

SMALL SUPPLY OF HOGS BRINGS BETTER PRICES

Texas Carloads Bring Big
Prices at Chicago—Local
Market Figures.

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The supply of hogs was so light at western packing centers Saturday that a considerable advance over Friday's low figures resulted. The average price at Chicago on Saturday, \$19.15, was 65c over the Friday average, while the Armour drove cost \$1.60 above their Friday purchases, because they got a much better class of hogs.

Light bacon hogs and light butchers brought \$20.25, and this top price the day was paid for seven carloads from Texas, surprising as that statement would seem in view of the long haul in hot weather. The top at Chicago on Friday was \$20.00.

Compared with one week ago average price of cattle at Chicago was 15 cents lower, at \$15.75; hogs, 25 cents lower at \$18.45; sheep, 25 cents higher at \$8.75, and lambs, \$1.45 lower at \$14.75.

Despite the fact that the cattle market closed higher on Saturday than one week ago, prime cattle reaching \$17.85, the average price for the week was lowered by the receipt of much inferior stuff. Receipts of cattle for the week were 22,000 less than for the previous week and 30,000 below those for the same week in 1918.

Owing to demoralized conditions the receipts of hogs at the 11 western markets fell off 10,000 head, compared with a week earlier, and they were also 77,000 below the corresponding week last year, when the average price was 80c higher, at \$19.25.

1918 Hog Prices Compared.
A comparison of the prices paid for hogs in all principal markets, east and west, last Saturday, with the same date a year ago, shows that hogs brought more money in 1918, both as to tops and averages. September corn, in the meanwhile, was just 10 cents per bushel below present price, at \$1.54.

Comparing Saturday's top at Chicago with same date in 1918 that market was 80 cents lower; Kansas City, 85c; Omaha, 50c; St. Joseph, 40c; Sioux City, 70c; St. Paul, 50c; Pittsburgh, 70c; and Louisville, 80c per 100 less money. East Buffalo and St. Louis market tops were slightly higher this year than last, for local reasons.

What Happened to Corn.
In view of the recent ups and downs in the live stock markets, and the reaching of much lower price levels it will be of interest to note what has happened to the Chicago corn market. The high water mark on September corn was \$1.55, and the low to date, \$1.50; the close last Saturday, \$1.64 1/2.

The top on December corn was \$1.73, the low, \$1.27 1/2, and Saturday's closing price, \$1.31 1/2. At other western markets are, in the main, at parity with Chicago. Corn has been on the down turn for 40 days, indicating a tremendous change, not only in sentiment, but also in fundamental conditions. September oats closed on Saturday at 70c and December oats at 72 1/2c, about 12c per bushel below their top prices.

Including ten carloads on through billing, the receipts at Glen Miller last week consisted of 124 head of cattle, 354 hogs, 775 head of sheep and lambs, and 49 veal calves. The first arrivals of Wayne county's crop of spring pigs came in from the Arba pike during the week. E. O. Albright marketed 33 head, which averaged 150 pounds and sold at 18 cents.

Monday and Tuesday's advance in the hog market was all lost by Friday morning. Heavy hogs sold here on Saturday at \$17.50; medium weights at \$18 to \$19, with light hogs at \$15 to \$17, as to quality; those ranged from 100 pounds up to 150. A lot of cattle arriving at the local yards from the west and costing \$8 to \$10 now, were going the other way 20 days ago at \$12 to \$15.

Lambs were slow of sale last week, and hard to get rid of at a decent price. Buck lambs sold as low as \$8 to \$10 for heavy, choice yearlings were steady, the top being \$16, while heavies and thins sold at from \$5 to \$8, on the local market.

Shippers and Prices.
Vern Chenoweth made the largest delivery of hogs for the week, 62 head, which brought him \$3,299.50. Sam Mikel delivered a little lot, only 12 head which weighed 3810 pounds, sold for 17 1/2 cents and cashed in for \$666.75.

J. P. Bishop, Harry Jordan, George Harley, Ernest Baker, Elwood Fulton, Raymond Farst, Joe Pittman and Earl Mann were among the men who delivered hogs on Saturday.
Deliveries of live stock during the week were also made by Ott Cranor, Ed Doran, G. T. Atkins, Ben Tscholz, Marshall Frazee, Dave Conway, Bert Hunt, Charles Meyers, Harry Osborne, Fred Varnau, Joseph Roberts, Walter Rhuln, Tony Clingenbier, and L. L. Hinchshaw.

Farm Sale Calendar

Tuesday, Sept. 9.
Albert Clouser, two miles north of Modoc and 7 miles south of Farmland, at 10:30.
W. O. Huddleston, south of Center-ville.
Cornelius D. Connell, 5 1/2 miles southeast of Richmond, 3 miles north-east of Boston, 10 o'clock.
Harrison Miller, 4 miles southwest of Richmond on the Salisbury road, at 10 o'clock.

Wednesday, Sept. 10.
Ben H. Davis, 7 miles S. E. of Connersville, 10 o'clock.
Oscar Lamb, on Deltmeyer farm, 2 miles west of Chester.

Fred White, at shop in Kitchell, Ind., public sale of blacksmith's tools and machinery.

Cornelius Garber, 3 miles west of Eaton, on North-west road, at 9:30.

Thursday, Sept. 11.
Will Brower, general sale, 4 1/2 miles S. W. of Eaton.

Tuesday, Sept. 30.
Delbert Funk, 1 mile north of Middleboro, on the Hollandsburg pike, principally live stock, at 10 a. m.

British Government Will Fight Packers

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The British government is taking drastic measures to fight American packers, says the Herald, the labor organ.
This decision was dictated, according to the newspaper owing to the "strangle hold" big American packers are exerting on the British provision import trade and arrangements virtually have been completed for the establishment of a brokers' pool for those firms whose business has dropped to almost nothing owing to the alleged operations of the packers and who refuse to throw in their lot with the packers.

MEETING TO DISCUSS INDUSTRY PROBLEMS

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Representatives of capital and labor were among the 300 guests at the country home of Mr. Henry P. Davidson, Locust Valley, today to discuss the industrial relations and plan remedies for existing conditions. The public was represented by delegates from the eighty-two community councils of National Defense. It is under the auspices of the organization that the conference was called.

The conference today is patterned on much the same lines as that to which President Wilson announced a few days ago he will invite representatives of all classes of society.

Among the delegates were Michael Friedman, George Foster Peabody, Dr. Charles Kunz and George Gordon Bittel, R. J. Caldwell, who recently returned from an investigation of industrial conditions in England; Charles C. Barnes, formerly of the United States employment service, H. V. Kaltenborn, Francis L. Hine, Mortimer L. Schiff, James Lees Laidlay, Alfred C. Bedford, Mrs. Courland D. Barnes, General Coleman DuPont, Parker Handy, deputy police commissioner; Elton O'Grady, Richard Welling, Edwin P. Roe, Joseph W. Harriman, George W. Perkins, E. H. Fitch, Tom Curtis, Ordway Tead, Edward L. Young, Edward Polak, Dr. William S. Leiderson, George W. Kirchway and G. E. Kent.

Indiana News Brevities

SHELBYVILLE—William Everson, county superintendent of schools, was granted a \$1,000 a year increase in salary by the Shelby county board of commissioners.

VINCENNES—William Schutter, 40 years old, confessed killing Mrs. Anna Lienbach, 74, widow of a local butcher, after eleven hours of continual grueling by police officials.

INDIANAPOLIS—Mrs. Margaret Sanders, 79 years old, and widow of the late Henry Sanders, died here. Mrs. Sanders was one of the pioneer residents of the state capital.

PERU—Lieut. Elber Walker Shirk, son of the late Milton Shirk of this city, died in Chicago, of meningitis.

INDIANAPOLIS—John Isenbarger, of North Manchester, visiting here, is undecided as to whether or not he would run for nomination for governor on the Democratic ticket, he said.

PEERSBURG—The Pike County grand jury has returned an indictment against Blythe Lamb, who shot and killed Mrs. John Richrich of this city July 26, charging murder in the first degree.

BANDITS WOUNDED BY POLICE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 8.—One policeman was wounded, another injured and three of their alleged assailants were wounded when in a downtown street skirmish with motor car bandits here early today. Among property seized have been found by the police in the alleged bandit headquarters were Liberty bonds worth \$38,000.

BRATIANO TO REMAIN.

(By Associated Press)
VIENNA, Sept. 8.—J. J. C. Bratiano, Rumanian premier, declares that in spite of his desire to retire before the coming elections, he has decided to retain office in order to take personal responsibility for not signing the treaty of peace with Rumania, according to special telegram from Bucharest. He says that following this action in regard to the treaty with Austria, he will resign from office.

GERMAN SHIPPER DEAD

(By Associated Press)
BREMEN, Sept. 8.—Alfred Lohmann, president of the Bremen Chamber of Commerce and founder, organizer and president of the German ocean shipping company which operated the German commercial submarines Bremen and Deutschland is dead, according to an announcement made here today.

SELECT MEN FOR CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Four members of President Wilson's cabinet—Secretaries Glass, Lane, Redfield and Houston—at a meeting today at the white house prepared a list of names from which the president will select 15 to represent the public at the labor industry conference here October 6. The names will be submitted immediately to the president, it was said after the meeting. Meantime they were withheld.

The scrap value of the German submarines being broken up in England is estimated at \$12,166. It will take ten weeks to scrap each boat.



Reserve Seat Sale Opens For Moose Minstrels

The reserved seat sale for the Moose minstrels opened at the Murray theatre box office this morning and indications point to crowded houses for the two performances next Thursday and Friday evenings. Final rehearsals will be held at the Moose home on North Tenth street this evening and Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings. Mayor Zimmerman is collecting a lot of new jokes to spring when he takes his place as one of the principal ends and Lew Shank writes from Indianapolis that he has a dandy new one he is going to tell about some things that have happened in Richmond the past year.

New Westville, O.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elstro visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmet Elstro Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Charles Myers attended the Craig reunion, held at Glen Miller, Saturday. Mrs. Will Hooper of near West Alexandria, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Myers. Simon P. Morrow and son, Orville and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Morrow and son, of Penville, Ind., Mrs. Orena Miller of Indianapolis were guests of Bert Rays and Elijah Ballenger and other relatives Sunday and Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Al. Battin and children Orla and Radney and Onda of Greenville, were guests Sunday of Bert Ray. George Ray and sister returned after a short visit with aunts at Greenville. Mrs. John Tracy and sons Verlin and Chalmers called on Mrs. Rena Ray, Thursday evening. Mrs. John King visited Mrs. Dill Thursday. Mrs. Anna May Breese attended the Mikesell sale held at Richmond, Saturday. Mrs. Allen

Breece, Mrs. Lon Breece and children, Blondina Kink attended the Barnes circus at Richmond, Friday. Mrs. M. C. Stegall is ill. Miss Ruby Kinney spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Horn and family. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Horn and family spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gilbreth, of near Chester. Mrs. Edith Breece attended the Dayton fair Monday.

Waterloo, Ind.

Mrs. Frank Welser, who was quite ill last week, is able to be out again. Dr. Sutcliffe, of Indianapolis, who has been ill for several weeks at the home of his sister, Mrs. Emma Doddridge, is slowly improving. Howard Green and Miss Fern Copeland, Ralph Farr and wife and Miss Daisy Farr attended the state fair Wednesday. The Hamilton reunion at Robert park was attended by several representatives from this neighborhood. Labor day. P. M. Hamilton and wife, of Lynn, Ind., attended the Hamilton reunion Monday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Farr and Mr. and Mrs. George Watt for a couple of days. William Metz is moving to the John Hubble farm near Lyonsville. Elmer Frost is moving to the Bailey farm, and Carl Geise to the Archey farm. Mrs. Martha Caldwell and daughter, Mrs. Broadbudd, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Tom Caldwell, near Lyonsville. Levi Green is visiting his son, R. L. Green and family of Indianapolis, and attending the fair. Vinson Broadbudd and family spent Sunday at Harrisburg with

Cleve Caldwell and wife. F. R. Caldwell and wife were entertained at the home of Joe Leache and family of Connersville Thursday evening. Oliver Fiant and family motored to Cincinnati and spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives. Miss Zelma Wood and pupils will give a musical recital at Robinson Chapel, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Everyone invited. Miss Isabel Plant spent several days last week with Dorothy Brown of Lyonsville. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lyons and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lyons attended the state fair Thursday. School opened Monday with Guy Ranck principal, Miss Marie Pogue, assistant principal, Mrs. Bertha Geise, intermediate, and Miss Marie Uitter, primary.

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Dress Goods Specials

TAFFETA SILK—Yard wide All-Silk Plain Chiffon Taffeta with plenty of Blues, Greens and Browns, and all other wanted shades—regular \$2.50 value. —Wednesday \$2.19
SILK POPLINS—Yard wide Plain Silk Poplins. This cloth has a beautiful bright finish in twenty good shades, including black, \$2.25 value. —Wednesday \$96
WOOL JERSEY—54-inch Wool Jersey, the most wanted cloth for Fall, the shades are Burgundy, Taupe, Rookie, Beaver, Pekin, New Blue and Robin Egg. Priced special for. —Wednesday \$3.48
WOOL PLAIDS—Four pieces 42-inch Fancy Novelty Plaids, for separate Skirts, Dresses and Children's Wear, regular values worth up to \$2.25. —Wednesday \$1.69
WOOL CHALLIE—20 pieces of Air-Wool Challie in a splendid assortment of styles; good width; regular \$1.35 value. —Wednesday \$1.10

Second Floor Bargains

ONE-HALF PRICE FOR WASH DRESSES—61 in the lot Ladies', Misses' and Juniors'—regular prices \$2 to \$25.00. —On Wednesday \$2.50 to \$12.50
WHITE WASH SKIRTS ONE-HALF PRICE—26 of these regular and extra large sizes, 98c to \$1.50. —Wednesday 49c to \$3.75
SCHOOL UMBRELLAS \$1.25—24 and 28-inch handles, suitable for boys and girls. For one day. —Wednesday \$1.25
PETTICOATS—Black mercerized, choice of two styles. —Wednesday \$1.50
FIGURED HEATHERBLOOM—Black grounds, with beautiful patterns. —Wednesday \$1.38

Hosiery and Underwear

HOSIERY—Ladies Wayne Knit Silk Boot, all the leading colors; \$1.25 goods. —Wednesday \$1.00
GORDON SILK HOSE—In all the leading colors. Good long silk boot, \$1.50 value. —Wednesday \$1.25
CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HOSE—Extra value—black only. All sizes from 6 to 9 1/2; 50c goods. —Wednesday 39c
MEN'S UNDERWEAR—Union Suits, short and long sleeve, ankle and knee length. Odd lot; \$1.50 goods. —Wednesday \$1.15
LADIES' UNION SUITS—Cuff or Lace knee—extra value at 69c. —Wednesday 50c

WEDNESDAY BARGAINS IN DOMESTICS

PERCALES—To many light colors we offer our entire line of yard wide 30c Percales for one day. —Wednesday 19c
PERCALES—Yard wide, good quality and splendid line of styles in blues, greys and black and white. Priced special. —Wednesday 28c
APRON GINGHAMS—Best standard Apron Gingham, all size checks and colors. Special for. —Wednesday 22c
MIDDY TWILL—Yard wide, heavy white cloth for Aprons, Blouses and Dresses; regular 60c value, slightly soiled. —Wednesday 32c
HOPE MUSLIN—Full pieces, perfect goods, regular 30c value, limit 10 yards. —Wednesday 25c
INDIAN HEAD—Genuine Indian Head, full yard wide, regular 50c value. —Wednesday 39c
STEVENS CRASH—Brown linen weft crash, full 17-inch width, regular 25c value, limit 10 yards. —Wednesday 19c
BLEACHED CRASH—17-inch blue pencil border linen crash, 30c value, limit 10 yards. —Wednesday 23c
BLEACHED COTTON CRASH—500 yards of bleached Cotton Crash with red stripe border, this is an exceptional value. Priced special for Wednesday 15c
CHEESE CLOTH—Yard wide, bleached Cheese Cloth, regular 15c value. —Wednesday 12 1/2c
PEPPEREL SHEETINGS—This is recognized as the standard sheeting, bleached, smooth finished, full width, offering the three most wanted widths for Wednesday 8-4 full 72-in. seamless—Wednesday 69c 9-4 full 81-in. seamless—Wednesday 79c

Wednesday Bargains in Notions

GLOVES REDUCED

WOMEN'S 2-CLASP SILK GLOVES—Just the thing for early Fall wear, the colors are White, Grey, Tan, Black, in most all sizes, special. —Wednesday 69c
CHAMOISETTE GLOVES—25 dozen of Women's and Children's Chamissette Gloves in a full list of sizes; the shades are White, Beaver and Grey; special for. —Wednesday 59c

RIBBONS

RED HAIR BOW RIBBONS—For some reason we have many Red Ribbons in stock. We offer all of our Wide Hair Bow in either plain or Moire, worth up to 50c; for one day only. —Wednesday 23c
FANCY RIBBONS—50 pieces of Wide Fancy Ribbons, all sorts and kinds for Hair Bows, Sashes, Vestings and Ribbon Bows; worth up to \$1. —Wednesday 69c
RUFFLINGS—New line of White Rufflings, in Nets, Organdy, etc., etc. Priced special. —Wednesday 50c
TRIMMING BEADS—Our entire line of Trimming Beads in 20 of the most wanted shades, worth 19c bottle. —Wednesday 2 bottles for 25c

MIDDY TIES—Large Taffeta Cord Edge Middy Ties in Black, Red, Navy, White; regular \$1.25 value. —Wednesday 89c
STATIONERY—An unusual offer for Wednesday only. 500 boxes of 48 each paper and envelopes, four colors, White, Pink, Buff and Blue, assorted to the box. —Special 43c
METAL BAG FRAMES—144 new Big Frames, for the Fancy Silk Bags, they come in either Oxidized or Old Gold finish, worth up to 75c. —Wednesday 39c
IVORY COMBS—Just received a second shipment of an extra heavy Ivory Comb. All coarse or coarse and fine; regular 75c value. —Wednesday 50c

IVORY SOAP—Regular size, limit 6 bars.

—Wednesday 6 for 47c
BUTTERMILK SOAP—Large 3-ounce bars, limit 12 bars. —Wednesday 4 for 25c
Box 12 bars for 69c

HAIR NETS—Just 578 in the lot, made of real human hair, all shades; regular 15c value. Please do not ask for more than a dozen nets. —6 for 50c or 95c a Dozen

STRAP BACK PURSES—You will be surprised at the values we are going to offer for Wednesday's selling. All of our \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, including many of our Christmas numbers. —Choice 98c

VELVET BAGS—The latest word in Hand Bags is Silks and Velvets, the most wanted shades Taupe, Navy, Brown and Black. Values for Wednesday are unparalleled. —Choice \$2.50

CLOTH BRUSH—12-row all Bristle solid wood back Cloth Brush; a regular 50c value. —Wednesday 29c
VACUUM BOTTLES—American Vacuum Bottles keep contents either hot or cold; our regular \$2.50 value. If you want one you will have to hurry, only 11 in the lot. —Wednesday \$1.39

COLONIAL SHELL HAIR PINS—They come in three sizes, put up 3, 6 or 12 in a box, either shell or amber. —Special Box 10c

ROUGE VANITY CASE—Includes Rouge, Mirror and Powder Puff in a neat box, the shades are light, medium and dark. 25c value. —Wednesday 2 for 25c

O. N. T. CROCHET COTTON—Every number in White or Ecru. —Wednesday 95c Box 12 balls or 3 for 25c
FOUNTAIN PENS—Star Safety Filling Fountain Pens with genuine Iridium points, absolutely guaranteed. —Special \$1.50

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