COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the San Francisco and Sacramento Markets.

A Marked Improvement Noted in Almost all Lines in Local Circles.

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Trade was quite fair to-day in all branches. Clearing weather imparts a more cheerful feeling to merchants, even chronic croakers are less outspoken in their complaints against everything except their fossilized methods of doing business. In farm products trading in cereals was lighter. In fruit, trading continues very active, with the market cleaning up daily. So far the fruit averages larger in size and more fairly in flavor than for two or three years past, and as a result we have good prices and a cleaned up market. Canners have commenced to contract, and, as a rule, they pay better prices than they did at this time last year. They want the better grades. The silver market continues strong, with an advance reported to-day. The steamer which left to-day for China took out over 750,000 Mexican dollars, and in silver bullion, $128,500.

CEREALS.

Receipts—Flour, 4,666 barrels; Wheat, 1,369 centals; Barley, 1,065 centals; Rye, 420 sacks.

WHEAT—The market was quiet to-day. To sell the lower quotations had to be submitted to, but to buy the higher quotations had to be paid. The tonnage in port is steadily increasing, and there does not appear to be so firm a tone for charters. No new Wheat is coming in. Oregon advices report that the crop this year in Eastern Oregon and Eastern Washington will be about 20 per cent. less than it was in 1891. We quote as follows: Shipping, $1 35@1 36¼ for fair to good; choice to gilt-edged, $1 37½@1 42½; milling, $1 42½@1 45 for fair to good, $1 47½@1 52½ for choice to gilt-edged.

FUTURES.

Although actual trading on Call was light, yet there appeared to be a better feeling. It would seem as if the bears had, through cross-orders, forced futures to as low prices as it is possible to send them for safety. At the low ranges, very few legitimate sales have been made.

CALL BOARD SALES.

Following are the sales recorded at the Call Board to-day:

WHEAT—Morning—Informal: Seller 1892, 500 tons, $1 39½ ₱ ctl.

Regular session: Seller 1892, 100 tons, $1 39½; 1,000, $1 39; 800, $1 38⅞ ₱ ctl.

Buyer December—100 tons, $1 44½ ₱ ctl.

BARLEY—Regular session: Seller 1892, new, 200 tons, 93c; 200, 93¼c; 100, 93⅜c ₱ ctl.

December—100 tons, 96¾c; 100, 97c ₱ ctl.

Afternoon—Wheat—Seller 1892, 100 tons, $1 38⅞ ₱ ctl.

BARLEY—Seller 1892, new, 100 tons, 93¼c; 200, 93c ₱ ctl.

BARLEY—The same unsatisfactory condition obtains as has been heretofore reported. To sell, low prices must be submitted to, but to buy, full asking prices have to be paid. The stock in this city is being steadily drawn on, owing to receipts not coming up to requirements. At the close to-day it was stated that a slightly steadier feeling set in. We quote the market as follows: Feed, fair to good, 90@93¾c; choice to extra choice, 95@98¾c; brewing, $1 02½@1 12½.

OATS—Trade continued fair. The bulk of yesterday's receipts were sold, and at full asking prices for the better grades. We quote the market strong as follows: Feed, $1 32½@1 35 for fair to good, $1 42½@1 50 for choice to extra choice, $1 52½@1 55 for gilt-edged; Surprise, $1 55@1 60; gray, $1 30@1 37½.

CORN—The market was barely steady to-day. Some sales were made in a small way at our quotations. The market is quoted as follows: Yellow, large, $1 30@1 35; small, $1 35@1 40; White, $1 35@1 40.

FEEDSTUFF.

Receipts—Bran 1,312 sks, Middlings 215 sks, Hay 304 tons, Straw 20 tons.

Bran and Middlings are steady at full prices, but Feed Meal is shaded. Some of the dealers in ground and rolled Barley have lowered the price. The market is quoted as follows: Bran jobs at $17 50@18 50 ₱ ton; Middlings at $20@21; Rolled Barley at $22@24; Feed Meal at $27 50@30.

HAY—Receipts of new continue in excess of the demand. Until new Hay is more mature old Hay will take preference with many feeders. The market is quoted as follows for new: Wheat and Oat, $9@11; Alfalfa, $6@7 50; Oat, $8@9 50. Old Hay is quoted as follows: $11@14 ₱ ton for Wheat, $10@12 for Compressed, $10@12 for Oat, $10@12 50 for Wheat and Oat, $10@12 for Wild Oat, $10@12 for Barley, $8@10 for Alfalfa, $8@10 for Stock. Straw is quoted at 45@60c ₱ bale.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Receipts—Butter 350 ctls, Cheese 205 ctls; Eggs 6,700 dozen.

BUTTER—The market is easy, with concessions obtainable. If the weather turns off warm much lower ranges are reasonably looked for. Buyers are holding off for lower prices. The market is weak at the following quotations: Fair to good, 16@17½c; choice, 19@20c; gilt edged, 21c for dairy and 22c for creamery.

CHEESE—The market continues to be reported weak, yet we are not able to get lower prices. We quote as follows: Creamery, gilt-edged, 8½@9c; good to choice, 8@8½c; fair to good, 7@7½c; Young America, 8@10c; boxed, slightly more.

EGGS—The market continues to strengthen. Another advance was reported to-day for strictly choice fresh laid. We quote as follows for California: 18@21c for store, 22@25c for ranch; selected, 26c. Eastern are strong at 19@21½c, latter for selected packers.

VEGETABLES.

Receipts—Onions 102 sks, Potatoes 3,514 sks, Corn 150 sks, Cucumbers 10 bxs, Tomatoes 90 bxs, Peas 76 sks, Asparagus 140 bxs, Rhubarb 54 bxs, Beans 70 sks.

In garden stuff trading was fairly active to-day. String Beans sold lower, but Peas were higher for choice. Green Corn sells by sack. In other vegetables no changes were reported. The market is quoted as follows: Summer Squash, (Vacaville) 50@65c; Bay, $1@1 25 ₱ box; Asparagus, $1@2 ₱ box; Rhubarb, 50c@$1 ₱ box; String Beans, 5@6c ₱ lb; Wax, 5@6c; Refugee, 6@8c; Peas, 60c@$1 ₱ sack; Cucumbers, 25@50c ₱ dozen; Tomatoes, 90c@$1 50 ₱ box; Green Corn, $1@1 50 ₱ sack.

ONIONS—The market was weak at 25@37½c for Reds, and 50@75c for Silverskins.

POTATOES—The market was strong to-day under a good local and nearly shipping demand. We quote as follows: Garnet Chiles, 65@90c; Peerless, 60@80c; Early Rose, 60@85c in sacks and 60c@$1 25 in boxes; Burbank Seedlings, 60@85c in sacks and 70c@$1 25 in boxes.

FRUIT.

Receipts—Cherries, 4,752 boxes; Currants, 238 boxes; Berries, 303 chests; Raspberries, 80 boxes; Peaches, 1,020 boxes; Apricots, 2,450 boxes; Apples, 225 boxes.

Canners were in the market to-day for Cherries and cleared up all desirable parcels at 4@4½c for Black, 6@7c for White and 7@8c for Royal Annes. Apricots were steady, with more choice in. Peaches are improving. There was a better shipping demand. Strawberries, Raspberries and Blackberries sold lower, but Currants sold higher. We quote as follows: Peaches, 50@75c ₱ box; Apricots, 50@75c; Currants, $5 50@7; Strawberries, Longworth, $10@12 ₱ chest; Sharpless, $6@7; Cherry Plums, 45@65c; Gooseberries, common, 3@5c; Oregon Improved, 4@5c; English, 6@7c; Cherries, Black, 45@55c; White, 40@65c; Royal Anne, 85c@$1; Raspberries, 7@10c ₱ chest; Apples, 50@75c for small box and $1@1 50 for large box; Blackberries, Newcastle, 10@12c ₱ chest; Pears, 40@50c ₱ box and 35@50c ₱ basket.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The car of Eastern Poultry came in to-day. They averaged well, and as there was considerable competition for the more choice, prices ranged slightly higher. The market is over-stocked with small Chickens, and sales were hard to make except at concessions. The market is quoted as follows: Hens, $7@8 ₱ doz; Old Roosters, $6 50@7 50; Young Roosters, $9@12; Fryers, $5@7 50; Broilers, large, $4@5; small, $2 50@3 50; Ducks, $4 50@7 50; Geese, young, $1 25@1 75 ₱ pair; Turkeys, 16@18c ₱ lb for Hens, 18@20c for Gobblers.

A private circular quotes the Coffee market as follows: "A slow and fitful movement, which importers have met at ruling prices, characterizes the market. Dealers are not generally carrying stocks of any size, but limit purchases to actual requirements, thus giving the market an appearance of dullness, yet consumption is up to the average. Imports of good qualities are about over the season, though an uncertain quantity of inferior grades will be received from this time on to end of season." Prices remain the same as quoted on the 14th. Imports thus far this month are 7,692 bags.

Merchandise Market.

BAGS—Wheat Bags are quiet at 7¼@7½c for spot lots. The market is well supplied. Receipts by last China steamer were 1,258,000. There are 8,000,000 on the two ships due between now and August 1st.

BROOMS—Spiral Brace, $3 50 for No. 1, $3 25 for No. 2, and $3 for No. 3 and Ladies' Delight; Patent Brass Cap (Eastern brush), $4 75, $4 50 and $4 25 respectively for Nos. 1, 2 and 3; Patent Tin Lock, $4, $3 75 and $3 50 for the three numbers; Mill and Stable, ash handles, $4 50 and $4 for the two numbers; Ship, $3; galvanized bands, 50c ₱ dozen extra; Wisp and Toy Brooms, $2@2 25.

CANDLES—The product of the local Candle factories is quoted as follows: San Francisco Crystal Wax, 14c for 16 oz, and 11½c for 14 oz; Stearic Acid, 14 oz, 11c; Star, 14 oz, 10½c; Eureka, 14 oz, 10c; Eagle, 12 oz, 8½c; Mission Chemical Wax, 14 oz, 13c; do 16 oz, 16½c; Solar Sperm, 14 oz, 12c; do 16 oz, 14c; Adamantine, 12 oz, 11c; Eastern brands vary from 7c to 17¾c; Sperm, 25c; Paraffine, 11@11½c ₱ lb.

CANNED GOODS—Local canners quote jobbing lots as follows: Apricots, $1 30; Plums, $1 20; Pears, $1 60; Peaches, $1 60; Cherries, $1 90 for Black and $2 15 for White; Grapes, $1 25; Quinces, $1 50; Blackberries, $1 85; Tomatoes, 90c.

CANNED SALMON—Alaska, $1 12½ for King, $1 07½ for Red and $1 02½ for Silver; British Columbia, $1 10@1 15 for talls and $1 37½ to $1 42½ for flats; Columbia River, $1 30@1 35 for talls and $1 40@1 60 for flats.

CEMENT, PLASTER AND LIME—Jobbing rates for the above goods are as follows: Santa Cruz Lime, $1 50; Portland Cement, $2 75 to $3; Rosendale do, $2 25@2 75; Newburg Plaster, Eastern, $3 25; do, Casting, $3 50; Golden Gate Plaster, $2 35@2 60; Marble Dust, Newburg, $3 25; Fire Clay, English, $5, do, American, $3 50; Brick Dust, $3 50 ₱ bbl.

CHICORY—California, 5½@6c; German, 6¼@7c.

CIGARS—Jobbing rates for California-made are as follows: Seed, $16@40; Seed and Havana, $40@75; Clear Havana, $60@125 ₱ M.

COAL—Puget Sound Coals are quoted from ship at $6@7; Coos Bay, $5 50; Southfield (British Columbia), $8; Wellington (British Columbia), $8. We quote as follows:

	Prices to Arrive.	Spot Rate.
Australian, ₱ ton	$6 00	$5 75
Liverpool	6 25	6 00
West Hartley	7 00	6 50
Scotch Splint	6 50	6 00
Cardiff	6 75	6 50
Lehigh	12 00	12 00
Cumberland	9 00	10 00
Egg	10 00	11 00

English Foundry Coke is quoted at $10@11 in bulk and $12@13 in sacks; Puget Sound Coke, $13; San Francisco Gaslight Company is selling Coke at 60c ₱ bbl by wholesale and 70c retail.

COFFEE—Central American grades are quoted as follows:

Guatemala, prime washed	21	@21½c
Guatemala, good washed	20	@20½c
Guatemala, fair washed	17	@19½c
Guatemala, medium washed	15	@17c
Costa Rica, prime, free black beans	19½	@20½c
Costa Rica, good, some black beans	18	@19½c
Salvador, good unwashed	17½	@—c
Salvador, good to prime washed	18½	@19½c
Inferior to ordinary qualities	8	@14½c

CORDAGE—The Tubbs Cordage Company turns out three styles, which are quotable as follows:

	Sisal. Duplex.	Pure Manila.
1¼ inch	11c	13c
12 thread	11½	13½
6 to 9 thread	12	14
Bale Rope	11	13

Other descriptions of Manila are quoted as follows: Whale and Bolt Rope, 15c; Hawser-laid Rope for well-boring and transmission of power Rope, 16c; Sash Cord, 16½c; Lanyard and Tarred Rope, 12½c; Lath Yarn, 9½c for Duplex and 12c for Manila; Hop Twine, in balls, tarred, 10½c for Duplex and 12½c for Manila; Grape-vine Twine, in coils and balls, 11½c for Duplex and 10½c for Manila; Spring Twine, 16½c.

DRUGS—Alum, 2¼@2½c; Acid, 12½@16c for Nitric, 2½@3c for Sulphuric, and 60c to 62½c for Muriatic; Borax, 7½@7½c for Concentrated and 8@8½c for refined; Blue Vitriol, 4½@5c; Caustic Potash, 10@11c; Chlorate of Potash, 15@16c; Chlorate of Lime, 2½@2½c; Crude Ammonia, Concentrated, 18c; Gum Champhor, 30c; Gum Shellac, 30@33c; Quinine, 60c; Saltpeter, English refined, 7¾@8c; Sulphur, 2½@2½c for roll and 4¼@4½c for refined.

DRY GOODS—Prints are generally jobbing at 4½@7c; Ginghams and Sultings, 6½@11½c; Lawns, 8½@12½c; Brown Cottons, 4@8½c; Bleached Cottons, 6@12½c; Brown Sheetings and Shirtings, 11½@24c.

FISH—We quote as follows: Pacific Codfish, 5½c in 50-lb bbls, 6c½ for selected in 100-lb cases and 7c for Boneless; Eastern Codfish, 6½@7c ₱ lb; Eastern Mackerel, $2 50@2 75 for No. 1 in 15-lb kits, and $3 50@3 75 for Mess in 15-lb kits; Smoked Herrings, 40@45c for Eastern and 35c ₱ box for Puget Sound; Dutch Herring, $1 50@1 75 ₱ keg; Alaska Smoked Halibut, 10@12½c ₱ lb.

LEATHER—Sole, 25@.7c for good heavy, 21@23c for good medium and light; Buff, 12@14c ₱ foot; Side, 12@14c ₱ foot; Calf Skins, 60@75c ₱ lb; Kip Skins, $36@60 ₱ dozen; Harness Leather, 27@28c ₱ lb for heavy and 22@25c for No. 2.

LUMBER—Market well supplied, and prices irregular.

MALT LIQUORS—Leading brands of English Ale and Porter are selling at $2 75@3 75 for quarts and $3@4 for 2 dozen pints.

MATCHES—Percussion, 25c; Telegraph, 55c; Eastern Parlor, $1 65.

METALS—We quote Puget Sound Pig Iron at $22 50, and other brands as follows:

	To Arrive.	On the Spot.
Eglinton, ₱ ton	$23 00	$23 00
Glengarnock	24 00	24 00
Shotts No. 1	25 00	25 00
Clay Lane White	22 00	24 00
American soft	24 00	25 00

We quote prices for other kinds: Tin Plate, $5 85@5 90; Yellow Metal, 20c; English Cast Steel, 14@16c; Sheet Zinc, 5½@9c; Pig Lead, 4½c; Bar Lead, 5½c; Lead Pipe, 6¾c; Sheet Lead, 7½c; Bar Copper, 21@28c; Pig Tin, 21c ₱ lb; Magnolia Anti-Friction Metal, 32c ₱ lb.

NAILS—Card rates of Hardware Dealers' Association are as follows: Iron, $2 05; Steel, $2 75; Standard Wire, $3 20 per keg for small lots; on the basis of 200 kegs, the rates are $2 60, $2 70 and $3 15 respectively for the three kinds. A discount of 2 per cent. for cash.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits Turpentine, 53c ₱ gallon; California Oakum, $4 50; Eastern Oakum, $5; Resin, $3 50@5; Pitch, $4@4 50; Tar, $6@8 ₱ bbl.

OIL—China Nut, 47@56c; California Castor, $1 25 for No. 1 and $1 10 for No. 2; refined Cocoanut, 50@60c; California Linseed in single barrel lots, 44c for raw and 46½c for boiled; Petroleum, 110 degrees, in cans, 16@23c; do, 150 degrees, 24@32c; pure winter-strained Lard, 75c in barrels and 80c in tins; Possel Olive, quarts, $4; Plagniol Olive, quarts, $4 25; Duret do, $5 50; extra fine kinds, $6@7 ₱ dozen pints.

PAINTS—Pioneer White Lead, 7¼@8c; Shawmut White Lead, 6@6½c; Phoenix do, 5½@6c; Red Lead and Litharge, each 7¼@8c.

PAPER—California Straw Wrapping, 85c, 90c, $1 and $1 10 ₱ ream for the four styles.

QUICKSILVER—$42 50@43.

RICE—We quote: Hawaiian, 4½@4¾c; Japan, 4¾@4⅞c; China, $4 25@4 30 ₱ two mats for mixed, $4 75@4 80 for No. 1 and $5@5 10 for extra No. 1.

RUBBER GOODS—The net prices for three-ply and four-ply Rubber Hose are 7@19c for ½ inch, 7@23c for ¾ inch, 16@31c for 1 inch, 20@39c for 1¼ inch, 24@47c for 1½ inch, 32@62½c for 2 inch, and 40c@$1 for 2 inch; Suction Hose; 37@50c for 1 inch, 56@82½c for 1½ inch, and 75c@$1 50 for 2 inch; Steam Fire Engine Hose, 80c@$1 25. These are the prices of the Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company.

STARCH—All kinds may be quoted at 6½c @5½c in boxes.

SALT—Liverpool from warehouse is quoted at $15@25; California, $8@10 for coarse and $13@14 for fine.

SOAP—Castile, 6½@7½c for brown and 9½@12c for white; Cheideal Olive, 4½@6c; Fair and other high grades, 7@8c.

SPICES—Cassia, 4¾@5c; Citron, 25c; Cloves, 10@11c; Ginger, 13@14½c; Mace, 65c; Nutmegs, 60@65c; Pepper, 8½@9c; Pimento, 7½@7½c; Sago, 3@3½c; Tapioca, 3@3½c.

SPIRITS—California Pure, $1 18 for No. 2 and $1 22 for No. 1.

SUGAR—Cube, Circle A Crushed, Powdered and Fine Crushed, 5⅝c; Dry Granulated, 5¼c; Confectioner's A, 5⅛c; Magnolia, 4⅞c; Extra C, 4⅝c; Golden C, 4⅜c; D, 4¼c.

SYRUP—Golden, 17½c in bbls. 20c in hf bbls, and 25c in kegs.

TEA—Good medium grades Japan are jobbing at 25@35c.

TOBACCO—Plug, 33@72c; Smoking, 35@75c ₱ lb; Fine Cut Chewing, in foil and pails, $6 25@9.

WHALEBONE—New York prices are $5 25 for Japan and $6 for Arctic.

WHISKY—We quote: High proof, $1 75@2; low proof, $2@$2 50; various brands of Bourbon, $2 25@5 50 ₱ gallon, according to age.

WINE—French Claret, $62@66 ₱ cask; Champagne, $16@32 ₱ basket; California bulk descriptions are quoted as follows: Angelica, $1 05@1 25; Claret, 50@75c; Port, $1@3 50; Sherry, $1 15@1 25; White, 45c@$1 50 ₱ gallon.

WOODENWARE—The Pacific Woodenware and Cooperage Company's price list quotes three-hoop painted pails at $3; varnished do, black hoop, $3 25; varnished do, galvanized hoop, $3 75; white do, galvanized hoop, $3 75@5, and brass bound do, $7 50@9 ₱ dozen.

YEAST POWDERS—Standard brands of full weight, 16-ounce cans, $4 50 ₱ dozen, and other sized cans in proportion.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

An Improvement Noted in Most All Lines.

SACRAMENTO, June 15th.

The local market shows an improvement in all lines. Raspberries, Currants and Cherries are overstocked, yet there seems to be little inclination to reduce rates. Cherries of good quality retail at from 50c to 75c ₱ box, Currants, 50@60c and Raspberries three baskets for 25c. Tame Blackberries are in good supply at 15c ₱ pound to consumers. Green Apples retail at 50c to 75c.

Good, sweet Sugar Corn of Sacramento growth is in fair supply at 25c ₱ dozen. Green Peppers, also grown in this section, are in market at 35c ₱ dozen. Cucumbers are more plentiful and prices of a downward tendency; selling at 25@35c ₱ dozen. Peas are scarce. A good quality supply of Asparagus from Bouldin Island is in market, retailing at 12½c ₱ pound.

Rates to Producers.

Following are current rates paid to producers:

GREEN FRUITS—Lemons—Sicily, $5 50 ₱ box; California, $4@5 ₱ box; Limes—Mexican, $5 50@6 ₱ box; Bananas, $2 50 ₱ bunch; Cocoanuts, $6 50 ₱ 100; Oranges—Navels, $4 50 ₱ box; Riverside, $2 50@3; Los Angeles, $2@2 50; Pineapples, Island, $3; Panama, $4 50 ₱ doz; Strawberries, $1 50 ₱ case; Gooseberries, $5@6c ₱ lb; Cherries, 60@95c ₱ box; Morelli Cherries, 50c ₱ box; Royal Ann, 75c ₱ box; Raspberries, $1 50 ₱ case; Currants, $5 50 ₱ case; Apricots, 75c ₱ box; Apples, new, $1 25 ₱ box; Cranberries, in water, $11 ₱ bbl; Peaches, 75c ₱ box; Cherry Plums, 60c ₱ box; Currants, 50c ₱ box.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Butter—Valley, 17@18c ₱ lb; Fancy Petaluma, 20@22c; Eastern Creamery, 18@20c; Firkin, 17@21c; Pickle Roll, 22c; Cheese—California, 9c; Young America, 10c; Eastern Creamery, 15c; Limberger, 16@18c; Genuine Swiss, 28@30c; American Swiss, 20@25c; Martin's Creamery, 16c; Eggs—Ranch, 21c ₱ doz; Eastern, 17@20c ₱ doz.

POULTRY—Turkeys—Live Hens, 14c ₱ lb; Gobblers, 14c; dressed, 16c; Chickens—Hens, $6 ₱ doz; Roosters, $5; Broilers, $3@4; Spring Chickens, $4@5; Tame Ducks, $5@6 50; Geese, $2; Pigeons, $1 50 ₱ doz.

MEATS—Beef, 5@6c ₱ lb; Mutton, 8c; Lamb, 9@10c; Veal, large, 5@7c; large, dressed, 7@7½c; Hogs, 5½c; dressed Pork, 7@8c; Hams—Eastern, 12½@14c ₱ lb; California, 12½@13c; Bacon—Light, 10@10½c; selected, 11½@12c; boneless, 13½@14c.

HAY AND GRAIN—Oat Hay, $10@12 ₱ ton; Wheat, $10@12; second quality, $9@10; Alfalfa, $8@10; Wheat, whole, $1 60 ₱ cwt; Barley, $1 05@1 10; Corn, $1 40; Bran, $18 ₱ ton; Middlings, $20 ₱ ton; Ground Barley, $1 25@1 30 ₱ cwt; Straw, 55c ₱ bale.

VEGETABLES—Onions, new, 50@70c ₱ cwt; old Silverskins, 60c; Cabbage, new, 60c; Carrots, 1c ₱ lb; Beets, 8c ₱ doz; Turnips, 8c; bunch Vegetables, 8c; Parsnips, $1 ₱ sack; Horse Radish, 10c ₱ lb; Garlic, 4c; Artichokes, 30c ₱ doz; Dried Peppers, 12@15c; Cauliflower, 65c ₱ doz; Asparagus, 4c; Peas, 2@8c; String Beans, 8c; Wax Beans, 9c; Summer Squash, 5@7c; Cucumbers, 40c; Tomatoes, 10c; Green Corn, 15@25c ₱ doz.

POTATOES—Early Rose, new, 50c ₱ cwt; Peerless, new, 65c; River Burbanks, 65c.

SEEDS—Alfalfa, $11 ₱ cwt; Timothy, $6 50; Popcorn, ears, $2 75; shelled, $3 50; Red Clover, $16; Red Top, $6.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $4 75 ₱ bbl; Oatmeal, 10-lb sacks, 3½c ₱ lb, $3 50 ₱ 100-lb sacks. Cornmeal—White, $2 50 ₱ 10-lb sacks; Yellow, $2 50 ₱ 25-lb sacks; Cracked Wheat, $3 ₱ 10-lb sacks; $2 75 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Hominy, $3 50 ₱ 10-lb sacks. Graham, $2 55 ₱ 10-lb sacks; Buckwheat, 10-lb sacks, $4 50.

HIDES AND SKINS—Jobbing rates are as follows: Wet Salted Hides—Heavy Steers, 7c ₱ lb; Medium Steers, 6c; Light Steers, 4c; Cows, 4c; Kip, 3¾c; Veal, 5c; Calf, 6½c; Culls, about 25 per cent. lower. Dry Hides—Sound Hides, 9c; do Culls, 6c; Dry Kip, 9c; Culls, 6c; Deer Skins—Summer Skins, 37½c; Medium Skins, 30@32½c; Winter and Long-hair Skins, 20@25c. Goat Skins—Prime Skins, 50@50c; Damaged Skins, 10@25c; Kids, 50@100c. Sheep Skins—Long Wool, 96c@$1 40; Medium Wool, 70@90c; Short Wool, 40@70c; Shearlings, 10@25c.

Retail Rates.

Following are the prices asked by retailers for the various articles mentioned:

GREEN FRUITS—Lemons—Sicily, 40c ₱ doz; California, 25c ₱ doz; Limes—Mexican, 10@15c ₱ doz; Bananas, 30@40c ₱ doz; Cocoanuts, 10c each; Oranges—Navels, 40c ₱ doz.; Riverside, 25@40c ₱ doz; Los Angeles, 40c ₱ doz; Pineapples, 35@50c each; Strawberries, 15c ₱ lb; Gooseberries, 12½c ₱ lb; Cherries, 15c ₱ lb; Raspberries, 8½c ₱ lb; Apples, new, 50@75c ₱ box; Apricots, 75c ₱ box, 8c ₱ lb; Currants, 55c ₱ box; Cranberries, in water, 75c ₱ gallon; Peaches, 12½c ₱ lb; Plums, 10c ₱ lb; Blackberries, 15c ₱ lb.

DRIED FRUITS—Apricots, 11c ₱ lb; Peaches 10c; Apples, 10c; Plums, 10c; Prunes, 11c, Pears, 10c; Nectarines, 10c; Raisins, 10c; Grapes, 10c; Figs, 10c.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Butter, Valley, ₱ roll, 40c; Fancy Petaluma, 50c; Eastern Creamery, 25c ₱ lb; firkin, 20c ₱ lb; Pickle Roll, 22½c ₱ lb; Cheese, California, 12½c ₱ lb; Young America, 15c; Eastern Creamery, 20c; Limberger, 40c; genuine Swiss, 35@40c; American Swiss, 25c; Martin's Creamery, 20c; Eggs, ranch, 25c ₱ doz; Eastern, 20c ₱ doz.

POULTRY—Turkeys—Live hens, 20c ₱ lb; do Gobblers, 20c; dressed, 2c; Chickens, hens, $6 50 ₱ dozen; 60@70c each; Roosters, $6 50 ₱ dozen, 50@60c each; Broilers, $3 50@4 50 ₱ dozen, 50c each; Tame Ducks, 75c each; Geese, ₱ pair, $1 50; Pigeons, $2 ₱ doz.

MEATS—Beef, Prime rib roast, 12½c; Chuck roast, 10c; Rump, 8c; Brisket, 8c; Corned, Beef, 8c; Porterhouse steak, 15c; Loin steaks, 12½c; Round steak, 10c; Chuck, 10c. Veal—Loin and rib chops, 15c; Roast Veal, 12½c. Mutton—Leg, 10c; loin and rib chops, 12½c; Mutton stew, 8c; shoulder chops, 10c. Pork—Roast or chops, 12½c; Corned Pork, 12½c; sausages, 12½c; Vienna sausages, 15c; bacon, 11@15c; ham, 12½@15c.

LARD—Eastern, 11c ₱ lb; California, 12c ₱ lb.

HAY AND GRAIN—Hay, oat, 65@75c ₱ cwt; Wheat, 65@75c; second quality, 60@70c; Alfalfa, 55@55c; Ground Barley, $1 35; Feed Oats, $1 60@1 85; Middlings, $1 10; Bran, $1; Straw, 80c.

SEEDS—Alfalfa, 15c ₱ lb; Timothy, 10c; Popcorn, ears, 10c; Popcorn, shelled, 10c; Red Clover, 20c. Red Top, 10c.

VEGETABLES—Onions, new, 2½c ₱ lb; White, 2½c; Cabbage, new, 1c ₱ lb; Carrots, $1 ₱ sack; Beets, 12½c ₱ doz; Turnips, 12½c ₱ doz; bunch Vegetables, 12½c ₱ doz; Parsnips, 2c ₱ lb; Horseradish, 15c ₱ lb; Garlic, 8c; Artichokes, 50c ₱ doz; Dried Peppers, 20c ₱ lb; Cauliflower, 10c ₱ head; Asparagus, 12½c ₱ lb; Peas, 5@6c ₱ lb; String Beans, 10c ₱ lb; Wax Beans, 12½c ₱ lb; Summer Squash, 10c ₱ lb; Cucumbers, 25@35c ₱ doz; Tomatoes, 12½c ₱ lb; Green Corn, 25c ₱ doz; Green Peppers, 35c ₱ doz.

POTATOES—Early Rose, new, 90c@$1 ₱ cwt; Peerless, 1c ₱ lb; River Burbanks, 75c ₱ cwt.

CALIFORNIA FRUITS.

Prices Realized at Sales in the Eastern Markets.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Porter Bros. Company sold at auction, for account of California Fruit Union shippers, O. and C. car 36,880, shipped by passenger train, Royal Apricots averaged $1 80 ₱ crate; Alexander Peaches, $1 55 ₱ box; Royal Anne Cherries, $1 52 ₱ box; Republican Cherries, 72c; Cherry Plums, 10-lb boxes, 59c; Clyman Plums, $2 40. Car sold, gross, $1,493. Also U. P. car 41,101, shipped by passenger train, Royal Apricots averaged $1 64 ₱ crate; Alexander Peaches, $1 47 ₱ box. Car sold gross for $1,510. Weather fine and cool. Fruit arriving in good condition.

NEW YORK, June 14.—E. L. Goodsell sold for the Earl Fruit Company: an Jose Cherries as follows: Poor condition, from 35c to 60c; fair condition, from 75c to $1; good condition, from $1 10 to $1 45. Weather hot.

AT CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, June 15.—The Porter Bros. Company sold at auction to-day, for account of California Fruit Union shippers, one car of fruit, realizing for Clyman Plums $3 90 ₱ crate; Briggs May Peaches, $1 05@1 10 ₱ box; Alexander Peaches, $1 20@1 40; Royal Apricots, $1 35@1 50.

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