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SENATOR PALMER'S BILL TO REGULATE IMMIGRATION.

No Convicts, Paupers, Anarchists, Nihilists, nor Mormon Converts are Wanted, nor Need Apply.

The following is the bill (No. 553) introduced a few days since by Senator Palmer, in the United States Senate, having in view the restriction of undesirable foreign immigration:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be levied, collected, and paid a duty of—dollars for each and every passenger not a citizen of the United States who shall come by steam or sail vessel from a foreign port to any port within the United States. The said duty shall be paid to the Collector of Customs of the port to which such passenger shall come, or if there be no such Collector at such port, then to the Collector of Customs nearest thereto, by the master, owner, agent or consignee of every such vessel, within twenty-four hours after the entry thereof into such port. The money thus collected shall be paid into the United States Treasury and shall constitute a fund to be called the Immigrant Fund, and shall be used under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, to defray the expense of regulating immigration under this Act, and for the care of immigrants arriving in the United States, for the relief of such as are in distress, and for the general purposes and expenses of carrying this Act into effect. The duty imposed by this section shall be a lien upon the vessels which shall bring such passengers into the United States, and shall be a debt in favor of the United States against the owner or owners of such vessels; and the payment of such duty may be enforced by any legal or equitable remedy.

Section 2. That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby charged with the duty of executing the provisions of this Act and with supervision over the business of immigration to the United States, and for that purpose he shall have power to enter into contracts with such State, commission, board or officer as may be designated for that purpose by the Governor of any State to take charge of the local affairs of immigration in the ports within the State, and to provide for the support and relief of such immigrants therein landing as may fall into distress or need public aid, under the rules and regulations to be prescribed by said Secretary; and it shall be the duty of such State, commission, board, or officers so designated to examine into the condition of passengers arriving at the ports within such State in any ship or vessel, and for that purpose all or any of such commissioners or officers, or such other person or persons as they shall appoint, shall be authorized to go on board of and through any such ship or vessel; and if on such examination there shall be found among such passengers any adult person not a citizen of the United States, and not provided with a certificate from the United States Consul for the district of his residence and from which he proposes to emigrate, setting forth, substantially, that the said Consul is satisfied upon diligent inquiry that he is a suitable and desirable person for residence and citizenship in the United States, they shall report the same in writing to the Collector of such port, and such persons shall not be permitted to land.

Section 3. That the Secretary of the Treasury shall establish such regulations and rules, and issue from time to time such instructions, not inconsistent with law, as he shall deem best calculated to protect the United States and immigrants into the United States from fraud and loss, and for the carrying out of the provisions of this Act and the immigration laws of the United States; and he shall prescribe all forms of bonds, entries and other papers to be used under and in the enforcement of the various provisions of this Act, excepting such rules, regulations, forms and instructions to United States Consuls as are hereinafter provided to be prescribed and issued by the Secretary of State.

Section 4. That the Secretary of State shall establish such rules and regulations, and issue from time to time such instruction to Consuls of the United States, not inconsistent with law or with treaty obligations, as shall enable well-disposed and worthy persons who desire to become residents or citizens of the United States to obtain certificates of character and fitness therefor from the Consul of the district in which they reside, without hardship or unreasonable delay, which certificate shall contain, in addition to other specifications required by this Act, or which may be prescribed by the Secretary of State, the full name of the individual receiving the same, the place of birth, age, occupation, last legal residence, physical marks or peculiarities, and all facts necessary for the identification of such individual; but no certificate shall be granted to any convict, except those convicted of political offenses, nor to any lunatic, idiot, or any person unable to take care of himself or herself without becoming a public charge, nor to any Anarchist, Nihilist, or any person hostile to the principles of the Constitution or form of Government of the United States, nor to any believer or professed believer in the Mormon religion who fails to satisfy the Consul, upon examination, that he or she intends to and will conform to and obey the laws of the United States, nor to any person included in the prohibition in the Act to prohibit the importation and immigration of foreigners and aliens under contract or agreement to perform labor in the United States, the Territories and the District of Columbia, approved February 26, 1885, or in Acts amendatory to said Acts.

Section 5. That the Secretary of the Treasury may designate the State Board of Charities of any State in which such Board shall exist by law, or any commission in any State, whose duty it shall be to execute the provisions of this section without compensation. That the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe regulations for the return of persons not permitted to land to the country whence they came, and shall furnish instructions to the board, commission or person charged with the execution of the provisions of this section, as to the mode of procedure in respect thereto, and may change such instructions from time to time. The expense of such return of the aforesaid persons not permitted to land shall be borne by the owners of the vessels in which they came.

Section 6. That the master of any vessel who shall knowingly bring within the United States on such vessel, and land or attempt to land, or permit to be landed from any foreign port or place, any adult person not a citizen of the United States, who has not been granted the Consular certificate described in this Act, shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than $500 for each and every such person so brought, and may also be imprisoned for a term not exceeding one year.

Section 7. That any person who shall knowingly and falsely alter or substitute any name for the name written in such certificate or forge any such certificate, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor; and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding $1,000, and imprisoned in a penitentiary for a term of not more than five years.

Section 8. That no person not a citizen of the United States shall be permitted to enter the United States by land without producing to the proper officer of customs the certificate in this Act required of persons not citizens of the United States seeking to land from a vessel. Any person found unlawfully within the United States shall be caused to be removed therefrom to the country from whence they came, by direction of the President of the United States, and at the cost of the United States, after being brought before some Justice, Judge or Commissioner of a Court of the United States and found to be one not entitled to be or remain in the United States.

Section 9. This Act shall not apply to diplomatic and other officers of a foreign Government, whose credentials shall be taken as equivalent to the certificate described in this Act, and shall exempt them and their body and household servants from the provisions of this Act as to foreign persons.

Section 10. That the Act to regulate immigration, approved August 3, 1882, is hereby repealed.

Section 11. This Act shall take effect at the expiration of ninety days after its passage.

If you have catarrh you are in danger, as the disease is liable to become chronic and affect your general health, or develop into consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures catarrh by purifying and enriching the blood and building up the system. Give it a trial.

Gladstone will treat with the Vatican for its support in the efforts being made to obtain autonomy for Ireland.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

During 1887 the Mint coined $23,390,000 in gold and $2,216,445 in silver.

New Year's calling was seriously interfered with by the rain on Monday.

Mrs. Minnie Griffin died at the City and County Hospital from the effects of burns.

William Aubray, who was shot on New Year's day by James Eagan, died Monday night.

The American Sugar Refinery has raised the price of sugar on all grades one-quarter of a cent.

The rain put a quietus on all outdoor sports on Monday, the football and baseball games having to be postponed.

Jacob Graber was arrested on Monday night for inhumanly beating his two boys aged nine and twelve years, respectively.

The Chief of Police has appointed Sergeant William E. Hall to succeed Counselor Clarke as clerk to himself and the Board of Police Commissioners.

Mrs. Hurley, aged 105 years, a native of Ireland, buried her daughter, aged 63, yesterday. The old lady is dependent on the charity of her neighbors.

Charles G. Sapin died on Sunday evening at his home, 1000 Bryant street, from the effects of chloroform administered to enable him to undergo a surgical operation.

C. R. Guthell, who for the past twelve years has filled the office of Chief Clerk of the Light-house Service in this city, relinquished his position last Saturday, December 31st.

Nathan B. Sutton, who is to be hanged at the Alameda County Jail Friday, is not worrying any over the impending event. He reads a great deal and chats sociably with the death-watch.

More than 9,000 people were vaccinated during the month of December, and the outlook now is that more than twice that number will bare their arms to the lancet before the close of the present month.

A drunken spree on the British ship County Clare, lying at the Beale-street wharf Monday night, resulted in the probable murder of John Christiansen and the drowning of John Hoffman, both seamen belonging to the vessel.

While one of the drivers of the South San Francisco cars, named Fielden, was making his last trip Friday night, a young man boarded his car at Solano street and presenting a pistol at the driver forced him to disgorge his watch and $30 in gold.

General Washington Seawell, one of the veterans of the United States army, lies on his death-bed in the Berkshire Hotel, 711 Jones street. General Seawell is the last surviving member of the military cadet class which passed out of West Point in 1825.

Read the Death Roll,

Which the bills of mortality of any large city may be fitly designated, and you will find that renal and vesical maladies, that is to say, those that affect the kidneys or bladder, have a remarkable prominence—we had almost said preponderance. Bright's disease and diabetes in the chronic stage are rarely cured, and gravel, catarrh of the bladder and enuresis slay many. Yet at the outset, when the trouble merely amounts to inactivity of the organs involved, the danger may be nullified by that pleasant renal tonic and diuretic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which imparts the requisite amount of tone to the organs, without over-exciting them, and the use of which is convenient, and involves no elaborate preparation. Dyspepsia, a usual concomitant of renal complaints, and debility, which they invariably produce, are remedied by it. So also are constipation, malarial, rheumatic and nervous ailments.

The President's New Year's reception at the White House was attended by the diplomatic corps, the army and navy and public officers, and quite a number of the public.

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If I had known of the CUTICURA REMEDIES twenty-eight years ago it would have saved me $200 00 (two hundred dollars) and an immense amount of suffering. My disease (Psoriasis) commenced on my head in a spot not larger than a cent. It spread rapidly all over my body and got under my nails. The scales would drop off of me all the time, and my suffering was endless and without relief. One thousand dollars would not tempt me to have this disease over again. I am a poor man, but feel rich to be relieved of what some of the doctors said was leprosy, some ring-worm, psoriasis, etc. I took..... and.....Sarsaparillas over one year and a half, but no cure. I went to two or three doctors and no cure. I cannot praise the CUTICURA REMEDIES too much. They have made my skin as clear and free from scales as a baby's. All I used of them was three boxes of CUTICURA, and three bottles of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, and two cakes of CUTICURA SOAP. If you had been here and said you would have cured me for $200 00 you would have had the money. I looked like the picture in your book of Psoriasis (picture number two, "How to Cure Skin Diseases"), but now I am as clear as any person ever was. Through force of habit I rub my hands over my arms and legs to scratch once in a while, but to no purpose. I am all well. I scratched twenty-eight years, and it got to be a kind of second nature to me. I thank you a thousand times. Anything more that you want to know write me, or anyone who reads this may write to me and I will answer it. DENNIS DOWNING.

WATERBURY, VT., Jan. 20th, 1887.

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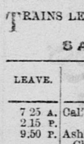

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JANUARY 1, 1888.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARE DUE TO ARRIVE —AT— SACRAMENTO.

LEAVE.	TRAINS RUN DAILY.	ARRIVE.
7 25 A.	Cal'stoga and Napa	10 25 A.
2.15 P.	" " " "	8.05 P.
9.50 P.	Ashland and Portland, via Chico	4.10 A.
3.50 P.	Colfax	10.50 A.
8 50 A.	Deming, El Paso and East	5.0 P.
7.10 P.	Knight's Landing	6.55 A.
5.00 P.	Los Angeles and Mojave	9 45 A.
10 50 A.	Ogden and East	4 40 A.
8 50 P.	" " "	7 00 A.
2:45 P.	Red Bluff, via Marysville	10:11 A.
11.35 A.	Redding, via Willows	3.15 P.
4:30 A.	San Francisco, via Benicia	9:40 P.
4:55 A.	" " " "	10:25 A.
6:00 A.	" " " "	8:25 P.
10:00 A.	" " " steamer	6:00 A.
11:5 A.	" " Livermore	1:40 P.
7 25 A.	" " Benicia	8 25 P.
2 15 P.	" " "	12:10 P.
11:5 A.	San Jose	1.40 P.
8:0 P.	Santa Barbara	9:45 A.
8:10 A.	Stockton and Gait	5:00 P.
5:00 P.	" " "	9 45 A.
10:50 A.	Truckee and Reno	4 40 A.
8:50 P.	" " "	7:00 A.
7:25 A.	Vallejo	10:25 A.
2:15 P.	"	*8:05 P.
8:00 A.	Folsom and Placerville	1:30 P.
5:10 P.	Folsom	6:50 A.

*Sundays only.
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PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK,

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND HAS BEEN DECLARED BY the People's Savings Bank for the term ending December 31, 1887, at the rate of six per cent. per annum on term deposits and four and one-half per cent. per annum on ordinary deposits, payable January 3, 1888.

ja2-1w WM. F. HUNTOON, Cashier.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento to have Twenty-fifth street, from H to R, improved by grading to the official grade, constructing Oregon pine plank crosswalks and drainage culverts. Said improvements to be made in accordance with a resolution passed by the Board of Trustees on the 27th day of DECEMBER, 1887, to which all parties interested are referred for further particulars.

d29-5t JOHN RYAN, Street Commissioner.

COMMERCIAL.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

SACRAMENTO, January 3d.

FRUIT—Lemons—Sicily, $7@7 50 ⅌ box: Malaga Lemons, $6@6 50 ⅌ box: Limes, $10@12 ⅌ box, $1 75@2 ⅌ 100; Bananas, $3@3 50 ⅌ bunch for Island; Pineapples, $6@6 50; Cocoanuts, $6@7: Apples, 50c@$1: Apples, fancy, $1 50@2: Eastern Apples, $5@5 50 ⅌ bbl: Grapes, about out of market; Cranberries, $12@13 ⅌ bbl; Oranges, Mexican, $4 ⅌ box, $2 ⅌ hundred; California, $3@4.

DRIED FRUITS—New crop Apples, sliced, 5@6c ⅌ lb; evaporated, 10@11c; do quartered, 4@5c; Pears, peeled, 6@7c; Plums, pitted, 10@11c; Peaches, 10@11c; do peeled, 20@22½c; Prunes, German, 6@8c; French, 10@11c; French Prunes, evaporated, 12½c: Blackberries, 12½@13c; Figs, California, 4@5c: Apricots, 9@10c; Nectarines, 8@9c; California Figs, ⅌ 20 lb bx, $1 10; per pound in sks, 5c; Smyrna Ovals, 15c; Flats, 16@17c; Tubs, 9½@10½c; Dates, 50-lb bxs, 8¼@9¼c; Dates, Cartoons, 10@14c.

TABLE FRUIT—Assorted, 2½-lb cans, ⅌ doz, $2; Peaches, $2 40; Bartlett Pears, $2 10; Plums, $1 50@1 70; Blackberries, $2@2 10; Gooseberries, $1 90@2: Strawberries, $2 50@2 75; Apricots, $1 80@1 90; Muscat Grapes, $1 60@1 75; Red Currants, $2 15@2 20; Cherries, $2 25@2 75.

PIE FRUITS—2½-lb cans, Apples, $1 30; Apricots, $1 35; Blackberries, $1 50; Green Gages, $1 25; Gooseberries, $1 55; Grapes, $1 25; Plums, $1 30; Pears, $1 35; Peaches, $1 55 ⅌ doz.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes—Early Rose, 80c@$1; Snowflakes, $1 25@1 50; Peerless, $1@1 15; Salt Lake, $1 15; Lovelocks, $1; Garnet Chile, 90c@$1; Nevadas, $1@1 25; Burbanks, 90c@$1; Onions, $1@1 40; Cabbage, $1 10@1 35; Carrots, 50@60c ⅌ 100 lbs; Turnips, 65@75c ⅌ sack; bunch vegetables, 10c ⅌ doz; Parsnips, $1; Beets, 75c; Horse Radish, 4@6c ⅌ lb; Garlic, 2@3c; Artichokes, 50@60c ⅌ dozen; Sweet Potatoes, $1 75@2; Green Peppers, 7@8c ⅌ lb; Cauliflower, 75c@$1; Celery, 0@60c; Winter Squash, $15@20 ⅌ ton.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $4 25 ⅌ bbl; Oatmeal, 10-lb sack, 4c ⅌ lb, $3 80 100-lb sack; Cornmeal, white and yellow, $1 85 ⅌ 25 lb sacks, $2 in 10-lb sacks; Cracked Wheat, $2 60, 10-lb sacks; $2 40, 100-lb sacks; Hominy, $2 75, 10-lb sack; $2 55 ⅌ 100 lbs.

POULTRY—Dealers' prices: Live Turkeys, hens, 15@16c; gobblers, 14@15c; dressed, 17½@20c; full-grown Chickens, $6@6 50 ⅌ dozen; young Roosters, $5 50@6 50 ⅌ dozen; broilers, $3@5; tame Ducks, $7@8; Pekin, $8@9; Geese, $2@2 25 ⅌ pair.

GAME—Canvasbacks, $6@6 50; Mallards, $3; Sprig, $1 80@2; Widgeons, $1@1 20; Teal, $1@1 20; small Ducks, $1 20@1 25; Gray Geese, $3 50; Brants, $2 50; White Geese, $1 50; China Geese, $1 50. Quail, $1 25; Cotton-tails, $1 20; Hare, $2; Squirrel, $1 50.

EGGS—California, 22½@35c; Eastern, 30c ⅌ dozen.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, fancy roll, 42½@45c ⅌ lb; mountain butter, 30@35c; pickled, 33@37½c; packed in firkins, choice, 30@32½c; common, 20@25c; Cheese, California, 15@16c; Young America, 16@17c; Limburger, 17c; genuine Swiss, 29c; American Swiss, 21c; California Swiss, 18@20c; Martin's Cream, 16½c.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED—Oat Hay, $15@16 ⅌ ton; Alfalfa do, $10@12 ⅌ ton; Bran, $17 ⅌ ton; Middlings, $20 ⅌ ton; Barley, whole, paying 85@90c; rolled, $1 05; Wheat (choice milling), paying $1 35 ⅌ cwt: Rye, $2 25; Tame Oats, $1 75; Wild Oats, $1 75@1 90; Corn, paying $1 10 ⅌ cwt.

MISCELLANEOUS—Seeds—Alfalfa, 8@8½c; Timothy, Eastern, 6½@7c ⅌ lb; Pop Corn, Ear, 2 @ 3c, Shelled, 3 @ 3½c; ⅌ lb; Red Clover, 10@11c ⅌ lb; Red Top, 6½ @ 7c. Nuts—Chile Walnuts, new, 8@9c; California Walnuts, 11@12c; Almonds, new, 14@15c; Brazils, California, 6@6½c; Lard (California), cans, 7¼@8¼; Eastern, 8¼@9½c. Hides, salt, light and medium, 6c; heavy steers, 8c; dry, 13c. Tallow, 3¼c. New Hops, 10@12c, nominal.

MEATS—Beef, 6@7c; Mutton, 6@7c; Lamb, 8c; Veal, 7@9c; Hogs, 4½@4¾c; dressed Pork, 6½c; Hams—Eastern, 14½@15c; California, 12½c; Bacon—Medium, 11@11½c; selected, 12c; extra light, 13c.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 3d.

FLOUR—We quote net cash prices for California: Best Family, $3 90@4 10 ⅌ bbl; Bakers' extra, $3 90@4 10; Superfine, $2 80@3 25.

WHEAT—The wet weather of the past two days has necessarily tended to create an easier feeling, and temporarily check buying operations. Light offerings for some time have prevented any heavy purchasing, and it is not unlikely that the late storm may be the means of inducing owners to part with a portion at least of their holdings. For a day or two, however, there will probably be a lull in trade, until full knowledge is obtained of the extent of the rains. At the moment $1 37½ ⅌ ctl must be accepted as the top figure for standard shipping grades.

BARLEY—The market this morning held up better than most people expected, considering the good rain that occurred since the close of Change last Saturday. No feed of desirable quality could be bought under 87½c ⅌ ctl, while there seemed to be no great pressure to realize. Dark qualities of course were to be had at lower figures. In Brewing there is no active movement, though prices show fair steadiness at a range of 95c@$1 05 ⅌ ctl. Chevalier is quiet as a general remark. Still, custom could perhaps be found for fancy product above the prices we quote, but offerings of this class are too small to occasion any activity in the general market. Quotable at $1 20@1 25 for standard; fair to good bay, $1@1 17½; fair to good coast, 85@90c ⅌ ctl.

OATS—Holders continue to handle the market with prudence. Offerings are fairly liberal, to be sure, though not excessive, while there is active demand, and stocks work off well. So long as the present conservative way of supplying the market is observed, there is not likely to be any very marked lowering of figures. No. 1 Feed, $1 45@1 50; No. 2, $1 35@1 40; Milling, $1 50@1 55; Surprise, $1 60; Black, $1 30@1 35 for common, and $1 37½@1 45 ⅌ ctl for good to choice.

CORN—A prominent operator is understood to have arranged for the purchase of about all stock offerings, so that the market will for a time be under pretty good control. Quotable at $1 27½@1 27½ for Large Yellow, $1 30 ⅌ ctl for Small Yellow and $1 27½ ⅌ ctl for White.

CRACKED CORN—Quotable at $28@29 ⅌ ton.

COINMEAL—Millers quote Feed at $28@29 ⅌ ton; fine kinds for the table, in large and small packages, 2½@2¾c ⅌ lb.

CILCAKE MEAL—Quotable at $32 50 per ton for old process and $27 50 ⅌ ton for new process at the mills.

SEEDS—No good Brown Mustard on the market. Choice Yellow is held above the views of buyers, many parties asking $2, and declining to take less. Before inquiry for Alfalfa is expected. We quote prices as follows: Mustard, Brown, $2 50@3; Yellow, $1 85@1 90 ⅌ ctl; Canary, 3¼@3½c: Hemp, 3½@4c; Rape, 1½@2½c; Timothy, 7c; Alfalfa, 7½@8c ⅌ lb; Flax, $1 90@2 ⅌ ctl.

MIDDLINGS—Prices were easier this morning. Quotable at $19 50@20 50 ⅌ ton.

HAY—There has been no market, so to speak, for a week, the holidays and wet weather temporarily stopping all trade. Business opened fairly to-day at steady prices, though buyers are looking for easier rates. We quote as follows: Choice Wheat, $17@18; Oat, $12@15; Wheat and Oat, $14@16 50; Barley, $10@14; Alfalfa, $13@14 ⅌ ton.

STRAW—Good to choice is quotable at 40@55c ⅌ bale.

HOPS—Small demand on local account. No orders for shipment. A round lot of good Russian River is said to have passed into the hands of a speculator on a basis of 5c ⅌ lb, while it is claimed that a first-class article of California is offered at 5c ⅌ lb, without bringing out a customer.

BRAN—Lower prices prevailed to-day. Quotable at $16@17 ⅌ ton.

RYE—The last reported sale was at $2 50 ⅌ ctl. The article is scarce.

BUCKWHEAT—None in market. Price nominal.

GROUND BARLEY—Quotable at $21@22 ⅌ ton.

POTATOES—There is good tone to the market. An article of first-class character is wanted, and buyers readily pay full figures for product that suits. We quote jobbing lots as follows: River Reds, 60@65c; Petalumas, 75@85c; Tomales, 70@90c; Jersey Blues, 75@85c; Burbank Seedlings, $1 10@1 35; Early Rose, 90c@$1; Peerless, 75@90c; Sweet, $1 25@2 ⅌ ctl.

ONIONS—There is more or less trash that can be bought under our lower figures. We quote: Choice, $1@1 15; poor, 60@70c ⅌ ctl.

DRIED PEAS—We quote: Blackeye, $1 75 to $2; Niles, $1 50@1 75; Green, $1 50@1 75 ⅌ ctl.

BEANS—There have been liberal shipments East, both by rail and steamer, within a week. Good demand prevails for the several descriptions, and prices accordingly show strength. We quote: Bayos, $2 30@2 40; Butter, none offering; Pink, $2 25@2 40; Red, $2 20@2 30; Lima, $2 30@2 60; Pea, $3 25@3 50; Small White, $3 25@3 50 ⅌ ctl.

VEGETABLES—Varieties continue limited, and trading is necessarily slow. We quote as follows: Marrowfat Squash, $6@8 ⅌ ton; Turnips, $1@1 25 ⅌ ctl; Beets, 75c@$1 ⅌ sack; Carrots, 30@40c; Parsnips, $1 25@1 50 ⅌ ctl; Cabbage, $1 ⅌ ctl; Garlic, ½@1¼c ⅌ lb; Dry Peppers, 8@10c.

FRUIT—The market is well stocked with Apples, and it must be something of extra good quality to bring over $1 ⅌ box, and these advanced prices are only obtained in retail fashion. Now that the holidays are over, buyers can have Lady Apples at about their own prices. There is fair representation of Pears, but custom is found only for the more choice qualities. The late storm has probably stopped all further shipments of Grapes this season. Liberal receipts of Oranges have been coming to hand for the past week, but there was a good proportion of windfalls among arrivals and such had to be sold at low prices. Even choice product did not move off as freely nor at as good prices as just before Christmas time. Mexican Limes are still scarce and high. Offerings of native and foreign Lemons are fair, meeting with moderate demand. We quote prices: Apples, 50@75c ⅌ box for common, and $1 10@$1 50 for good to choice; Eastern Apples, $2 50@4 50 ⅌ bbl; Pears, 50c@$1 75 ⅌ box; California Oranges, $1 25@2 50 ⅌ box; Navel, $2 50@4 ⅌ box; Oonshiu Oranges, Japan, $1@1 25 ⅌ quarter box; Mexican Limes, $10@12 ⅌ box; California Limes, $1@1 25 ⅌ small box, and $2@3 ⅌ large box; Lemons, Sicily, $7@8; California Lemons, $2@4 ⅌ box; Bananas, $2@3 50 ⅌ bunch; Pineapples, $2 50@4 ⅌ dozen; Cranberries, $10 50@11 50 ⅌ bbl.

DRIED FRUITS—Market dull and unsettled, with tendency to lower prices. We quote: Sun-dried Apples, 5c ⅌ lb for sliced and 4c for quartered; Alden 10c; Apricots, 11@13c for sun-dried bleached; do, sun-dried, 9@10c; Blackberries, 11@14c; Figs, 5@6c for pressed; 8@9c for unpressed; Smyrna Figs, 12½@14c for layers, and 9@10c for kegs; Nectarines, 8@10c; Peaches, 18@22½c for peeled, and 8@10c for unpeeled; Pears, 5@4c for whole and 5@6c for sliced; machine-dried, 9@10c; Plums, 9@10½c for pitted and 2c for unpitted; German Prunes, 8@9c; French Prunes, 8@11c ⅌ lb; Raisins, London Layers, $1 75@2 ⅌ box, with 25@75c advance for fractions; Common, $1 25@1 50 ⅌ box.

HONEY—Arrivals are very small, but this fact does not give the market any firmer tone, as prices have already touched a point at which it is not easy to secure general custom. Lower figures will be necessary to give the market any great activity. We quote: Bright comb, 15@18c; dark comb, 10@12½c; bright extracted, 7@8c; amber extracted, 5@6½c; dark extracted, 5@5½c, candied, 4½@5c ⅌ lb.

BUTTER—Prices of fresh qualities have kept steady during the past week, and firmness will continue to be a feature of the market until the output from dairies is much larger than just at present. There is no pickled roll to be had, while offerings of firkin are light, so that buyers are almost compelled to take fresh Butter to supply their needs. Under such circumstances it is not surprising that receipts clean up well at full figures. We quote prices as follows: Fancy, 45c; good to choice, 42@44c; fair, 37½@42½c; firkin, 30@32½c for fancy, 22@27½c for good; Eastern, 14@25c ⅌ lb for ordinary to fairly good quality.

CHEESE—Stocks of fancy new are light and the market shapes favorably for sellers. We quote: Fancy, new, 15@16c; good to choice old, 13@15c; Eastern, 14@16c ⅌ lb.

EGGS—A feature of the week was the arrival of a consignment from Canada, selling at about the same figures as Eastern. Now that the holidays have passed, the demand is less pressing, and slight accumulations of stock have already given a weaker tone to the market, with the probabilities of further decline in the near future. We quote prices: California, 35@37½c for ranch, and 34@35c for store; Eastern, cold storage, 25@26c; fresh, 27½@30c ⅌ dozen.

POULTRY—There was quite an improvement in prices to-day, as supplies were light, and no heavy receipts from the interior are likely until the roads dry up. We quote: Live Turkeys—Gobblers, 17@18c ⅌ lb; Hens, 16@17c; dressed Turkeys, 18@20c ⅌ lb; Eastern, $4@6 per doz, and $6 50@7 50 for verne; Ducks, $5 50@6 for ordinary stock, and $7@7 50 for choice; Broilers, $5 50@6 50; Ducks, $9@12; Geese, $1 75@2 25 ⅌ pair; Pigeons, $1 25@2 ⅌ dozen.

GAME—Canvasbacks sold at high prices this morning, the receipts being small, with competition among buyers. We quote as follows: Quail, $1 50@1 75 ⅌ dozen; Canvasbacks, $6@7 ⅌ dozen; Mallards, $4@4 50 ⅌ dozen; Sprig, $2 25@2 75 ⅌ dozen; Teal, $1@1 25; Widgeon, $1 25@1 50 ⅌ dozen; Snipe, English, $2 50@3 ⅌ doz; do common, 50c@$1; small Ducks, 75c@$1; Gray Geese, $2 50@3 ⅌ dozen; White Geese, 75c@$1 25 ⅌ dozen; Brant, $1@1 25 ⅌ dozen; Honkers, $4@4 50; Rabbits, $1 25@1 50; Hare, 50c@$1 25 ⅌ dozen.

PROVISIONS—The old year closed on a fairly active market, and the new one opens with good prospect of general activity in all lines of goods. We quote prices as follows: Eastern Hams, 13½@14c; California, 10@11c for salt; refrigerator-cured, 12½@13c; Eastern Breakfast Bacon, 12@12½c; California Bacon, 10@10½c for heavy and medium, 11@11½c for light medium and 11½@12c for light, 12@12½c extra light; Clear Sides, 10½@11c; Pork, $9 50@10 ⅌ bbl for extra prime, $10@11 for prime mess, $15 50@16 for mess, $16 50@17 for clear, $17 50@18 for extra clear; Pigs' feet, $11 50@12; Mess Beef, $9 50@10 for bbls, $4 75@5 for hf bbls; Extra Mess Beef, $10 50@11 for bbls, $5 50@5 75 for hf bbls; Family Beef, $12½@13 ⅌ bbl; California Smoked Beef, 12@12½c ⅌ lb; Eastern Lard, 8¼@9c for tierces and 9¼@10c ⅌ lb for pails; California do, tierces, 8¼c; hf bbls, 9c; 10-lb tins, 7¾c; 5-lb tins, 8c; pails, 9c for 10-lb, 9¼c for 5-lb, and 9¾c ⅌ lb for 3-lb pails.

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