 |
| Am S & C | ... | ... | ... | 6⅛ |
| Atlantic G | 61⅞ | 61 | 61⅞ | 62 |
| In M M pfd | 36⅞ | ... | 36⅞ | 36¾ |
| United Frt | 227¾ | 227½ | 227⅝ | ... |
| **Foods—** | | | | |
| Am Sugar | 74⅞ | 74¼ | 74⅞ | 74½ |
| Am Bt Sg | 34¼ | ... | 34¼ | 34½ |
| A Nichols | ... | ... | ... | 39⅞ |
| Corn Prod | 39⅞ | 39⅛ | 39¾ | 39¼ |
| Fleischman | 139 | 138 | 139 | 139½ |
| Cuban Sug | 25½ | 25¼ | 25½ | 25¾ |
| Punta Ale | 39⅞ | 39¾ | 39⅞ | 39¾ |
| Ward Bak | 88¾ | 87 | 87⅞ | 87⅞ |
| **Tobaccos—** | | | | |
| Am Suma | 11¾ | 11 | 11 | 10½ |
| Am Tob | 114⅛ | ... | 114¼ | 115 |
| Gen Cigar | 103½ | ... | 103½ | 103⅞ |
| Tob P (B) | 98¼ | 97½ | 98⅛ | 98⅞ |
| Lorillard | 37½ | ... | 37½ | 37¼ |
| U Cig Stor | 110⅝ | 109 | 109 | 110¾ |
| S R Store | 127 | 126¾ | 127 | 126½ |

## Indianapolis Business News

### Trade Forecasts and Comment on Local Market Conditions.

By Rader Winget

"GENERAL business conditions in Indiana for companies selling farm implements has increased 20 to 25 per cent in the past twelve months," R. C. Foster, assistant manager of the local branch of the International Harvester Company, said today. Prosperity is increasing and includes not only our own State but the United States as well, Foster said.

"The peak year for the farm implement companies will be reached in 1927 and will continue for several years before the inevitable slump starts," says S. K. Miller, general manager of the American Seeding Company. Business with the farm machinery manufacturing companies is a good reflector of the real condition of the farmer. When the farmer is prosperous the manufacturing companies find their business increasing.

"BUSINESS with these firms moves in the regular seven year cycle. The years of 1918-19-20 were the so-called "peak" years for the industry. Since that time conditions have not been so good but the present year finds a substantial jump over the preceding twelve months. Two more years will find the farmers in the midst of another prosperity era.

The reason for the business increase of this year over last, was in the price boost on a great many staple articles. Hogs have been $1.50 to $2 higher than last year. Small production was responsible for this condition.

High wheat is another factor that tends to bring the farmers more money. Miller anticipates no drop in the wheat price, even if the crop is increased. Oats have not been instrumental in bringing larger returns to the farmer.

"AT THE present time local business conditions are in a slump because of the holiday season," says A. Connell, office manager of the Oliver Chilled Plow Works. Farmers are using all extra money for the purchase of gifts and other seasonal items.

Farmers do most of their buying of agricultural implements in the fall and spring. Only spreaders are sold in any great volume in winter and summer.

The Southern Railway reports the largest net income, after taxes have been deducted, for the first ten months of 1925 over any other corresponding period in the history of the company. Gross revenue for October increased 8.97 per cent as compared with an increase of 4.45 per cent for the first ten months of this year.

INSOLVENCIES in the United States for November says R. G. Dunn and Company, numbered 1,672 with liabilities of $35,922,421. These figures contrast with 1,581 similar defaults in October, with an indebtedness of $29,543,870 and 1,653 for November, 1924, owing $31,123,910.

With the exception of November, 1924, insolvencies last month were the lowest since November, 1920. The increase this year over November, 1924, is trifling being only 1 per cent. The increase last month over the preceding month was 5.8 per cent but such a gain in November is usual as the end of the year approaches.

### NEWSBOY CROSSING U. S.

"Wandering" Willie Williams, 27, crippled newsboy on his way to Salt Lake City, his sister's home, reached Indianapolis today. Williams left his home Newport News, Va., two years ago and has sold papers in towns en route.

## Choice Lambs Slump Off to Top Price of $16.

—Hog Prices Day by Day—

| Nov. | Bulk | Top. | Receipts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 27. | 11.90 | 12.00 | 8.500 |
| 28. | 11.85@12.00 | 12.00 | 7.000 |
| 30. | 11.65 | 12.00 | 10.000 |
| Dec. | | | |
| 1. | 11.35@11.65 | 11.75 | 12.000 |
| 2. | 11.25@11.65 | 11.75 | 8.000 |
| 3. | 11.50@11.70 | 11.90 | 5.500 |

Hog prices were sharply higher today at the Indianapolis Livestock Exchange. Heavy swine were boosted 25c while lights had a dime added to their value. Low receipts, estimated at 5,500 and 861 hold-overs from the mid-week session, were not enough to fill orders. Higher prices in other market centers influenced the local Exchange for the rise.

A few choice lightweight hogs commanded the top price of $11.90. The bulk of the sales for the morning were made from $11.50@11.70. The offering was absorbed readily and the run moved scaleward rapidly.

**Hog Price Scale**

Trading was done over the following range of prices; heavies $11.50; mediums weight swine sold at $11.50@11.65, light hogs cashed at $11.70@11.85; light lights and pigs were $11.75@11.85; smooth packing sows moved at $10.25@10.75; roughs, $9.75@10.25, and stags were $9@10.50.

A small supply of cattle, estimated at 700 head, put pep in the early transactions. Prices remained fully steady, with the recent changes. Steers were priced from $6@12, heifers $5@10.50 and cows $4@7.

**Calves Are Strong**

Sheep and lamb prices slumped off at the start of the session. Choice lambs were quoted from $15.50@16. This represented a drop of 50c from the highest figure of the last few days. Sheep were fully steady and sold from $5@7. The supply of material was estimated at 600 bovines.

Calf trading started slowly and a top price of $14.50 was established temporarily. Later in the morning, buying and selling took on a brisk tone and prices were shifted to a $15 top on the best veals. The bulk of the run, estimated at 700, moved scaleward at an average price of $14@14.50.

—Hogs—

| | |
|---|---|
| Heavies | $11.50 |
| Mediums | 11.50@11.65 |
| Ligth hogs | 11.70@11.85 |
| Light lights | 11.75@11.85 |
| Pigs | 11.75@11.85 |
| Smooth sows | 10.25@10.75 |
| Rough sows | 9.75@10.25 |
| Stags | 9.00@10.50 |

—Cattle—

| | |
|---|---|
| Good to choice fat steers | $ 6.00@12.00 |
| Medium steers | 5.00@ 6.00 |
| Choice heifers | 5.00@10.50 |
| Common to fat heifers | 3.00@ 5.00 |
| Prime fat cows | 4.00@ 7.00 |
| Canners and cutter cows | 2.75@ 3.75 |

—Calves—

| | |
|---|---|
| Fancy veals | $15.00 |
| Good veals | 14.00@14.50 |
| Medium calves | 8.00@11.00 |
| Common veals | 5.00@ 7.00 |

—Sheep and Lambs—

| | |
|---|---|
| Choice lambs | $15.50@16.00 |
| Good | 11.00@14.50 |
| Good to choice sheep | 5.00@ 7.00 |
| Fair to medium | 3.50@ 5.00 |

## WHEAT REACHES NEW HIGH MARK

### Buying Orders and Bullish News Cause Jump.

*By United Press*

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Wheat sold for $1.75¼ a bushel on the Chicago Board of Trade today. This is the first time it has reached that figure since December, 1924.

Buying orders from the public and bullish crop news from South America were largely responsible for the sharp gain in prices at the opening of the market.

December, wheat, new, sold at $1.75¼, and advance of 3⅝ cents over last night's close. Other deliveries of wheat sold at prices ranging from $1.49 to $1.73½.

Corn received most of its strength from wheat. Oats followed other grains. Provisions held steady, higher grains off-setting lower hogs.

### Chicago Grain Table

—Dec. 3—

| WHEAT— | High. | Low. | 12:00. | Prev. close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec | 1.78 | 1.74¾ | 1.76¼ | 1.71¾ |
| Dec (old) | 1.75¼ | 1.72½ | 1.74 | 1.69¾ |
| May | 1.71⅞ | 1.68 | 1.70½ | 1.66½ |
| May (old) | 1.69¼ | 1.66½ | 1.68 | 1.69¾ |
| July | 1.50¾ | 1.48½ | 1.49½ | 1.47 |
| CORN— | | | | |
| Dec | .78¾ | .76⅞ | .77¾ | .76¼ |
| May | .84¾ | .82¾ | .83¾ | .82 |
| July | .86½ | .84¾ | .85¾ | .84⅛ |
| OATS— | | | | |
| Dec | .41⅞ | .40¼ | .40¾ | .40 |
| May | .45¼ | .44¼ | .44¾ | .44 |
| July | .46¼ | .45⅝ | .45¾ | .45 |
| RYE— | | | | |
| Dec | .96¾ | .94¾ | .96¼ | .93¼ |
| May | 1.05 | 1.03 | 1.04½ | 1.01¼ |
| LARD— | | | | |
| Dec | 14.00 | 13.95 | 13.87 | 13.90 |
| May | 13.82 | 13.75 | 13.80 | 13.75 |

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Primary Receipts: Wheat, 1,414,000 against 2,360,000; Corn, 1,320,000 against 1,000,000; Oats, 422,000 against 498,000. Shipments — Wheat, 1,034,000 against 1,444,000; Corn, 463,000 against 408,000; Oats, 353,000 against 403,000.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Carlot receipts were: Wheat, 10; corn, 335; oats, 41; rye, 3.

### Commission Row

Prices to Retailers

Fruits

Apples—Jonathan, 40-pound basket $1.75@2; Grimes Golden, 40-pound basket, $1.75@2; Delicious 40-pound basket $2.75; W. Bananas, 40-pound basket $1.75; King Davids 40-pound basket $1.50; Northern Spy 10-pound basket, $1.75; Baldwins 40-pound baskets, $1.75@2; Staymen Winesap, 40-pound basket $3.00.

Bananas—8c a pound.

Cocoanuts—Jamaica $6@6.25 for 100.

Cranberries—Box, 10-pound, $7.75@8.

Grapefruit—Florida, $4@4.75.

Grapes—Emperior, crt, $1.50@1.75.

Lemons—California, 300s, $4.75@5.

Limes—$1.50@2.25 a hundred.

Oranges—California Navels, $4.75@6.25. Florida, $5.25@5.75.

Pomegranates—California crt, $2.25@2.50.

Satsumas—Fcy Alabama, $2.75@4.50.

Vegetables

Artichokes—Fcy California, $1.50@1.75 dozen.

Beans—Green, stringless, $3@3.50.

Beets—H G bu, $1.

Brussels Sprouts—Fcy California 20@25c.

Cabbage—Fcy H. G., 3c a lb.

Carrots—H. H. bu, $1.25@1.50.

Cauliflower—Colorado, crt., $3@3.25.

Celery—Michigan, $1.50@1.75.

Cucumbers—Florida hamper $4.50@4.75.

Eggplant—Florida, doz. $2@2.25.

Garlic—Fcy California, 15c lb.

Kale—H. G. bu. 75@90c.

Lettuce—Western Iceberg, crate $5.50@6; H. G. leaf, 15-pound basket $2.25@2.50.

Endive—Doz., 45@50c.

Mangoes—Florida, trunk, $4.50@4.75.

Mushrooms — Fcy. 3-pound basket $1.25@1.50.

Onions—H. G. white bu. $2; Spanish crt, $1.50@1.60.

Oyster Plant—Fcy H. G. 50c doz.

Parsley—Fcy H. G., doz., 40@45c.

Potatoes—Michigan white 150-lb sack $5.25@5.50. Idaho per cwt. $4.50@4.75.

Radishes—Doz., 50c.

Rutabagas—Fcy $1.50 cwt.

Spinach—H. G., bu $1.50@1.75.

Squash—Hubbard, bbl, $2.50@2.75.

Turnips—New H G, $1.25@1.50.

Tomatoes—Case $6.25@6.75.

### Wholesale Meat Prices

Beef—Native steers, 500 to 800 lbs, 18½@20c; fores under carcass 2c; hinds over carcass, 4c; native heifers, 300 to 450 lbs, 17@20c; fores under carcass 1c, hinds over carcass, 2c; native cows 400 to 700 lbs, 12½c; fores under carcass, 1c; hinds over carcass 1c. Pork—Dressed hogs—140 to 200 lbs 20c; regular picnic hams, 4 to 14 lbs, 17@20¼c; fresh tenderloins, 55c. Veal—Carcasses 70 to 200 lbs, 18@24c; hinds and saddles over carcass, 7c; fores under carcass 5c. Mutton—Spring lambs, 25 to 40 lbs, 31c.

### TOBACCO MARKET OPENS

*By United Press*

MADISON, Ind., Dec. 3.—With opening of the loose leaf tobacco market here Wednesday a total of 200,000 pounds reached the ware house. Sales showed an average of 20 cents, with a high of 33 and a low of 8, on record receipts for the opening session.

## Other Live Stock

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; market generally active; good steers, steady to strong; spots, 10@15c or more higher on weighty kinds; latter in best demand; nothing choice here; best matured steers, $12.35; several loads $11.50@12; bulk 1st steers, $9@11.75; she-stock firm, spots higher; choice shipping calves weak; generally steady on vealers to backers at $11 and down to $10.25. Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; market, handyweight fat lambs in broad demand; few early sales desirable medium and handy weights steady at $16.25@16.50; holding best fat lambs for $16.75; few yearling wethers $12.75@14; fat sheep, 25c unaged wethers, $11.75; fat ewes up to $9.50; asking $16.50 for choice feeding lambs. Hogs—Receipts, 32,000; market, 15@30c up; top, $11.60; bulk, $11@11.30; heavyweights, $11.10@11.35; medium weights, $11.20@11.50; light weights $10.90@11.55; lightlights, $10@10.65; packing sows, $9.35@10.35; slaughter pigs, $11.25@12.

CINCINATI, Dec. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 900; market, slow and steady; shipping steers, good to choice, $8.50@11.50. Calves—Market, steady; good to choice $13.50@14. Hogs—Receipts, 3,700; market, active, 10@25c higher; good to choice packers and butchers, $11.85@11.90. Sheep—Receipts, 400; market, steady; good to choice, $6@7. Lambs—Market, steady; good to choice, $15.50@16.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 3.—Cattle — Receipts light; market steady; choice, $11@11.75; good, $9.50@10.50; fair, $7@8.25; veal calves, $15@15.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4 doubledecks; market steady; prime wethers, $9.25@9.75; good, $8.50@9; fair mixed, $7.25@8; lambs, $13@17. Hogs—Receipts, 18 doubledecks; market higher; prime heavy, $11.65@11.85; mediums, $12.15@12.25; heavy Yorkers, $12.15@12.25; light Yorkers, $12.40@12.50; pigs, $12.40@12.50; roughs, $9.50@10.50; stags, $6@7.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; market, 15@25c higher native steers, $5@8.75; yerling heifers, $6@7.50; cows, $4.50@5.75; canners and cutters, $3.60@4.25; calves, $15; stockers and feeders, $5.50@6.50. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; market, 25@40c up; heavies, $11.25@11.65; mediums, $11.35@11.65; light, $11.50@11.90; light lights, $11.50@12; packing sows, $9.60@10.40; pigs, $11.25@12; bulk, $11.50@11.80. Sheep—Receipts, 1,800; market weak, 25c lower; ewes $6.50@8.50; canners and cutters, $1.50@5; wooled lambs, $14.75@16.75.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 225; market active, steady; shipping steers, $9.50@11.50; butcher grades, $6@9.50; cows, $2@6.75. Calves—Receipts, 100; market active and steady; cull to choice, $4@15.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,000; market active, lambs 50c lower; choice lambs, $16@17; cul to fair, $10@15; yearlings, $9@13; sheep, $4@10. Hogs—Receipts, 1,900; market active, 15@25c higher. Yorkers, $12.40@12.50; pigs, $13; mixed, $12.25@12.40; heavies, $11.75@12; roughs, $9@10; stags, $6@8.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 3.—Hogs — Receipts, 3,000; market 15@25c higher; Yorkers, $12; mixed, $11.85; mediums, $11.75; pigs, $12.25; roughs, $9.75; stags, $6.50. Cattle—Receipts, 300; market 25c higher; good to choice bulls, $10@12.50; good to choice steers, $9@11; good to choice heifers, $7@9; good to choice cows, $8@9.50; fair to good cows, common cows, $4@5; milchers, $50@100. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,000; market steady; top, $17. Calves—Receipts, 300; market steady; top, $15.50.

TOLEDO, Dec. 3.—Hogs — Receipts, 1,200; market, 15@25c higher; heavies, $11.50@11.70; mediums, $11.70@11.75; yorkers, $11.90@12; good pigs, $12.25@12.50. Calves—Market, steady. Sheep and lambs—Market, steady.

## GOLDEN RULE LUNCHEON

### State Normal School Plans to Observe Relief Day.

*By Times Special*

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 3.—The Indiana State Normal School is planning to observe Golden Rule Sunday, Dec. 6, the day when the people of the United States are asked to eat one frugal meal as a reminder that the Near East Relief orphans can not live except as we practice the Golden Rule.

Plans are under way for a luncheon at the Normal Cafeteria, probably on Friday, Dec. 4, which will be of the very plainest food and at a cost of about 5 cents a person.

## LODGE IS DEDICATED

### Jackson Speaks at Millersville Masonic Ceremony.

Governor Jackson spoke this afternoon at dedication exercises of the new building of the Millersville Lodge, No. 126, F. and A. M. Past Grand Master Charles P. Benedict was in charge of the ceremonies.

The lodge building recently was erected at a cost of $70,000.

## LOCAL MAN IN MURDER PROBE

### Taken to Crown Point, Ind. for Questioning.

Roscoe Sparks, 35, of 4030 Graceland Ave., was taken to Crown Point, Ind., today for questioning in connection with the murder in a duel of Frank Higgins near Hammond, Ind., Feb. 20, 1917.

Sparks was arrested here by Detectives Kurrasach and King following receipt of a telegram from Sheriff Ben H. Strong at Crown Point asking arrest of William P. Sparks, alias "The Count," wanted for the murder.

Sparks denied he was the man wanted at Crown Point.

Higgins' body was found washed up on the banks of Calumet river. The night before two men were seen to get out of an automobile. Each drew a revolver and fired. Higgins dropped and other members of the party put the body into the car and later are believed to have thrown it into the river.

## LOCAL FIRM IS SUED

### New York Company Alleged Infringement on Patents.

The Eclipse Machine Company, New York, today filed suit in Federal Court against the Eclipse Machine Company, Inc., 21 N. Alabama St., and its president, Hubert McGinnis, asking $300,000 damages for alleged patent infringement. Judge Robert C. Baltzell set Dec. 14 for defendants to appear and show why preliminary injunctions should not be issued against them.

The New York firm charges that the local company manufactured and sold Bendix drives, a transmission device on electric motors and also a Bendix drive rebuilding machine. Officials of the company here did not know the suit was filed.

## ROOMS, HALLS DUG UP

### Underground Group Said To Have Been Found In Missouri.

*By United Press*

BOWLING GREEN, Mo., Dec. 3.—R. D. Burchard, St. Louis, today continued his excavations a mile from here, where he claims to have found an underground group of forty-three rooms with seven passageways connecting them. Some special sort of cement, different in color from the ground about the shaft, had been used in building sides of the shafts, according to Burchard.

## BUTCHER CUTS THROAT

### Man Taken to City Hospital Suffering From Loss of Blood.

Using the knife with which he trims hambones, John Langen, 30, employed at the Kuhn Meat Market, 407 W. Michigan St., today slashed his throat in a garage behind the market. He just missed the jugular vein. He was taken to City Hospital, suffering from loss of blood, by Motorpolice Hague and Pettit.

No reason is known for the action.

## Births

Boys

Walter and Ruth Fisher, 1255 E. East.
Samuel and Mildred Stevens, 1429 W. Twenty-Fifth.
Don and aMry Fausset, 1601 Newland.
Joseph and Florence Green, 2840 Cornell.
Harry and Rose Hafer, 2915 S. Capitol.
Arthur and Elnora Norman, 5508 Carrolton.
Ernest and Bertha Anderson, 3857 Guilford.
Bert and Mable Whitney, 708 Linclon.
Stanley and Pessie Noel, 1122 Standish.
Ben and Mary Levinsley, Long Hospital.
Louis and Louis Weissman, Methodist Hospital.
Loyd and Laura Steele, city hospital.
Ceci land Carrie Colby, city hospital.
Hillard and Anna Boszkowski, 914 N. Gray.
William and Grace Hendrickson, 2028 Parker.
Harrison and Jabitha Grubbs, 845 Maple Glen and Velma Alexander, 3003½ N. Illinois.