PACIFIC SLOPE.

Poisoning Case in Nevada County—The Races at Oakland — Drunken Man Drowned at Portland — Ratification Meeting at Napa—The Chico Fair—Flush Times at Victoria—Artesian Water in Los Angeles County—Withdrawal of a Candidate for the Assembly—Etc.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

CALIFORNIA.

The Fair at Chico.

CHICO, September 8th.—The unfinished trotting race of yesterday was finished this afternoon, Telegraph winning two straight heats. Time, 2:48 and 2:54½. The next was a running race, mile and repeat, free for all, for a purse of $400—first horse six-tenths, second horse three-tenths and the third horse one-tenth. Joe Howell and Maria F. entered. Howell won the race in two straight heats. Time, 1:46½ and 1:46⅔. An agreed race then was called, for a purse of $100, three in five, between Dutchman, Bones, Roanoke and Challenge. Bones won the first heat in 2:45½, Dutchman the second in 2:39, Dutchman the third in 2:40½, and Dutchman the fourth in 2:42½.

The Races at Oakland.

OAKLAND, September 8th.—An immense crowd attended the Golden Gate Fair to-day, the principal event being the 2:25-class trot. It is estimated that over $75,000 was bet on the race, in the pools and otherwise. The first race on the programme was a running dash of a mile and a quarter for a "consolation purse." The entries were Inauguration and Night Hawk, the latter winning in 2:12, the last mile being made in 1:46½. The ladies' riding tournament followed, there being seven entries. All the ladies were awarded prizes, as follows: Miss Penniman, of San Jose, first; Miss Ellis, of Sacramento, second; Miss Marchang, of Fruitvale, third; Miss Peters, of San Francisco, fourth; Miss Lang, of Oakland, fifth; Mrs. Lizzie A. Sessions, of Oakland, sixth, and Miss Chisholm, of Oakland, seventh. The 2:25 race was then run, Director, Honesty, Starr King, Ashley, Reliance, Del Sur and Cairo entering. The first heat was won by Reliance in 2:22½. In the second heat Starr King and Reliance were distanced, Director winning it in 2:24. The third heat was also won by Director, in 2:24½, as was the fourth and the race in 2:24½.

Husband Poisoned by His Wife.

NEVADA, September 8th.—James Wilson, a saloon-keeper at Columbia Hill, in this county, died rather suddenly Wednesday evening, and from the manner of his death it was surmised that he had been poisoned. An autopsy was had yesterday, which disclosed the fact that poison of some kind had been administered to him. Suspicion points strongly to his wife and stepson as being the guilty persons. In fact, the former acknowledged to a certain party that she gave her husband strychnine, but the dose being too large failed of its intended purpose, whereupon she gave him carbolic acid. There is a mystery surrounding Wilson's death which will probably not be cleared up for some time yet. On the 26th of August Wm. Henry Harrison, a sawmill man, disappeared from Columbia Hill under circumstances which led to suspicions of foul play. He was last seen in Wilson's saloon, and it is thought that Mrs. Wilson, whose relations with Harrison are reputed to have been of a most intimate nature, knows what has become of him. Diligent search has been made for the missing man, but without success. It was while a party were looking for Harrison, expecting to find his body in a mining ditch which runs near the saloon, that Mrs. Wilson gave her husband the poison. She and her son have been brought here and lodged in the County Jail. They will have an examination to-morrow or Monday.

Republican Ratification Meeting.

NAPA, September 8th.—The ratification meeting this evening excelled anything of the kind ever held in Napa county. The entire seating capacity of the Opera House was taken up. Many who were anxious to hear Hon. M. M. Estee were deprived of the opportunity. People from all parts of the county were present, and Mr. Estee's speech was received with the greatest enthusiasm. Napa county will give Mr. Estee a larger majority than any candidate for a State office ever received. In fact the Democrats and Republicans all unite in giving him a hearty support.

Los Angeles Items.

LOS ANGELES, September 8th.—The *Evening Telegram* to-day contains an article on the brandy interests of Los Angeles. It shows that this year there is an increase of eight distilleries in the county and one in San Bernardino county, making a total of forty-four distilleries in this district. The amount of brandy produced in this county last year, and upon which a Government revenue tax of ninety cents per gallon was paid, was about 200,000 gallons, or a total of $180,000 in taxes paid to the Government from Los Angeles county alone. It is estimated, upon official authorities, that there will be an increase in the amount of brandy produced in this county of not less than twenty per cent. over the amount produced last year. This will give a total of 240,000 gallons of grape brandy from this county this season.

M. J. C. Tonner, of Pomona, who came to the city this morning, reports the discovery of a remarkable vein of water on the Cuthcart tract, on the Loop and Miserve ranch. An artesian well, at the depth of 135 feet from the surface, struck an underground vein twenty-eight feet deep, which sent up a flow of water to the surface and four inches above the top of the pipe. The boring was continued below the bed of this stream through nine feet of cement, and then through gravel several feet, when another stream of water, with a four-inch flow at the surface, was struck. It is the intention to cut the pipe where the twenty-eight foot strata of water flows, and allow the lower vein to flow up into it. The water thus discovered is sufficient to irrigate 300 acres of land. It is thought to be the underground current of the San Antonio.

Parties who arrived in the city to-day from the scene of the fires in the mountains near San Bernardino, state that the conflagrations are increasing, and that several sawmills are doomed to destruction. The fire will burn as long as it can find fuel.

Items from San Luis Obispo.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, September 8th.—Hon. P. H. Dunn, who was the unanimous choice of the Democratic Convention for the Assembly from this county, came out in a card on the 6th declining the nomination on account of a pressure of private business. It is not yet known who will be nominated by the committee to run against Captain J. H. Hollister, who was subsequently nominated by the Republicans.

Charles W. Dana, the Republican nominee for the State Board of Equalization, arrived home yesterday by steamer. He was given a reception by his many friends, who are enthusiastic over his nomination. His nomination is regarded here as adding great strength to the ticket in the southern counties. Cannons were fired in his honor till midnight.

The recent sales of real estate in this county are unprecedented. C. H. Phillips & Co. have made sales to newcomers since June 1st amounting to $137,000. Parties from all sections of the State are visiting the county, and express surprise at its natural resources, hitherto unknown.

The wheat yield is much better as the thrashing progresses.

The track of the Pacific Coast Railroad is laid ten miles beyond Santa Maria, and the cars will be running to Los Alamos by October 1st.

Celebration of Admission Day.

SAN RAFAEL, September 8th.—Extensive preparations are being made at Laurel Grove for the reception of the Pioneers to-morrow, who propose to celebrate Admission Day with a barbecue. From present appearances this will be the grandest affair of the kind ever held in the State.

A Seventeen-Year-Old Boy Sent to the State Prison.

NAPA, September 8th.—Arvin C. Frederick, a young man aged 17, was to-day sentenced to the State Prison for three years for grand larceny.

NEVADA.

Fire at Reno.

RENO (Nev.), September 8th.—A fire broke out this morning at 4 o'clock in a China wash-house on Virginia street, near the bridge, and burned a dozen small buildings. There was only a few hundred dollars insurance.

UTAH.

A Murderous Affray.

FRISCO (Utah), via Salt Lake, September 8th.—Henry Rice arrived here yesterday on a buckboard from Spring Valley, southeastern Nevada, bringing news of the killing, at 11 o'clock on the night of the 4th instant, of a man named Coffee by Lew Carpenter at Panacea. The killing was the result of a horserace dispute, and is considered a wilful murder. The altercation was over a race proposed between Carpenter's Selkirk and Dan Neiswanger's Desert colt, for $500 a side, $250 forfeit. Coffee, Desert's backer, drew out and paid the forfeit promptly. Carpenter wanted a race, and followed Coffee all the evening with abuse, and at 11 o'clock began shooting. Coffee returned the fire, each sending three shots, all Coffee had in his pistol, which he then threw at Carpenter. He ran, bleeding, to a ballroom, where Carpenter overtook him and knocked down and jumped upon the dying man. The murderer narrowly escaped lynching by the efforts of his friends and the fleetness of their horses.

OREGON.

No Bloodshed Resulted.

PORTLAND, September 8th.—E. C. Dickerson and A. J. Harrison, of Arizona, the parties who created such excitement on board the Columbia as she was sailing from San Francisco for this port, landed here on Wednesday evening and registered at the Burton House. Mrs. Dickerson left the ship before she sailed, unbeknown to either of the men. They had apparently amicably arranged their quarrel during the passage, as they appear friendly since arriving here. Dickerson imagined that his wife was secreted on board the ship, but an arriving at Astoria he telegraphed to the Brooklyn Hotel, in San Francisco, and ascertained that she had returned there from the ship. Yesterday they demanded their pistols from Captain Bolles, who, after being assured that no bloodshed would take place in his cabin, returned them. Dickerson asked Captain Bolles what he had better do about the woman, and was advised to let her slide, which he concluded to do. Mrs. Dickerson has two children at school at Vancouver, where she was married about a year ago.

Drunken Man Drowned—Suit for Damages

PORTLAND, September 8th.—At 3 o'clock this morning a drunken man walked down the slip of the Stark-street ferry into the river, and was drowned. The accident was seen only by three boys. The man is unknown. The body was not recovered.

Joergen Jorgensen, a Swede, in the employ of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company, has brought suit against the company for $26,000 damages, by having a leg broken and being permanently crippled by the company's neglect.

Died of His Injuries—Sick Chinaman—Escape of a Recaptured Stage Robber—Thrashing Machine Burned.

PORTLAND, September 8th.—Archibald Humme, the young man who had both hands blown off with giant powder on Clark's Fork, died the next day of his injuries. His parents live in Toronto, Canada, and are said to be wealthy.

Many Chinese are dying at the Northern Pacific front of a disease supposed to be scurvy. They employ none but Chinese physicians, hence the exact nature of the disease cannot be learned. They have no vegetables, and live mostly on salt fish.

Harry Cummins, alias "Poker Jack," who broke jail in Arizona, where he was confined for robbing a stage coach, was tracked through Utah, Idaho and Oregon to this city, thence up the West Side Railroad. Near McMinnville a detective suddenly came upon him yesterday, foot-sore and weary, in the road. He was making his way to the Coast Railroad. Upon being confronted, he surrendered without resistance, and got into the buggy with the detective. After riding a short distance Cummins jumped out, got into a thicket before a shot could be fired, and disappeared down a canyon. The detective did not give his name.

The thrashing-machine of Gilpin & Matheson, at work near Wapato Lake, eighteen miles south of this city, was burned this morning. Some one had concealed in a bundle of wheat powder or some other explosive, which ignited as soon as thrown into the separater. The feeder had his arms badly burned, and was thrown from the foot-board to the ground.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Unprecedented Customs Collections.

SEATTLE, September 8th.—The unprecedented number of 112 vessels entered and cleared at the Custom-house of the district of Puget Sound last month. The collections of the office from all sources amounted to $6,300 during the month, or in excess of any previous month since the establishment of the district.

Republican County Convention.

PORT TOWNSEND, September 8th.—The Jefferson County Republican Convention met here to-day, and elected T. T. Manor and C. M. Bradshaw of this city, and R. D. Allridge of Port Ludlow, delegates to the Territorial Convention, to be held at Vancouver on the 20th instant. They were instructed to vote for T. T. Manor for delegate to Congress.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Advices from Victoria.

VICTORIA, September 8th.—The steamer Oltoe, from the Northwest coast, with 5,000 cases of salmon, arrived to-day. She reports pleasant weather the entire trip, and the fishing accounts are good.

Count Zuboff, a German geologist, has discovered a 4½-foot vein of anthracite coal and a large vein of lignite ore on Queen Charlotte Island.

Miners are reported as leaving Takon, and Cassiar is very dull.

The *Colonist* of to-day says: Every one remarks the improved state of things in this city. Empty houses are filling up, workshops are taxed beyond their capacity, stocks of goods are sold rapidly, steamers ply between the mainland and the Island with full freights, hotels and boarding-houses are filled to overflowing, building is brisk, and every man who is able and willing to work can obtain employment. This is all very gratifying. Since 1862 there has been no period when times in Victoria were as brisk as now, and the best of the agreeable change is that business is transacted on a more solid and safe basis than was formerly the case. The increase is due to the steady opening out of the resources of the country and to railway expenditures.

COAST AND STATE.

Flour made in Rogue river valley is delivered in Yreka for $22 per thousand.

The water of the Snake river has become so low that the Gates finds much difficulty in making her trips between Lewiston and South Texas.

It is rumored in Santa Cruz that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company has bought a large portion of the Santa Cruz beach and intend erecting a hotel and making other improvements thereon.

A large party of fishermen went over to a pond near Mr. Glide's last Thursday, taking with them the net recently purchased by Steve Brinckerhoff. In four hauls they secured about 1,500 pounds.—[Dixon Tribune.

The Republicans of Vallejo have made the following township nominations: For Justices of the Peace, C. W. Riley and W. R. Cox; for Constables, R. D. Sanborn and E. Longan; For Supervisor First District, R. J. R. Aden; for Supervisor Second District, C. N. Parker.

The Anderson, Shasta county, *Enterprise* says Robert Pitt, who, a few days ago was sentenced to a life imprisonment in San Quentin for implicacy in the murder of Hays, on Dog creek, was taken suddenly ill after the verdict of the jury was rendered and is still prostrated. The thought of passing the balance of his life in Sing Sing, was probably toe much for his equilibrium.

Sutter county has not been exempt from the uncomfortably warm weather of late prevailing, as the following paragraph from the *Farmer* shows: "George Wallace took a thermometer on a roof that he and two others were engaged in shingling last Friday, the 1st instant, and found that the instrument registered 140°, and would have gone higher if there had been room. Charley Alvord, working in the engine-room of the mill, reports 138° the same day."

Work on the bridge across the Sacramento river at the landing has progressed sufficiently, so that Saturday, September 23d, has been fixed as the day for its completion, and the members of the Board of Supervisors have been notified that it will then be in readiness for their inspection and acceptance. There seems to be a general desire on the part of our people to have a general basket picnic on the occasion, and celebrate the completion of this work with some little ceremony.—[Chico Record.

GENERAL NOTES.

The oldest Freemason in Scotland is Jas. Anderson, of Kilryth, aged 98, who, says the Glasgow *Herald*, has been connected with Freemasonry for fully eighty years.

Mrs. Fanny Sprague, the mother of Mrs Kate Chase Sprague's former husband, dined with her three sisters in Groton, Conn., the other day. The added ages of the four made 349 years and 9 months.

Archæologists are puzzled over a picture lately uncovered on a wall in Pompeii. It appears to be the scene of Solomon's judgment of the two women who claimed the same child.

Baronets seem to be often at a low ebb nowadays. Sir Somebody Wraxall has work in a store at Brighton, and Sir Richard Emanuel Moore, who died lately, was at one time a third-class turnkey at Spike Island, Cork harbor. A final effort to open a coal store in his son's name failed from lack of capital.

COMMERCIAL.

San Francisco Produce Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 8th—1 P. M.

FLOUR—Millers are busy on export orders. Liberal shipments are expected to go forward to China to-morrow on the steamer Coptic. Best City Extra, $5 37½@5 50; Superfine, $4 50@4 75; Interior Extra, $4 75@5 25; Interior Superfine, $3 75@4 ⅌ bbl.

WHEAT—All through the week the market has been very inactive. The inquiry for spot parcels has been almost nominal, while speculation on future account has been less lively than usual. The situation at Liverpool is still discouraging. Floating cargoes are dull, while those on passage are neglected, and off coast are reported weak at ruling rates. The spot quotation also comes through lower. At the moment it would be somewhat difficult to place any round lot at over $1 65, and many operators question even if that figure could be readily obtained. At the Produce Exchange business is notably dull, the recorded sales for the whole week barely reaching 400 tons. Opinions as to the future are conflicting, as usual. There is no scarcity of tonnage, and this fact probably gives holders more strength than they would have if shipping were less plenty. Since the beginning of the month our available carrying capacity has been increased by the arrival of some thirty vessels, most of them belonging in the large register. A decline in rates of freight would create an active grain movement, and more than one operator is calculating on this possibility to stir up business. The only sale that we heard of to-day was a lot of 400 tons No. 1 for export at $1 65 ⅌ ctl, which is understood to be a top price. Millers are getting suitable lots at $1 67½@1 70, which shows an easier condition than existed a few days ago. The following figures present the views of operators on call this morning:

	Bid.	Asked.
No. 1 White—		
September	$1 65	$1 67½
October	1 68	1 70
October, Port Costa	1 68	1 69
November	1 67½	1 71½
November, Port Costa	1 68	.....
December	1 68½	.....
No. 2 White—		
September	1 60	.....
October	1 63½	.....

Quotations of No. 2 grades at leading centers to-day are telegraphed as follows:

	Chicago.	St. Louis.	New York.
Spot, ⅌ cental	$1 63½	$1 57½	$1 79½
September	1 63½	1 58½	1 78½
October	1 56½	1 57½	1 80½
November	1 55½	1 57½	1 83½
December	.....	1 58½	1 86½

At the Grain Exchange this afternoon the sales included 100 tons No. 2 October, $1 63½; 960 do, $1 63½; 100 do, $1 63¾; 100 do January, $1 64 ⅌ ctl.

BARLEY—Business in Feed during the week has been moderately extensive, and public trading at times has been characterized by some little excitement. A strong undercurrent has generally prevailed, and prices have not only been well sustained, but frequently a very buoyant feeling was developed. Several operators have made quick and profitable turns in the interim. To-day it looked as if values had about reached their hight, for the speculative feeling was less pronounced and more disposition was shown to sell than to buy. Operations this morning were confined to No. 1 Feed, being wholly on November account, and embracing 600 tons at $1 30½ and 200 do at $1 30½ ⅌ ctl. No spot transactions of Brewing have been negotiated on call in some time. Old would probably sell from $1 90 to $2 10, according to quality, and a strictly choice lot might bring a trifle more. Standard Chevalier is held at $1 50, and some sales have been made at this figure. Closing prices this morning were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
No. 1 Brewing—		
Seller 1882	$1 36½	$1 38
No. 1 Feed—		
September	1 28½	1 31
October	1 31	1 31½
December	1 30½	1 32
January	1 29	1 32
Seller 1882	1 24½	1 28
No. 2 Feed—		
Spot	.....	1 30
September	.....	1 30
November	1 25	1 27½
December	.....	1 28
Seller 1882	1 22½	1 25½

OATS—The market is tolerably well furnished, and prices exhibit no strength. The range for offerings is $1 60@1 70 ⅌ ctl. A speculative purchase was made on call this morning of 100 tons No. 2 seller 1882 at $1 44 ⅌ ctl.

RYE—A lot of 50 tons No. 2, deliverable in October, was placed this morning at $1 81½. For September deliveries of No. 1, $2 02½ was the best bid on call.

CORN—Buyers scarce. Offers to sell spot lots of No. 1 large Yellow at $1 80 met no response on call.

BUCKWHEAT—No heavy business being transacted. Nominally quotable at $1 40@1 50 ⅌ ctl.

HAY—Alfalfa, $11@13 50; Wheat, $13@16; Wild Oat, $12@15 50 ⅌ ton.

HOPS—Meet with good inquiry. Quotable at 40@50c ⅌ lb.

SEEDS—Canary is fairly concentrated and held for full figures. The crop in Europe is said to be very short and no imports of consequence from that direction are expected. Hemp is a trifle cheaper, while imported Timothy is a shade higher. Mustard, $3 for Brown, and $1 75@1 90 for Yellow; Canary, 4¾@6c; Hemp, 4¼@5c; Rape, 2½@3c; Timothy, 4½@5c for native, and 10@11c for imported; Alfalfa, 10@12½c; Flax, 2½@2½c ⅌ lb.

POTATOES—No accumulation of stock. Prices steady. Early Rose, 85c@$1; Garnet Chile, $1@1 10 ⅌ ctl; Sweet $1 62½@1 75 ⅌ ctl.

ONIONS—50@70c ⅌ ctl for Silverskins and 30@40c ⅌ sack for Red.

BEANS—Bayos, $2 40@2 50; Butter, $3 25@3 50 for small, and $3 60@3 80 for large; Lima, $3 50@3 75; Pea, $2 50; Pink, $2@2 25; Red, $2@2 25; small White, $2 50; large White, $2 30@2 40 ⅌ ctl.

VEGETABLES—Demand not very large, while supplies continue somewhat free. Prices easy. We quote: Marrowfat Squash, $8@8 ⅌ ton; Carrots, 30@50; Turnips, 75c@$1 ⅌ ctl; Cauliflower, 60@65c ⅌ doz; Cabbage, 50@75c ⅌ ctl; Garlic, 1@1½c ⅌ lb; Cucumbers, 25@30c ⅌ box; Green Peas 4c ⅌ lb; Green Peppers, 50@75c ⅌ box; Tomatoes, 15@30c ⅌ box; Spinach, 25c ⅌ sack; Celery, 50c ⅌ dozen; Summer Squash, 50c ⅌ box; String Beans, 3@4c ⅌ lb; Lima Beans, 21c ⅌ lb; Green Corn, 7@13c ⅌ dozen; Okra, 50@75c; Egg Plant, 50@75c ⅌ box.

FRUIT—A good Apple is very scarce. Most consignments are more or less damaged by worms. Peaches are in demand, and a fancy article will sell above our figures. Grapes do not move off very freely, though there is no overstock in market. Blackberries are easing up in supply, and higher rates are asked. Strawberries and Raspberries make a fair exhibit. Melons find quick custom, but prices keep low under heavy receipts. We quote prices: Apples, 25@50c ⅌ bskt and 50c@$1 ⅌ box; Pears, 25@40c ⅌ basket and 40@60c ⅌ box; Bartlett, 50c@$1 ⅌ basket and $1 50@2 ⅌ box; Nectarines, 75c@$1 ⅌ box; Strawberries, $8@10 ⅌ chest; Raspberries, $10@12 ⅌ chest; Peaches, 35c@$1 ⅌ box and 30@60c ⅌ basket for common and 75c@$1 for choice; Figs, 40@75c ⅌ box; Grapes, 35@50c for common, 50@75c for Black Hamburg, 50@75c for Rose of Peru, and 50@80c ⅌ box for Muscat, and 75c@$1 25 ⅌ box for Tokay; Quinces, 75c@$1 ⅌ box; Plums, 25@75c ⅌ box; Blackberries, $6@8 ⅌ chest; Watermelons, $4@8 ⅌ 100; Cantaloupes, 75c@$1 ⅌ crate; Lemons, $8@9 ⅌ box for Sicily and $1@1 50 ⅌ box for California; Limes, $12@15 ⅌ box for Mexican; Tamarinds, 12@15c ⅌ lb; Bananas, $2@3 50 ⅌ bunch; Pineapples, $6@8 ⅌ dozen; Tahiti Oranges, $35@45 ⅌ 1,000. Casaba Melon, 1@15c apiece.

HONEY—Comb, 14@17c; extracted, 7@9c ⅌ lb.

BUTTER—The week has not been marked by any notable change. Trade has been somewhat slim, and only fancy brands have realized top rates. On other grades more or less shading is reported. Fancy, 40c; choice, 35@37½c; fair to good, 26@32½c; inferior lots from country stores, 23@25c; firkin, 29@31c for good to choice, and 25@27½c for ordinary; pickled roll, 30@32½c; Eastern, 20@25c ⅌ lb.

CHEESE — Receipts are comparatively large, and values are less steady. California, 12½@13½c for choice; 10@12c for fair to good; do, factory, in boxes, 15@16c; Eastern, 16@17c; Western, 11@13½c ⅌ lb.

EGGS—On Monday last the market opened with a rather strong tone, and before the close of business the feeling was quite buoyant, resulting in the establishment of a marked advance in prices on Tuesday, which has since been well maintained. Eastern, Salt Lake and Oregon have participated in the trade of the past few days, but the quality of these shipments has not been good enough to interfere with the sale of choice California at better figures. California, choice, 40@45c; Interior, 32½@37½c; Eastern, 30@32½c; Oregon, 35@37½c ⅌ dozen.

POULTRY—Better prices were obtained this morning for most offerings. Live Turkeys, gobblers, 18@20c; do Hens, 16@18c; Roosters, $5@6 for old, and $4 50@6 for young; Hens, $5@6 50; Broilers, $3 50@4 50, according to size; Ducks, $4@5 50 ⅌ doz; Geese, $1@1 25 ⅌ pair; Goslings, $1 25@1 75 ⅌ pair; Goslings, $1 25@1 75 ⅌ pair.

GAME—Hare, $1 75@2 25; Rabbits, $1@1 50 ⅌ doz; Doves, 50@75c ⅌ doz; Venison, 10@12c ⅌ lb.

WOOL—Fall clip is coming forward somewhat freely, but there is no demand, and consequently no values have been established. Business in spring is very dull. We quote:

Humboldt and Mendocino, ⅌ lb	25@26½c
Sonoma	24@26
Siskiyou and Modoc	20@25
San Joaquin, free	17@18
San Joaquin, defective	No sale
Southern Coast, burry and seedy	15@17
Eastern Oregon, choice	23@24
Eastern Oregon, fair	20@22
Eastern Oregon, poor	18@19
Valley Oregon, fine	25@27
Valley Oregon, coarse	23@24

Eastern Wool Markets.

BOSTON, September 8th.

WOOL—The market is ready and firm, with a good demand. Fall prices continue to be obtained. The sales of the week were 3,100,000 lbs of all kinds. Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces sold at 41@42c for XX, Michigan XX fleeces brought 39@40c, and No. 1 Michigan and Ohio fleeces 42@45c. Combing and delaine fleeces were in demand, and there were considerable sales at 43@45c for fine delaine and 46@48c for fine and No. 1 combing. Unwashed wools are firm at 18@23c for low and coarse, 25@30c for average lots of fine and medium, and 32@35c for choice. California spring, 21@22c. Pulled wools are in fair demand at 42@59c for super, 25@40c for common and good. Sales of foreign wool amounted to 300,000 lbs, comprising old Montevideo at 30c, and small lots of Australian and Mediterranean carpet at previous prices.

Eastern and Foreign Markets.

NEW YORK, September 8th.

BREADSTUFFS — Flour is steady and Wheat is irregular, latter at $1 15@1 17 ⅌ bushel.

WOOL—California is more active at 12@14c for fall burry, and 16@20c for clean fall; spring burry, 15@20c; clean spring, 24@32c; pulled, 18@48c.

HIDES—California are strong at 24@24½c.

CHICAGO, September 8th.

WHEAT—94c for October.

CORN—67½c for October.

PORK—$21 05 for October.

LARD—$11 60 for October.

BACON—$12 85 for October for ribs and $13 90 for short ribs.

LIVERPOOL, September 8th.

WHEAT—California spot lots are dull at 9s 6d to 9s 9d. Cargo lots, 44s for just shipped, 45s for nearly due and 45s 6d for off coast.

A leading weekly grain circular says: The continued decline in American quotations has further justified the existing dullness of the grain trade. In most markets prices are 2s lower. Cargoes off coast are 1s lower. The demand has been slow and the supply large. To-day wheat was in moderate demand at 1@2d lower. Flour is steady, at unchanged rates. Corn is in limited inquiry, with prices unchanged.

Sacramento Produce Market—Wholesale

[Corrected daily for the RECORD-UNION.]

SACRAMENTO, September 8th.

FRUIT — Grapes, $1 ⅌ crate; common, 50@75c; Peaches, 3@4c ⅌ lb; Lemons, Sicily, $9@10; do, California, $1 50@2 ⅌ box; Oranges—Tahiti, $6@6 50 ⅌ box; Limes, $1 50@2 ⅌ 100; Bananas, $3 50@4 50 ⅌ bunch; Pineapples, $6@9 ⅌ dozen; Cocoanuts, $6 50@7 ⅌ 100; Plums, 2@4c ⅌ lb; Prunes, 2@4c ⅌ lb; Pears, common, 75c@$1 25; Bartletts, $1 50@2 ⅌ box; Apples, 75c@$1 25 ⅌ box; Siberian Crabapples, 2@2½c.

TABLE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½-lb cans, ⅌ doz, $2@2 12½; assorted, gallon cans, $5; Peaches, 2½-lb cans, $2; Portland Blueberries, 2-lb cans, $2; Whortleberries, $1 75.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, sliced, 6@8c ⅌ lb; do quartered, 5@6c; pears, peeled, 8@10c; do, unpeeled, 4@5c; Plums, pitted, 10@11c; Peaches, 9@10c; do, peeled, 19@20c; Prunes, German and French, 12@14c; Blackberries, 16@17c; Figs, California, 5@7c ⅌ lb, but none of fresh crop in market.

VEGETABLES—Sweet Potatoes, Red, 1½@12c ⅌ lb; Carolinas, $1 60@1 75 ⅌ cwt; Wax and String Beans, 1½@2c; Shell Beans, cranberry, 4@5c; Limas, 4@6c ⅌ lb; Green corn, 15@20c per dozen; Tomatoes, 50@60c ⅌ box; Summer Squash, 1@2c ⅌ lb; Potatoes, 95c@$1 10 ⅌ cwt; Onions, 60@75c ⅌ cwt; Cauliflower, 90c; Cabbage, $1@1 10 ⅌ cwt; Carrots, $1 ⅌ cwt; Turnips, $1 25 ⅌ 100; bunch vegetables, 12½c ⅌ doz; Parsnips, 1½c; Beets, 1c; Celery, 90c ⅌ dozen; Horse Radish, 8@10c ⅌ lb; Green Peas, 5@6c ⅌ lb; Artichokes, 25@30c ⅌ dozen; Cucumbers, 4@6c ⅌ doz; Green Peppers, 4@6c ⅌ lb; Egg Plants, 4@5c; Watermelons, 75c@$1 ⅌ doz, and full market; Cantaloupes, 50@75c ⅌ dozen; Green Okra, 6@7c ⅌ lb.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $5 50 ⅌ bbl; Oatmeal, $5 ⅌ 100 lbs; Oatmeal, yellow, $2 95@2 50; white, $2 35@2 60; Cracked Wheat, $2 75@4.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, 12@13c ⅌ lb; full grown Chickens, $6 50 ⅌ dozen; young Roosters, $3@4 50 ⅌ doz; Broilers, $2@3; Ducks $4@4 50; Geese, $1 50@2 ⅌ pair; Eggs, 30@32c ⅌ dozen.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, fancy dairy, 35@37½c ⅌ lb; mixed lots, in rolls, 3½@35c ⅌ lb; Cheese, California, from 11@15c; Western, flats, 10@15c; Martin's Cream, 18@22c.

MEATS—Beef, 7c; Mutton, 6c ⅌ lb; Lamb, 7@8c; Pork, 10@11c; Veal, small calves, 8@9c; large, 7c.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED—Oat hay, ⅌ ton, $16@18; alfalfa, $10 to $12 ⅌ ton; bran, ⅌ ton, $28; middlings, $28 per ton; barley, whole, $1 40; ground, $1 45; wheat, $1 65@1 75 ⅌ cwt; tame oats, ⅌ cwt., $2 25; corn, yellow, $1 85 ⅌ cwt; white, $2 ⅌ cwt.

MISCELLANEOUS—Seeds—Alfalfa, 10@12½c; Timothy, Eastern, 11@12c ⅌ lb; Oregon, 8@10c; Red Clover, 15@18c; Red Top, 12½@16c; Nuts—English Walnuts, 13@14c; Almonds, 18c; Peanuts, 11@12c; Tallow, 7½@8c; Hides, salt, 9@10c; dry, 19½@20c; Hops—New York, 50@60c; California, 45@60c.

San Francisco Stock Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 8th

MORNING SESSION.

500 Ophir	4 1@4	200 Bullion	70c
370 Mexican	6½@6¾	825 Exchequer	30c
520 Gould & C.	3 65	870 Overman	30c
270 R. & B.	6½@6¾	610 Justice	25c
200 California	75c	450 Union	6½@6¾
610 Savage	1 05@1 10	570 Alta	70c@65c
1475 Con. Vir.	35c	550 Julia	15c
1670 Chollar	2½@2 35	200 S. Hill	10c
1040 H. and N.	2 30	160 Occidental	2 80
1040 Potosi	1 10	600 Andes	1 15@1 25
400 C. Point	1 60	160 Scorpion	75c
470 Y. Ja ket.	1 25@1 20	250 Benton	25c
1120 Imperial	10c	310 Bodie	4½
430 Kentucky	95c	150 Navajo	45c
475 Alpha	1@1 15	600 Prize	75c@30c
100 Belcher	45c	850 Argenta	85c
110 S. Nevada	4½@4 60	180 Albion	1 80
120 Utah	3 60	280 Day	90c

AFTERNOON SESSION.

120 Eureka	14½	485 Union	6½@6¾
1520 Prize	80c	360 Potosi	1 05
1800 Argenta	85c	900 Chollar	2 30@2½
100 Navajo	61	1130 Alpha	1 30
2350 Indepen.	1 40	2230 C. Virginia	65@70c
3100 Eureka	15c	480 S. Nevada	4 90@4½
730 Belle Isle	50c	760 Hale & N.	2 65@2 40
520 Day	80c	500 Julia	15c
1130 Albion	1 85	1285 Savage	1 40
100 N. Belle Isle	50c	1000 Alta	70c
720 Eureka T.	40c	170 Utah	3 80@3
355 Bodie	4 55	100 Imperial	50c
220 Tioga	10c	535 G. & C.	3 80@3½
200 Goodshaw	5c	300 Benton	25c
370 Mono	50c	920 Andes	1 15@1 25
50 N. Noonday	50c	50 Overman	20c
150 Noonday	50c	310 Y. Jacket	1 20@1 25
125 Oro	15c	370 Scorpion	80c
80 Atlas	4 25	50 Exchequer	30c
150 Tiptop	2 10	50 Belcher	50c
220 Pinal	1 60	300 C. Point	70c
80 Ophir	4@3 95	90 Occidental	2½
830 Mexican	61	10 N. Belle	12½
425 Best & B.	6½@6¾	180 Mono	50c
690 Bullion	65c		

DIED.

Los Angeles, August 31—Francis Ducose, 48 years.

OBITUARY.

JOSEPH M. ROBBINS, for twenty-two years a resident of Sacramento, died at his residence, No. 1115 H street, on the 28th of August, having completed his 42d year eight days before his decease. Mr. Robbins was born in the town of Hancock, Vermont. At the age of 6 years he moved with his parents to Columbus, Wisconsin, where he lived until the year 1860, when he crossed the Plains, and arrived in Sacramento City on August 10th of the same year. In 1863 he became a member of Concord Lodge, No. 117, F. and A. M., of this city; and in 1865 he became a member of El Dorado Lodge, No. 8, I. O. O. F., of which his brother members paid him respect by fulfilling his last wish, which was that they should see him laid to rest in good style. Mr. Robbins belonged to the Sacramento Light Artillery in 1868, of which company he was an ex Captain and highly regarded by the company for his prompt and generous ways. Mr. Robbins was married in 1873 to Miss Ellen H. McGrath, of this city, by whom four children were born—two boys and two girls—who sadly mourn their loss. Mr. Robbins was an industrious, hard working man, honest and square in his dealings, generous to the poor, kind and affectionate in his family, and accommodating to all. Peace to his ashes. G. H. R. *

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