PACIFIC SLOPE.

MORE HYDRAULICKERS CITED TO APPEAR IN COURT.

Two Brutes Captured — Held for Murder—Opposition to Chinese—The Prewett Case.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

CALIFORNIA.

The Prewett Murder Trial—Brilliant Point Scored by the Prosecution.

HOLLISTER, February 25th.—The prosecution scored a brilliant point in the Prewett trial to-day. The report was current, and seemed to be given color to by the events of yesterday, that Dick Alexander, the conspirator who turned State's evidenc, would refuse to testify to the facts sworn to by him at the preliminary examination. This appeared to be relied on by the defense, and apparently was the source of much anxiety to the prosecuting attorneys, who, without doubt, would have much difficulty in making out a strong case without his confession. When the Court opened this morning, Charles Severman was recalled, and was asked some unimportant questions regarding his previous testimony. Mr. Delmas interposed an objection, and the witness was quickly withdrawn, to give place to Dick Alexander, who at this moment created a decided sensation by his sudden and, evidently to the defense, unexpected appearance in the Court-room, in company with Morse's agent. The defendant was noticed to start visibly and change color perceptibly—the first evidence of anxiety he has shown since the trial opened. His attorneys also appeared greatly disconcerted at the sudden turn affairs had taken. It will be remembered that Alexander was one of the alleged conspirators, and made a confession, his evidence at the preliminary examination being mainly the cause of holding the defendants, and his testimony was the main reliance of the prosecution. After he had been transferred to the Santa Clara County Jail for safe-keeping, an effort was made, and it is commonly stated was assisted by the defendants, to have him released on bail. It was vigorously contested by the State's attorneys, who feared it would result in his leaving the country or making him an unwilling witness, owing to influences which would probably be thrown around him by his co-conspirators in case of his release. W. L. Gill, of San Jose, was, without Alexander's knowledge or consent, employed to represent him. Morse's Agency, acting for the prosecution, arrived at the conclusion that lawyer Gill was acting in the interests of the defense, and would try to prevent Alexander going on the stand. Gill himself stated to the prosecuting attorneys that he would not allow Alexander to testify. He was with Alexander almost constantly, and the indications seemed to be that the defense felt confident that the prosecution would be deprived of its main witness, resulting in a collapse of the case. Morse's men, however, evaded the vigilance of Gill, and had Alexander take the advice of Hon. T. H. Laine, who counseled him to stand by his confession, if it was true. Even then the influence of Gill on Alexander—a somewhat weak-minded young man—was feared, and strategy had to be resorted to in order to get Alexander here without Gill's knowledge. He was secretly removed from the Santa Clara county jail at 2:30 o'clock this morning, arriving just after the Court opened at 10 o'clock—five hours before Gill could reach here, during which time he gave his entire direct testimony. Gill, who got here on the 3 o'clock train, could do nothing, and returned to San Jose this evening. Alexander's testimony was substantially to the effect that three meetings, attended by from nine to eighteen persons, were held, at which the question of Powers being invited to leave the country or be hung was discussed, as heretofore reported. He repeated at length his former testimony, making it stronger than before. He testified explicitly to the fact of Prewett having pointed out where Powers' body lay, and telling him that he had killed him; also, to the administering of the conspirators' oath, and the fact of all joining in the hanging and putting a vigilante card on the body. He minutely gave all the particulars concerning the meetings and the circumstances of the hanging. A rigid cross-examination did not shake his testimony, but brought out the fact that at the meetings he had heard the conspirators give their reasons why Powers was a man of bad character, and dangerous in the community. Among other things, it was stated at the meetings that a settler named Mantez, who had won a lawsuit against Powers, had some horses killed, and deceased was charged with it, although tried and acquitted of the offense; that he was accused of killing cattle belonging to a neighbor; of setting fire to Prewett's field; of burning a neighbor's wagon; had written rhymes disparaging Prewett and his family; had slandered women of the community; had offered to perform an abortion on the wife of one of the alleged conspirators, and if she would bear him a child would give it $10,000; had poisoned his wife, and blown up a house in Alameda county; had committed incest with one of his daughters, and caused her death by abortion. The prosecution protested against the admission of these unsupported allegations, made at the conspirators' meeting, and insisted on being allowed to rebut them, or have them stricken out as not being in any respect testimony before the jury. Alexander occupied the stand all day, and his examination will be resumed in the morning. The prosecution, to-night, express satisfaction over the turn affairs have taken, and state that the way is now open for most damaging evidence corroborating Alexander's statements. The defense also appear sanguine, although somewhat discouraged by to-day's unexpected episode.

The Anti-Chinese Agitation.

MERCED, February 25th.—There was a large assemblage at the anti-Chinese meeting last night. Rev. Dr. Ravlin, of San Jose, addressed the meeting, making a forcible speech, and advising boycotting as the best means of wiping out the Chinese.

NEVADA, February 25th.—A largely attended and somewhat enthusiastic anti-Chinese meeting was held here last night. C. F. McGlashan, of Truckee, addressed the meeting. Speeches were also made by several local speakers. Committees on organization and resolutions were appointed, to report at a meeting Saturday evening.

SAN JOSE, February 25th.—The meeting of the Anti-Coolie League, No. 3, to-night, was largely attended and very enthusiastic. It being announced that McCrossin's Hotel had a Chinese cook, that institution was placed on the black list. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Oakland League, in order to ascertain whether the Lusk & Cutting canneries employ Chinese.

Decidedly Wrong.

MARYSVILLE, February 25th.—Between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning about thirty masked men from Wheatland went to H. Roddan's ranch, two miles east, broke into a house where eleven Chinese hop-primers were asleep, and compelled the occupants to accompany them to the ranch of the Widow Fogg, near by, where another Chinese sleeping apartment was entered, and the Chinamen forced to accompany the mob. One of the masked men struck an old Chinaman on the head with a pistol, wounding him severely. From the Fogg place the mob took their captives to C. D. Wood's ranch, where a number of Chinamen were taken from their house, and the premises were set on fire. The building and contents were entirely consumed. The mob then took the captors to Wheatland and turned them loose. Many returned by morning to the places from whence they were taken.

The Anti-Debris Association at Work.

MARYSVILLE, February 25th.—Complaints have been made, on the affidavits of the Anti-Debris Association's watchmen, and papers have been served on the Eureka Lake and Blue Tent Hydraulic Mining Companies, and on W. H. Wiseman, who is alleged to have been working the Blue Tent, citing them to appear before the Superior Court of Yuba county on March 8th next, and show cause why they should not be punished for contempt, in violating the injunction of the Court, which prohibits the working of the mines by the hydraulic process. There are two complaints against the Blue Tent.

The Slayer of His Mother-in-Law.

PLACERVILLE, February 25th.—Austin Keely, who strangled his mother-in-law, Lucy M. Rice, in Clarksville, last Friday, was lodged in jail here Monday. He is suffering severely from Bright's disease, of nine years' standing. His wife had gone to Folsom for a permit to take him to the Sacramento hospital when the deed was committed. Keely was a Deputy United States Marshal under Drew, and was reported to be wealthy some ten years ago, having $80,000, which he lost in stocks, and now has nothing. Mrs. Rice was reported worth $50,000. Keely is much prostrated from the shock, and continuously mourns bitterly over the deed.

The Boot and Shoe Trade in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 25th.—J. S. Enos, United States Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor, has completed his investigations into the boot and shoe trade in this city, and submitted his report to the meeting of the Boot and Shoemakers' White Labor League to-night. After reviewing the business in a general way, he says: "A large number of Chinese hands have been discharged by white manufactures, and the business of Chinese manufacturers has decreased and is decreasing very rapidly. All this has been derived from the issuance and use of the stamp; but I would suggest the propriety of the League, in conjunction with the manufacturers and dealers, having enacted, at the next meeting of the Legislature, a proper stamp law, compelling the use of the stamp by all manufacturers, designating what kind of labor was used in manufacturing the goods made by them, and containing a penal clause in case of a violation of the law." In conclusion, the report says: "The investigation has practically demonstrated the availability of white boys and girls supplanting Chinese labor in the industry of the boot and shoe trade, if the concerted action of manufacturers and dealers receive proper encouragement from the public at large."

The United States Marshalship.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 25th.—Neither the appointed and confirmed United States Marshal, John S. Franks, nor the Federal Judges have received any reply to their telegrams sent to Washington days ago, making inquiry as to the commission of Mr. Franks. The only explanation suggested for this delay is that the President, at the eleventh hour, hesitated to affix his signature to the commission, for reasons best known to the Chief Magistrate. Some time previous to the expiration of the four years' term of office of Marshal Drew the attention of Justice Field was called to the fact that the time was hardly sufficient for an appointment of his successor and confirmation by the Senate, and asking that the term of Marshal be extended to bridge over the intervene as was done in the cases of his predecessors, this special power being lodged in Justice Field as the Judge of the Ninth United States Circuit Court. On the 10th of December, 1877, Justice Field reappointed Marshal Marcellus, and he continued in office some two months, and until Marshal Poole presented his commission. The latter was also reappointed by Justice Field, and he continued in office three months after his four years' term had expired and until superseded by Marshal Drew. Why the same course was not pursued in the present instance is an enigma not at present easy of solution.

The San Francisco Billiard Match.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 25th.—The second game in the McKenna-Morris billiard contest was won to-night by Morris, who scored 1,612 to 386 by his opponent. The total score for both nights now stands: Morris 3,000, McKenna 1,886.

Verdict of Not Guilty in the Brown Murder Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 25th.—To-night the jury in the case of James C. Brown, for killing B. J. Shay, October 23d, last, brought in a verdict of not guilty, after being out seven hours.

Suicide of a Half-breed Indian.

PLACERVILLE, February 25th.—A dispatch from Justice Tong to Coroner Spencer informs the latter that a half-breed Indian, named John Casaway, committed suicide this morning at an Indian ranch, one mile south of Clarksville, shooting himself twice in the breast. No cause is stated. The Coroner was requested to bring a coffin, as the deceased will be buried at the expense of the county.

Scoundrels Captured.

CHICO, February 25th.—Constable Mansfield returned from Centerville about 5 o'clock last evening, bringing two of the men charged with assaulting an old woman, Mrs. Heard. Their names are Louis Levarne and Richard Walters. Levarne was released from custody by furnishing bail in the sum of $1,000. A large number of witnesses have been called for the prosecution. From all accounts, whisky caused the whole trouble, all the men implicated in the affair having been drinking heavily on the day the crime was committed. The men will have a preliminary examination at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning in Judge Schooler's Court.

Held to Answer for Murder.

GRIDLEY (Butte county), February 25th.—Ah Son, the partner of Ah Gin, who was murdered recently on Streeter's farm, has been held to answer before the Superior Court.

Los Angeles Items.

LOS ANGELES, February 25th.—An inquest in the case of William Knuckles was held here to-day. He was killed near Castaic on the Southern Pacific Railroad, by falling between freight cars.

Public interest continues in the scandal about the alleged corruption in the procurement of the acceptance of the county jail plans. Several of the parties implicated promise to make a clean breast next Monday before the Board of Supervisors. The Superior Judges are urged to call a special Grand Jury. Prominent Democrats and Republicans are involved.

UTAH.

Advices from Salt Lake.

SALT LAKE, February 25th.—The second veto message of the bill to provide more Mormon jurors for the Courts was sent to the Legislature by Governor Murray to-day. The reasons of the veto are that the bill would make inextricable confusion in practice, would cause unreasonable expense in administering the laws and serve no good purpose. Under it there might be as high as three different Grand Juries serving in one Court at one time, and nobody would know before which to bring certain classes of cases. The present method of obtaining jurors is efficient, works no hardship, is prompt and economical. The proposed law would unsettle the practice upheld by the United States Supreme Court, and lead to the reopening of the whole jury question, prolonged litigation, uncertainty and delay in the enforcement of the criminal statutes, from which nobody but the criminal classes would obtain advantage.

The assailants of United States Attorney Dickson were before the United States Commissioner for examination to-day—all but Hugh Cannon, who was smuggled away from the United States Marshal by the Mormon officers, after their promise to hold him. He has not been found. The other three, Frank J. Cannon, Angus Cannon and S. A. Kenner, were arraigned. The testimony sustained the account heretofore wired, and in addition showed that the four were frequently together during the afternoon, in private consultation, and inquiring from time to time for Dickson; also, that they took several drives together. The examination is not finished.

OREGON.

Destruction by Fire.

PORTLAND, February 25th.—A fire this morning in Chinatown gutted two buildings on Second street, between Yamhill and Taylor, occupied on the ground floor by Ye Ark & Co. and Tong Yuen. The loss is about $6,000; partly insured. A defective flue was the cause.

A fire last night at Irving, Lane county, on the O. and C. Railroad, destroyed Geo. Cooper's warehouse. Loss on building, $6,000; insured for $1,500. Seven thousand bushels of wheat, belonging to various farmers, was burned. Loss, $3,500; no insurance. The building is supposed to have been fired by tramps.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Ship Carpenter Drowned.

PORT TOWNSEND, February 25th.—William Poole, a ship carpenter, fell from a boat at Port Ludlow to-day and was drowned. The body is being dragged for, but so far without success. Deceased was about 26 years of age, and unmarried. He has two brothers on the Sound, one foreman of Hale's ship yard and the other Superintendent of the Port Ludlow mill.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Department One—Van Fleet, Judge.

THURSDAY, February 25, 1886.

People vs. M. Zeller, murder—On trial.
People vs. John McIsaacs, assault to murder—Continued until next Monday.
People vs. Maroney, Hust et al., gaming—Same order.
People vs. Lawrence Long, assault to murder—Continued for the term, on motion of the defendant.
People vs. Mary Long, assault to murder—Same order.

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SACRAMENTO MARKET.

SACRAMENTO, February 25th.

FRUIT—Lemons—Sicily, $6 50@7; Limes, $13; Bananas, $2 50@3 ⅌ bunch; Pineapples, $5@6 ⅌ dozen; Cocoanuts, $5@6 50; California Oranges, $1 50@1 75 ⅌ box; Navel Oranges, $4@4 50; Riverside Oranges, $2 25@2 50; Apples, $1 30@1 50; Cranberries, $8 50@9 ⅌ bbl.

PIE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½ ℔ cans, $⅌ doz, $1 20@1 30; assorted, gallon cans, $4; Peaches, 2½ ℔ cans, $1 50; Portland Blueberries, 2 ℔ cans, $2; Whortleberries, $1 75; Capital Asparagus, $2 25 ⅌ dozen cans.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, sliced, 2@3c ⅌ ℔; do quartered, 2@3c; Pears, peeled, 4@5c; Plums, pitted, 5@6c; Peaches, 6½@7½c; do peeled, 12@13c; Prunes, German and French, 5@6c; Blackberries, 12@13c; Figs, California, 4@5c ⅌ ℔.

TABLE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½ ℔ cans, $⅌ doz, $1 85@2; Peaches, $1 90@2; Bartlett Pears, $2 20@2 25; Plums, $1 50@1 70; Blackberries, $2@2 10; Gooseberries, $2 25@2 50; Strawberries, $2 50@2 60; Apricots, $1 70@1 75; Muscat Grapes, $1 75@2; Red Currants, $2 35@2 40; Cherries, $2 35@2 40.

VEGETABLES—Early Rose Potatoes, 80c; Nevada, $1 10@1 20; Onions, $2 75@3; Cabbage, 90c@$1; Carrots, 50c ⅌ sk; Turnips, $1@1 25; bunch vegetables, 12½c ⅌ doz; Parsnips, $1 25; Beets, $1; Horse Radish, 8@9c ⅌ ℔; Garlic, 10c; Artichokes, 40c ⅌ dozen; Green Peppers, 4@5c ⅌ ℔; Sweet Potatoes, $1@1 25.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $4 25 ⅌ bbl; Oatmeal, $3 50 ⅌ 100 ℔s; Cornmeal, white and yellow, $1 85 in 25 ℔ sacks, $2 in 10 ℔ sacks, $⅌ 100; Cracked Wheat, $2 40; Hominy, $3 25 ⅌ cwt.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, 11@12c ⅌ ℔; Dressed Turkeys, 13@14c ⅌ ℔; full-grown Chickens, $4@5 ⅌ dozen; Young Roosters, $3 50@4 50 ⅌ dozen; Broilers, $2 50@3; tame Ducks, $4@5 50; Geese, $2@2 25 ⅌ pair; Eggs, choice California, 19@20c; Quail, $1 ⅌ dozen; Mallard Ducks, $2 50; Canvasbacks, $2@3; Sprigs, $1 50@1 75; small Ducks, $1 ⅌ dozen.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, fancy roll, 20@22c ⅌ ℔; ranch butter, 20@22c; pickled, 23@24c; packed in firkins, choice, 22@24c; common, 15@20c; Cheese, California, 10@12c; Western flats, 13@14c; Martin's Cream, 16c.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED—Oat hay, $14@17 ⅌ ton; Alfalfa hay, $12@14 ⅌ ton; Bran, $16 ⅌ ton; Middlings, $20 ⅌ ton; Barley, whole, $1 35; rolled, $1 50; Wheat, $1 35 ⅌ cwt; White Wild Oats, $2 35@2 50; Tame Oats, $1 50@1 60; Corn, $1 25 ⅌ cwt for choice.

MISCELLANEOUS—Seeds—Alfalfa, 11½@12½c; Timothy, Eastern, 6@7c ⅌ ℔; Oregon, 6@7c; Pop Corn, 3½@4c ⅌ ℔; Red Clover, 14@15c; Red Top, 9@10c. Nuts—Chile Walnuts, 7½@9c; California Walnuts, 8½@9½c; Almonds, 10@12c; Peanuts, California, 4½@5½c. Lard (California), cans, 8½@9c; Eastern, 11½@11½c. Hides, salt, light and medium, 9c; heavy steers, 9c; dry, 18c. Tallow, 4c. Hops—Sales of Pacific coast in New York, 10c; market value here, 5c.

MEATS — Beef, 7c; Mutton, 7c ⅌ ℔; Lamb, 8c; Veal, 8@9c; Hogs, 4@4½c; Dressed Pork, 6½c; Hams, Eastern, 13@14c; California, 12@13c; Bacon, medium, 9½c; selected, 12c; extra light, 13c.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 25th.

FLOUR—Fair trade at steady rates. We quote: Best city extra, $4 25@4 75; medium, $3 50@4; shipping superfine, $2 75@3 75 ⅌ bbl.

WHEAT—The market continues to improve. Prices are showing some slight appreciation, though it cannot be said that the situation partakes of any positive buoyancy. A good trade is in progress, and movement is rapid enough to meet the requirements of shippers. Qualities that come up to No. 1 standard change hands at $1 27½@1 28½, while better product finds custom at $1 30@1 31½ ⅌ ctl.

Call Board sales at the morning session of the San Francisco Produce Exchange were as follows:

Buyer season—100 tons, $1 32½; 900, $1 32½; 200, $1 32½; 900, $1 32¾; 600, $1 32⅞; 100, $1 33.

Buyer 1886—100 tons, $1 35⅝; 100, $1 35⅞; 500, $1 35¾; 500, $1 35⅞.

Seller 1886—2,500 tons, $1 22¾; 100, $1 22⅞ ⅌ ctl.

Afternoon sales were:

Buyer season—200 tons, $1 32; 600, $1 32⅛; 500, $1 32⅜.

Seller 1886—610 tons, $1 22; 100, $1 22½; 300, $1 22¼; 700, $1 22⅝; 300; $1 22½ ⅌ ctl.

BARLEY—Business is quiet. Choice feed is held at $1 27½ ⅌ ctl, but the wants of buyers are apparently not pressing, and there are but few purchasers at anything over $1 25 ⅌ ctl. Brewing qualities are steady at the old range of $1 40 to $1 50 ⅌ ctl.

Call Board sales at the morning session of the San Francisco Produce Exchange were as follows:

Seller season—400 tons, $1 21½ ⅌ ctl.

Afternoon sales were:

Seller season—100 tons, $1 21⅝.

Seller 1886—100 tons, 80½c; ⅌ ctl.

OATS—There is a good supply. The inquiry is not quick, and trade drags more or less. We quote: Surprise and milling, $1 35@1 40; No. 1, $1 22½@1 25; common grades, $1 17½@1 20 ⅌ ctl.

CORN—Quotable at $1 20@1 25 ⅌ ctl for Small Yellow and White. Nebraska is in good supply at $1@1 02½ ⅌ ctl.

VEGETABLES—String Beans continue in heavy supply, while receipts of Asparagus are still increasing. We quote: Asparagus, 8@12c ⅌ ℔; Green Peas, 2½@3c ⅌ ℔; String Beans, 12@15c ⅌ ℔; Rhubarb, 14@15c ⅌ ℔; Cucumbers, 50c@$1 50 ⅌ dozen; Los Angeles Green Peppers, 8c ⅌ ℔; Los Angeles Tomatoes, 75c@$1 50 per box; Artichokes, 35c ⅌ dozen; Carrots, 40@50c ⅌ ctl; Turnips, 75c@$1 ⅌ ctl; Beets, 60@75c ⅌ ctl; Parsnips, $1 50 ⅌ ctl; Cauliflower, 75c@$1 ⅌ dozen; Cabbage, 75c ⅌ ctl; Garlic, 14c ⅌ ℔; Celery, 50@60c ⅌ dozen; dry Peppers, 10@12½c ⅌ ℔; dry Okra, 15@17½c ⅌ ℔; Marrowfat Squash, $12 ⅌ ton.

FRUIT—The market is well furnished with Oranges. For good Apples there is moderate demand, but offerings of this class are slim. We quote prices as follows: Oranges, California, 75c@$1 50 ⅌ box for ordinary stock and $1 75@4 ⅌ box for Navel; Apples, 60c@$1 for common and $1 25@1 50 ⅌ box for good to choice; Mexican Limes, $12@13; do California, 50c to $1 50 ⅌ small box, and $1 50@2 50 for large boxes; Lemons, Sicily, $6@6 50; do, California, $1 25@1 75 ⅌ box, according to quality; Bananas, $1 50@3 ⅌ bunch; Pineapples, $3 50@5 ⅌ dozen.

BUTTER—No improvement. Supplies are large and values easy. We quote prices as follows: Fancy, 24c; choice, 19c; good, 17@18c; fair, 15@16c; mixed lots, 11@13c ⅌ ℔; Eastern, 10@15c ⅌ ℔.

CHEESE—In good request. We quote: California, 6@12c; choice old, 8@9c; fair to good, 5@7c ⅌ ℔. New York Creamery, 15@16c ⅌ ℔.

EGGS—Offerings are somewhat large at the moment, and prices are irregular. Holders of good stock will not sell below 18c, though poor product can be bought at 16@17c ⅌ dozen.

POULTRY—Meets with fair inquiry. We quote job lots as follows: Live Turkeys—Gobblers, 9@10c; Hens, 11@12½c ⅌ ℔; dressed Turkeys, 10@13c; Roosters, $4 50@5 for old and $3@3 50 for young; Hens, $4@5 50; Broilers, $6 50@7 50 as to size; Ducks, $4 50@7 50 ⅌ dozen; Geese, $1 50 ⅌ pair.

GAME—Is not plentiful. We quote as follows: Quail, $1@1 25; Hare, 50c@$1 25; Rabbits, 75c@$1 25; Mallards, $2 50@3; Canvasback, $2 50@3 50; Sprigs, $1@1 25; Widgeon, $1@1 25; Teal, 75c@$1; Brandt, $1 25@1 50; Small Ducks, 75c@$1; Grey Geese, $1 75@2; White Geese, $1@1 25 ⅌ dozen; Snipe, common, 75c@$1; do, English, $2@2 50 ⅌ dozen.

FRESH MEAT—Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers: Beef—First quality, 6½@7c; second quality, 6c; third quality, 5@5½c ⅌ ℔. Veal—Large, 7@9c; small, 7@10c ⅌ ℔. Mutton—Wethers, 6@6½c; Ewes, 5½@6c. Lamb—Quotable at 6½@7½c ⅌ ℔ for Yearlings; Spring, 12½@15c ⅌ ℔. Pork—Live Hogs, on foot, 3@4½c; dressed do, 5½@6½c ⅌ ℔.

EASTERN AND FOREIGN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, February 25th.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour and Wheat are quiet.

WHEAT—12 M.—94¾@95c for cash, 95¾@95⅞c for March, 94⅞@95c for April, 96½@96¾c for May and 97½@97½c for June.

SUGAR—Cuba Centrifugal, $5 70.

WOOL—Quiet at 12@17c for clean fall and 8@10 for fall burry; clean spring, 19@24; spring burry, 15@17c; pulled, 25@37c.

CHICAGO, February 25th.

WHEAT—12 M.—81½c for cash, 81⅝c for March, and 86⅝c for May.

CORN—37½c for March.

PORK—$10 87½ for March.

LARD—$6 for March.

RIBS—$5 45 for March.

SHORT RIBS—$5 75.

LIVERPOOL, February 25th.

WHEAT—Quiet but steady. California spot lots, 6s 7d to 6s 10d; off coast, 34s 6d; just shipped, 35s; nearly due, 35s; cargoes off coast, very strong at extreme prices; on passage, advanced about 3d@6d ⅌ qr.; quantity on passage to Continent, 240,000 qrs.; Wheat and Flour to U. K., 2,000,000 qrs.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK SALES.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 25, 1886.

MORNING SESSION.

Ophir	60c	Con. Pacific	1 35
Mexican	45c	S. Nev	80@75c
G. & C.	1 05	Utah	55c
B. & B.	1 50@1 55	Bullion	50c
Con. C. Va	2 35	Overman	35@40c
Savage	1 35@1 40	Union	55c
H. & N.	2 25	Andes	15c
Potosi	1 15	Bodie	1 55
Jacket	1	Mono	3 80
Alpha	40c	Bodie T.	25c

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Paradise Valley		Potosi	40c
do—dividend, 10c		H. & N.	2 55@2 25
Eureka	2 25	Point	1 20
Bulwer	55c	Belcher	1 10
Con. Pacific	20c	Confidence	1 35@1 25
Crocker	15c	S. Nev	85c
Ophir	60c	Utah	75c
Mexican	45c	Bullion	25c
G. & C.	1 05	Overman	40c
Best & B.	1 55	Union	60c
Con. C. Va	2 40	Alta	10c
Savage	1 40@1 45	Andes	15c
Challar	15c		

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An application was made to the New York Surrogate Wednesday for the granting of letters of administration to Sumner E. Colquitt upon the estate of James Henry Paine, who died on the 23d of December last in the garret of a lodging-house. Although no will or money was found, it is supposed he died a millionaire.

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