COMMERCIAL.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

SACRAMENTO, November 11th.

FRUIT—Lemons, Sicily, $7@7 50 ₱ case; Limes, $1@1 25; Bananas, $3 50@3 75 ₱ bunch; Pineapples, $6@9 ₱ dozen; Cocoanuts, $7@7 50 ₱ 100; Apples, 75c to $1 25 ₱ box; Peaches, $1 50; Grapes, 50c @$1 ₱ box; $1 ₱ crate.

PIE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½ ₱ cans, ₱ doz, $1 50; assorted, gallon cans, $4; Peaches, 2½ ₱ cans, $1 75; Portland Blueberries, 2-₱ cans, $2; Whortleberries, $1 75; Capital Asparagus, $2 25 ₱ dozen cans.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, sliced, 4½@5c ₱ ₱; do quartered, 4@4½c; Pears, peeled, 5@6c; do unpeeled, 4@5c; Plums, pitted, 10@11c; Peaches, 10½@11c; do peeled, 19@20c; Prunes, German and French, 12½@13c; Blackberries, 11@12c; Figs, California, 10@10c ₱ ₱.

TABLE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½ ₱ cans, ₱ doz. $2 80; Peaches, $2 50; Bartlett Pears, $2 40; Plums, $1 90@2; Blackberries, $2 15; Gooseberries, $1 90; Strawberries, $2 75; Apricots, $2 15; Muscat Grapes, $2; Red Currants, $2 40; Cherries, $2 60@2 75.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 70c@$1; Tomatoes, 50@60c ₱ box; Peppers, 40@6c ₱ ₱; Sweet Potatoes, 8@c; Celery, 60c ₱ doz; Pickle Onions, 2@3c ₱ ₱; Onions, 60@75; Cabbage, 60@75c; Carrots, 60@75c ₱ 100; Turnips, 75c; bunch vegetables, 12½c ₱ doz; Parsnips, 1c; Beets, 75c; Horse Radish, 6 @8c ₱ ₱; Garlic, 3@4c.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $4 25 ₱ barrel; Oatmeal, $4 50 ₱ 100 ₱s; Cornmeal, yellow, $2 25@2 50; white, $2 25@2 50; Cracked Wheat, $2 50.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, 20@21c ₱ ₱; dressed, 22@23c; full-grown Chickens, $7 50@8 ₱ dozen; young Roosters, $4@5 ₱ dozen; Broilers, $3@4; tame Ducks, $6@7; Geese, $1 50@2 ₱ pair; Eggs, choice lots, 35@35c ₱ dozen.

GAME—Hare, $1 75@2; Rabbits, $1@1 50; Mallard Ducks, $5@6 ₱ dozen; Teal, $1@1 50 ₱ dozen; Sprig, $2@2 50 ₱ dozen.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, choice, 30@32½c ₱ ₱; mixed lots, in rolls, 28@30c; Cheese, California, 12@13c; Western flats, 16@17c; Marin's Cream, 19@20c.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED—Oat hay, $10@14 ₱ ton; Alfalfa hay, $7@8 ₱ ton; Bran, $17 50 ₱ ton; Middlings, $19 50 ₱ ton; Barley, whole, $20 ₱ ton; ground, $1 10; Wheat, $1 35@1 45 ₱ cwt; tame Oats, $1 75@1 80; white Wild Oats, 1½@ ₱ ₱; Corn, $1 40@1 50 ₱ cwt for choice.

MEATS—Beef, 7@8c; Mutton, 5½@ ₱ ₱; Pork, 8½c; Veal, small calves, 9@10c; large, 8@9c.

MISCELLANEOUS—Seeds—Alfalfa, 11@11½c; Timothy, Eastern, 6½@7½c ₱ ₱; Oregon, 7@8c; Pop Corn, 3½@4c ₱ ₱; Red Clover, 16@15c; Red Top, 11@12½c. Nuts—English Walnuts, 9½@10c; California Walnuts, 9½@10c; Almonds, 12@13c; Peanuts, California, 8@8½c; Lard (California), cans, 14c; Eastern, 14@15c; Hides, salt, light and medium, 8@8½c; heavy, 10c; dry, 17c; Tallow, 3½c; Hops in the absence of any particular movement prices may be nominally quoted at 20@22c.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 11th.

FLOUR—Trade fairly active at steady rates. Best city extra, $4 25@4 80; medium, $3 50@4; shipping, superfine, $2 50@3 50 ₱ bbl.

WHEAT—Although the movement is not quick, still there is considerable certain changing hands. If sales were forced in any way, there would likely be a fall in values, though not to any heavy extent. As it is, shippers keep the market fairly cleaned up of offerings of the better qualities, paying from $1 22½@1 25 ₱ ctl, the latter being a full figure. Millers will give a small advance, say, $1 26@1 27½ ₱ ctl for selected parcels.

On call this morning there was but little disposition to trade, and the session passed without any transfers being recorded. Bidding was as follows:

No. 1 Write—	Bid.	Asked.
Buyer season	$1 25	$1 25½
Buyer season, city	1 26	.....
Buyer 1884	1 25¼	1 27½
Buyer 1884, city	1 27½	1 28½

Afternoon sales were:

Buyer season—700 tons, $1 25½; 100, $1 26; 200, $1 26¼; 100, $1 26¼.

Buyer 1884—100 tons, $1 27½ ₱ ctl.

BARLEY—In the sample market there is very little of interest to note. The tables at the Produce Exchange present a goodly array of offerings, but buyers so far do not appear with any particular promptness, and business is not of a specially active character. Feed descriptions of the better grades sell at a range of 90@92½c, while poor qualities are neglected at 80@85c ₱ ctl. In Brewing there is an easier feeling and prices seem to be shaping more in favor of buyers. Quotable at 95@$1 07½ ₱ ctl.

Call proceedings did not open with much spirit. At first there was scarcely any demand, but the selling element was equally reluctant in forcing trade. Eventually, sales of buyer season contracts were made at $1 07, when buyers became more numerous, and values were quickly run up a cent and a half, with fairly steady support at the close. Details were:

Spot—200 tons, 89½c; 100, 90c; 100, 90½c.

Spot, season's storage paid—100 tons, 97c; 100, 97½c.

Buyer season—300 tons, $1 07; 100, $1 07½; 100, $1 07¼; 100, $1 07½; 200, $1 07¼; 300, $1 07¼; 200, $1 07½; 200, $1 08; 100, $1 08½; 200, $1 08¼; 100, $1 08½; 800, $1 08½; 800, $1 08¼.

Seller season—400 tons, 91½c.

Buyer 1884—100 tons, 91½c; 200, 95c; 100, 95½c; 100, 95c; 200, 95½c.

Seller 1884—100 tons, 92c; 300, 92½c ₱ ctl.

Bidding at the close is represented by the following table:

No. 1 Feed—	Bid.	Asked
Spot	90 ¾	90 ¾
Seller four days	91½	91¾
Buyer season	1 08½	1 08¾
Seller season	91½	92
Buyer 1884	95¼	95½
Seller 1884	92	92½
December	95	95

Sales at the afternoon call session were as follows:

Buyer season—200 tons, $1 08½; 200, $1 08¾; 400, $1 09; 100, $1 09½; 300, $1 09¼; 300, $1 09½; 200, $1 10 ₱ ctl.

Seller season—200 tons, 95c.

Buyer 1884—200 tons, 96½c; 100, 97c; 100, 97½c; 200, 97¾ ctl.

OATS—The market is overstocked, and constant free arrivals have weakened prices. All descriptions are lower. Surprise and Milling, $1 35@1 40; No. 1, $1 20@1 30; No. 2, $1@1 10; off grades, 75c@$1; Black, $1@1 15 ₱ ctl.

CORN—The situation is badly mixed, being largely against the selling interest. Some good small Yellow has been sold as low as $1 05, and it is probable that $1 10 would buy the best in market, though holders are asking $1 15 ₱ ctl. Anything not in good order and nicely dry is almost unsalable at the moment. A somewhat damp parcel was offered on Change to-day at $1, but 90c ₱ ctl was the best bid.

SEEDS—Mustard, $2 50@3 for Brown, and $2@2 25 for Yellow; Canary, 4@5c; Hemp, 3½@3½c; Rape, 2½@3c; Timothy, 5½@6c ₱ ₱; Alfalfa, 10c ₱ ₱; Flax, $2 50@2 75 ₱ ctl.

HAY—Alfalfa, $8@11; Wheat, $12@15; Oat, $10@14; Barley, $8@11; Mixed, $7@10 ₱ ton.

HOPS—Buyers here, as well as at the East, have been too much absorbed of late over election matters to discuss business affairs. They are now, however, giving some attention to the market, though their views of the values are not in accord with those of holders. We learn that, for choice parcels, 16@18c ₱ ₱, f. o. b., is being offered, which figures holders yet decline to accept.

WOOL—Is slow of sales. Offerings free and mostly of good quality. Quotable at 35c to $1 ₱ ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—The late buoyant feeling has entirely disappeared, and the market is without strength or quotable change. Quotable at 90@95c ₱ ctl.

POTATOES—Heavy arrivals from Oregon tend to keep prices for all kinds quite low. Oregon shipments, so far, are said to have been generally of late quality. Early Rose are reported as not so good as last year, while Burbanks and Rivers are superior in quality than for several seasons. Some Petalumas are coming forward, presenting a fair appearance. Early Rose, 55@70c; River Reds, 35@55c; Garnet Chile, 60@65c ₱ ctl; Colley 60c.

ONIONS—Very few of good quality are coming to hand. The bulk of arrivals show bad sprouting. Quotable from 50c to 65c ₱ ctl.

BEANS—Many recent arrivals have been well selling at very low figures. The crops in the southern counties are becoming heavier, and consignees find it hard to place them at our quotations. Many lots are being stored. Colored varieties seem to have suffered most from the wetting they got during the late rains, and in consequence they command little inquiry, but there is no active trading. Eastern buyers are holding off, under the opinion that prices will shape further in their favor in the near future. Quotable at Bayos, $2 20@2 35; Butter, $2 30@2 40; Small Whites, $2 20@2 30; Pinks, $2@2 10; Red, $2@2 10; Lima, $2@2 25; Small White, $1 90@2 10; Pea, $1 90@2 10 ₱ ctl.

VEGETABLES—The market is not heavily supplied, while trade is only moderate in character, at prices quoted. Green Peas, 2½@3c ₱ ₱; String Beans, 5@6c ₱ ₱; Tomatoes, 30@90c ₱ box; Cucumbers, 20@60c ₱ box; Green Corn, $1@1 25 ₱ box; Artichokes, 20@25c ₱ dozen; Carrots, 40@60c; Turnips, 60@75c ₱ ctl; Beets, 60@75c ₱ ctl; Parsnips, $1 ₱ ctl; Cauliflower, 60@75c ₱ dozen; Cabbage, 60@75c ₱ ctl; Garlic, 3@3½c ₱ ₱; Celery, 50c ₱ dozen; Green Peppers, 30@75c ₱ box; Egg Plant, 30@75c ₱ box; Okra, 50c ₱ box for green and 25c ₱ box for dry; Marrowfat Squash, 50@75c ₱ ton.

FRUIT—Of seasonable varieties there is fair exhibit, and prices are uniformly maintained. Apples, 40@60c for common, and 50@$1 25 ₱ box; for good to choicest. Pears, 50@75c ₱ box; strawberries, $4@6 ₱ chest; Quinces, 75@$1 ₱ box; Grapes, 40@60c ₱ box for good and 75@$1 ₱ box for choice; Wine Grapes, $12@18 ₱ ton for common, and $20@25 ₱ ton for the better descriptions; Lemons, $6@7 for Sicily; Mexican Limes, $8@9 50 ₱ box; Bananas, $1 50@3 ₱ bunch; Pineapples, $5 to $10 ₱ dozen; Cranberries, $17@19 ₱ bbl.

BUTTER—The market presents evidences of a weak tone. There are occasional sales of a single lot of a fractive and fancy character at 37½c, but dealers report the bulk of sales at 32½@35c ₱ ₱, including some rather choice brands. Pickled roll is showing increased strength. We quote: Fancy, 37½c; good to choice, 32½@35c; store packed, 15@16c; pickled, 24@25c; firkin, 20@21c for choice, and 15@18c for fair to good; Eastern, 14@18c ₱ ₱.

CHEESE—Supplies are abundant, and the several dairy lots are well stocked. A good article is selling freely at a range of 10@12c, with more and then a sale of something extra at a trifling advance. California is quotable at 10@12c ₱ ₱ for good to choice, and 6@8c ₱ ₱ for poor to fair qualities.

EGGS—Purchasers take just enough to meet immediate wants, owing to a belief that present values will not hold for any length of time. We quote: California, choice, 43@45c; store lots, 38@40c; Eastern, 35c; Utah, 40c ₱ dozen.

POULTRY—Shipments are equal to all requirements. Live Turkeys, gobblers, 18@21c; do, hens, 18@21c; Roosters, $5@5 50 for old, and $5@5 50 for young; Hens, $6@7 50; Broilers, $3 50@4 50 as to size; Ducks, $6 50@8 50 ₱ dozen; Geese, $1 75@2 25 ₱ pair.

GAME—The several varieties are well represented. Quail, $1 25 ₱ dozen; Hare, $2@2 25; Rabbits, $1@1 25 for small and $1 50@1 75 ₱ dozen for Cottontail; Mallard Ducks, $16@18; Canvasback, $4 50@5; Sprig, $2@2 50; Teal, $1 50; Widgeon, $1 25; small Ducks, $1; Grey Geese, $2 50@3 ₱ dozen; English Snipe, $1 50@2; common do, 50c ₱ dozen.

WOOL—Quotations are largely nominal, as there is no trade in progress. Representative operators say the outlook is not encouraging for any speedy revival of business. Stocks will therefore have to be held till circumstances occur to cause movement of more or less magnitude. We quote spring clip:

Humboldt and Mendocino, ₱ ₱	18@20c
Northern	17@20
Eastern Oregon	15@19

We quote fall:

Northern, free, ₱ ₱	12@14c
Northern, defective	9@11
Mountain, free	9@12
San Joaquin plains	6@ 8
Southern coast	6@ 8

FRESH MEATS—Beef is steady and unchanged. Veal shows a small advance. Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers: Beef—First quality, 7½@8c; second quality, 6½@7c; third do, 5½@6c ₱ ₱. Veal—Quotable at 8@11c ₱ ₱. Mutton—Wethers are quotable at 4@4½c and Ewes at 3½@4c ₱ ₱. Lamb—Spring is quotable at 6@7c ₱ ₱. Pork—Live Hogs, 5@5½c for hard grain Hogs on foot; dressed do, 7¼@7¾c ₱ ₱.

EASTERN AND FOREIGN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, November 11th.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour is dull and Wheat is dull and lower.

WOOL—California is quiet and steady at 9@10c for fall burry, and 10@13c for clean fall; spring burry, 10@15c; clean spring, 15@24c; pulled, 23@35c.

HIDES—California are quiet at 21½@22c.

CHICAGO, November 11th.

WHEAT—73¾c for December.
CORN—39c for December.
PORK—$11 42½ for December.
LARD—$6 87½ for January.
SHORT RIBS—$7 25 for January.

LIVERPOOL, November 11th.

WHEAT—Dull. California spot, 6s 7d to 6s 8d; cargo lots off coast, 33s to 33s 6d; just shipped, 33s; nearly due, 33s. Cargoes off coast are dull and on passage are neglected.

MERCHANDISE REPORT.

The following freight passed Ogden November 9th:

For Sacramento—W. D. Comstock, 1 box dry goods; Booth & Co., 90 boxes matches; Kirk, Geary & Co., 2 boxes chalk, 1 box drugs, 1 cask and 2 barrels extracts; J. T. Stoll, 1 case hardware; A. & A. Heilbron, 10 bundles wrapping paper; J. Breuner, 2 packages furniture, 2 boxes marble; W. J. Sloan & Co., 10 rolls carpet; Weinstock & Lubin, 2 cases hosiery.

For Lodi—F. H. Hollis, 2 boxes household goods.

For Georgetown—Sorenberger & Lane, 1 sewing machine.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK SALES.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 11, 1884.

MORNING SESSION.

Ophir	65c	60c	Utah	50c
Mexican	70c	65c	Union	95c
G. & C.	90c		Alta	80c
B. & B.	1 35c	1 30	Occidental	1 25
Con. C. & Va.	1 50c		Navajo	3 85
Savage	55c	40c	Mt. Diablo	3 50
Hosmer	1 85c	1 80	N. Belle Isle	45c
Potosi	90c		Bodie	3 05
H. & N.	3 <illegible>	3 <illegible>	Bulwer	60c
S. Nev.	60c		Mono	1 40
Alpha	1			

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Navajo	3 80	H. & N.	2 90@2 80
Paradise Valley	1	Utah	55c
Bodie	2 75	Jacket	1 55
Mono	1 40	Alpha	90c
Con. Pacific	95c	S. Nev.	60c
S. King	55c	N. B. Isle	40c
Syndicate	15c	Bullion	25c
Ophir	60@55c	Confidence	65c
Mexican	70c	Overman	10c
G. & C.	90c	Union	90c
B. & B.	1 30	Alta	80@75c
Savage	60c	Scorpion	10c
Assessed 50 cents		Benton	20c
Chollar	1 75		

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SAN FRANCISCO ITEMS.

The final heat between the horses known as Blaine and Cleveland came off at the Bay District track Monday afternoon, and Cleveland won. Time, 2:36¼.

The Garfield monument is completed and a portion of it is en route for this city. The bas-reliefs should arrive next month. The statue should be here in time to be dedicated on Washington's birthday.

Dexter W. Knapp, formerly an operator in the employ of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was tried before a jury in Judge Ferral's Court Monday afternoon upon a charge of having tapped the company's wires for the purpose of obtaining cipher dispatches, and the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

Christian Christiansen, well known in this city, died from cholera in Paris Monday. Mr. Christiansen was a pioneer and a prominent merchant here from 1850 to 1874, when he removed to Paris, where he has since lived. He was a gentleman whose death is much regretted by numerous friends and old business associates. He was a native of Norway.

While the political campaign was new a Blaine and Logan flag was flying in the northern seas. This flag was taken out from here by B. F. Spooner on the steamer Beda. It was first raised by Mr. Spooner off the Fox Islands, then off St. Paul's Island, then when the Beda met the Corwin and also for the benefit of the whaling fleet. Mr. Spooner's enthusiasm for Blaine was typical of the Pacific Coast.

The *Call* says: "The story of the peculiar failure of Arthur W. Bowman has not been completely told as yet, and the coming week promises development of a nature that will sink the 'faithful' agent of millionaires, both at home and abroad, deeper into the mire than was heretofore suspected. These developments will it is supposed come to the surface through legal proceedings and the appointment of a new assignee."

John Fitzpatrick, for the twentieth time in the past ten years, was convicted in the Police Court Monday of battery upon his wife. The story of the wife, as stated under oath, was similar to the one she had repeated on nineteen previous occasions. It was that her husband came home drunk, abused her and the children, and then beat them and kicked her. The defendant stated that he would not controvert the testimony of his wife, but would quietly submit to the decision the Judge might render.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The steamships Doran and Umbra have brought to New York $1,000,000 in gold.

General Garfield's mother has been ill in Cleveland since attending her daughter's funeral a week ago.

John McCullough took breakfast at the Chicago Club at noon yesterday. It is thought he is on his way to St. Louis, bent on acting.

Serious election riots have occurred in the Mexican States of Crohuila and Nueva Leon, in which many persons were killed and wounded.

Charles R. Parker, aged 36, cashier of the Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York, shot and killed himself in his house early yesterday morning. His mind was deranged by overwork.

The Imperial Boards of Health of Germany and Austria-Hungary are acting in concert in an endeavor to adopt measures to prevent cholera from securing an entrance into either State.

On account of the continued existence of cholera in France, the Spanish Government has directed that all persons arriving overland from that country shall submit to a quarantine of ten days at the Spanish frontier.

Two Chinese ironclad cruisers are preparing to leave Shanghai for the purpose of attempting to force the French blockade of the island of Formosa. The Chinese have bought nearly the whole stock of English coal in Shanghai.

For Want of a Latch.

An old step-ladder lesson, setting forth the sad import of little neglects, is worth a thousand repetitions:

"For want of a nail the shoe was lost;
For want of a shoe the horse was lost;
For want of a horse the rider was lost—
And all for the want of a horseshoe nail."

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