COMMERCIAL.

The Bear Element Succeed in Lowering the Price of Wheat.

Barley Holds Up Fairly Well—Fancy Butter High and Meets With Ready Sale.

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The business transacted in the local markets this morning was of limited extent. Unexpectedly the feeling on Wheat has eased somewhat, and of course the bear element lost no opportunity in trying to lower values. In this they succeeded partially. A slight decline in Eastern markets, with an easier feeling abroad, is the pretext for the decline in options. But the indications are that the best quotations for the past week will be more than maintained the coming. Yesterday afternoon freights closed extra firm, one shipper having engaged a ship of 3,000 tons carrying capacity without any direct option, which is equal to 26s. 3d. for orders, with direct port option 2s. 6d. less, which is the usual way of chartering. To-day the advance seems to be checked, and it is hard to duplicate yesterday's charter, 25s. for orders, or 2s. 6d. less direct, being the best bid, with ships ready to accept charter. However, shippers might be induced to pay 6d. more. At the informal session of the Produce Exchange this morning the market for Wheat was more active than usual, sales of 5,000 tons buyer December changing hands at from $1 37¾@1 38¾. On the regular call the transactions comprised 1,000 tons of buyer December at from $1 37½@1 37¾, and 400 tons of May at from $1 42@1 42½. The spot market had an easy feeling at yesterday's quotations.

Barley holds up fairly well in the spot market. Sales on 'Change are very limited, however, only 400 tons changing hands—200 buyer December at 91¾c, and 200 tons seller 1892 at 86¾c.

Oats and Corn are lightly dealt in. The spot market for Rye is slightly improved on account of the local markets being somewhat bare, temporarily.

Fancy Butter is high and meets with splendid inquiry. Cheese is steady and Eggs weak.

Vegetables are slow of sale. Onions are weak. Potatoes cleaned up fairly well to-day under shipping inquiry.

There is no better aspect to the Fruit situation. It is the old story, of choice Fruit selling well and inferior grades not desired. The market is especially glutted with Apples and Grapes.

Considerable imported Poultry will be carried over to next week, while California stock has cleaned up pretty well. Young Turkeys are not at all desirable as yet.

Eastern Lard has taken a slight advance.

Cereals.

WHEAT—No. 1 Shipping, $1 30; choice, $1 33¾; milling, $1 35@1 36¼.

BARLEY—Feed, 80@82½c; choice, 85@86½c; No. 1 Brewing, 97½c@$1 02½.

OATS—Fair to good White, $1 15@1 25; choice to fancy, $1 30@1 37½; off lots, $1 05@1 15; milling, $1 30@1 37½; Surprise, $1 40@1 45; Black, $1 10@1 25; Gray, $1 20@1 25.

CORN—Yellow, large, $1 22½; small, $1 27½; White, $1 35@1 40.

RYE—We quote: $1 10@1 12½.

Other Cereals, Etc.

The market is quoted as follows:

BRAN—$16@16 50 ₱ ton.

MIDDLINGS—$22@24 50 ₱ ton.

ROLLED BARLEY—$21@23 ₱ ton.

FEED CORNMEAL—$28@29 ₱ ton.

CRACKED CORN—$29 50@30 50 ₱ ton.

FLOUR—Net cash prices: Family Extra, $4 15@4 25 ₱ bbl; Bakers' Extra, $4@4 10; Shipping, superfine, $2 50@3.

BEANS—Pea, $2 35@2 50 ₱ ctl; Pink, $2 20@2 30; Bayos, $2 10@2 20; Small White, $2 40@2 60; large do, $2 15@2 25; Butter, $3; Red, nominal; Lima, $3@3 15.

SEEDS—Rape, 2¼@2½c ₱ lb; Hemp, 5c; Canary, 4¾@5c for imported; do California, nominal; Flax, 2¼@2½c; Alfalfa, nominal; Mustard, 4@4¼c for yellow and 3¼@3½c for brown.

HOPS—16@20c ₱ lb.

STRAW—35@45c ₱ bale.

HAY—We quote as follows: Clover, $8@9 50; Alfalfa, $7 50@9; Wheat, $7@13; Wheat and Oat, $7 50@11 50; Barley, $6@8; Island (Sacramento River) do, $5@6; Oat, $6@9 ₱ ton.

Dairy Produce.

BUTTER—We quote: Fancy Creamery, 40c; Fancy Dairy, 37@38c; good to choice, 27½@29c; common to fair, 18@22½c; Pickled Roll, 23@26c; Keg, 22½@25c ₱ lb.

CHEESE—The market is quoted as follows: Skim, 3@5c; California, 8@10c; California, new, 10½@11½c; Young America, 11@12c; New York Cream, 13@13½c; Western, 12@12½c.

EGGS—Choice Store, 32@35c ₱ doz; Choice Ranch, 37½@40c; Eastern, 23@25c for fair to good and 27½c for extra selected.

HONEY—White Extracted, —@8c; Light Amber, 7@7½c; Comb, 1-lb frames, 10@13c; do, 2-lb, 9@13½c.

BEESWAX—From 25@27c ₱ lb.

Vegetables.

GARDEN TRUCK—We quote as follows: Green Peppers, Chiles, 30@40c ₱ box; Bell Peppers, 30@40c; Egg Plant, 40c for large boxes; Cucumbers, 30@40c ₱ box; Summer Squash, 40@60c; Tomatoes, 20@35c ₱ box; Cabbage, 40@45c ₱ ctl; Feed Carrots, 40@60c; Turnips, 60@65c; Beets, 60c; Parsnips, 1¼c ₱ lb; Garlic, 2@2½c ₱ lb; Green Corn, $1@1 25 ₱ sack or box; Green Okra, 40@50c ₱ box; Lima Beans, 5½@6c ₱ lb; Marrowfat Squash, 75c ₱ 100 lbs; Cauliflower, 40@50c ₱ sack; String Beans, 2½@3c; Peas, 3@3½c.

ONIONS—Sales were made on the wharf at the following prices: Silverskins, 40@50c ₱ cwt.

POTATOES—We quote as follows from wharf: River Burbanks, 60@70c; Early Rose, 55@65c; Alameda and Salinas Burbanks, 85c@$1; Garnet Chiles, 60@70c; Peerless, 60@70c; Reds, 55@70c.

SWEET POTATOES—From wharf, $1 10@1 25 in sacks and boxes.

Fruit.

GREEN FRUITS—The market is quoted as follows, the range varying with quality: Pears, Bartletts, $1 50@1 75; other grades, 85@75c; Plums, White, 50c@$1; Colored, 50@90c; Prunes, German, 75c@$1; Peaches, Freestones, 45c@$1 ₱ box; Cling, 40@75c ₱ box; Apples, 35c@$1; Cantaloupes, 40c@$1 50; Nutmegs, 25@50c ₱ crate; Watermelons, $6@8 ₱ 100; Raspberries, $7@9 ₱ chest; Strawberries, Sharpless, $7@8; Longworth, $7@9; Grapes, Sweetwater, 25@40c ₱ box; Black, 20@35c; Muscats, 30@50c; Tokays, 25@50c; Isabellas, 60c@$1 ₱ crate; Wine Grapes, $14@16 per ton; Figs, black, 40@75c; White, 30@60c; Huckleberries, 4½@6c; Blackberries, $3 50@5 ₱ chest; Quinces, 40@65c ₱ box; Cranberries, $10@10 50 ₱ bbl; Pomegranates, 75c@$1 ₱ box.

CITRUS FRUITS—Lemons, Santa Barbara, $6@7; Sicily, $8 50@9; Mexican Limes, $6 50@7 50; Bananas, $1 25@2 50; Pineapples, $3 ₱ dozen; Mexican Oranges, $2 50 ₱ box.

DRIED FRUIT—The market is quoted as follows: Apples, evaporated, in boxes, 8@10c ₱ lb; sundried, sliced, 4@4½c; do quarters, 4@4½c; Peaches, bleached, 10@12c; do sundried, 6@8c; Apricots, bleached, Royal, 1¾@13½c; do Moorpark, 14@15c; Prunes, ungraded, 9c; four sizes, 10c; futures on Grapes, 3½c; Pears, sliced, 6@9c; do evaporated, 8@10c; Figs, pressed, 6@8c; unpressed, 3@4c; Plums, pitted, 9@10c; unpitted, 3@4c; Nectarines, Red, 10@11c; do White, 11@12c.

RAISINS—For crop of 1892 combination prices are quoted: London-layers, $1 45@1 65 ₱ box; loose Muscatel, 3-crown, $1 45; do unpaced, $1 40; bags, 3-crown, 5c ₱ lb; do 2-crown, 4c; Seedless Muscatel, 5c; Wine Grapes, 3¾c; Sultanas, 7@7½c.

Poultry.

We quote: Hens, $6@7 ₱ dozen; Old Roosters, $6@6 50; Young, $4@6; Broilers, large, $4; small, $2 50@3; Ducks, $4@6; Geese, $1 75@2 ₱ pair; Turkeys, Hens, 15@16c ₱ lb; Gobblers, 16@18c; Pigeons, young, $1 75@2 ₱ dozen; old, $1 25.

GAME—Wild Ducks: Mallard, $4 ₱ doz; Sprig, $2 50; Teal, $2 50; small Ducks, $1 50; Gray Geese, $2 50; Quail, 50c@$1 ₱ doz; Hare, $1 50 ₱ doz; English Snipe, $3 ₱ doz; Jack Snipe, $1.

Live Stock.

The market is quoted as follows:

BEEF—Steers, first quality, 4½@5c; second, 3½@4c; third, 2½@3c; Cows and Heifers, 3½@4c.

CALVES—Heavy, 4½@5½c; light, 6½@7½c.

MUTTON—Wethers, 6½@7c ₱ lb; Ewes, 6@6½c.

LAMB—From 7@8c ₱ lb.

PORK—Hogs on foot, hard, grain-fed, heavy average, 5c ₱ lb; medium, 4¾@4⅞c; feeders, 4¼@4½c.

Provisions.

The market is quoted as follows:

BACON—Eastern Breakfast Bacon, 11@13c ₱ lb; California Smoked Bacon, heavy and medium, 11½@12c; light, 12½@13c; extra light, 13@14c; Bacon, clear, sides, 11c.

HAM—Eastern Sugar-cured Hams, 13½c ₱ lb; California Hams, 12½@13c.

LARD—Eastern, compound tierces, 7½@8c; Eastern, pure, 10-lb pails, 12c; 5-lb pails, 12½c; 3-lb pails, 12½c; half-bbls, Eastern, 10½c; California, compound tierces, 7@7½c; compound, half-bbls, 7½@8c; California, pure, 10-lb and 5-lb pails, 9@9½c.

PORK—Extra Prime, $14@14 50 ₱ bbl; Prime Mess, $15@15 50; Mess, $19@20; Extra Clear, $21@22; Clear, $20@21; Pigs' Feet, $12 50; half-bbls, $6 50.

BEEF—Mess, $7 50@8 ₱ bbl; Extra Mess, $8 50@9; Family, $11@11 50; Extra do, $12 50@13; California Smoked, 10½@11c.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

Stocks in Most Lines in Excess of the Demand.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 9th.

The market was abundantly supplied yesterday with Fruits and Vegetables, and although business was considered fairly good, yet the local dealers found themselves at the close with sufficient stock on hand to meet all expected orders on Monday. There was quite a lot of very choice Raspberries in market yesterday, and they met with ready sale at 12½c per basket.

Choice Valley Butter is scarce and prices continue firm. Poultry was in better supply, though there seems to be no inclination toward a decline in quotations. Ranch Eggs are very sparingly represented, and dealers depend almost wholly on Eastern to supply customers.

Although Hay has been selling at stationary rates for some time past, the storm of last night will probably cause a slight advance, particularly should the rains continue, which indications at present writing point to.

Meats show no change whatever, except that Bacon and Ham are weakening in price.

Retail Prices.

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

GREEN FRUITS—Apples, fancy, $1 25@1 50 ₱ box; choice, $1@1 20; cooking, 75c@$1; Pears—Winter Nellis, $1@1 25 ₱ box; Duchess, 60@75c; Grapes, 10c, 50c and 60c ₱ box; Quinces, $1 ₱ box; Peaches, 75@90c ₱ box; Figs, 65@75c ₱ box; Cantaloupes, 10@15c each; Watermelons, 10c, 15c and 25c each; Cranberries, new crop, 15c ₱ lb; Raspberries, 15c ₱ basket; Strawberries, 15c ₱ basket.

DRIED FRUITS — Apricots, 10c ₱ lb; Peaches, 12½c; Apples, 10c; Plums, 12½c; Prunes, 12½c; Pears, —c; Nectarines, 10c; Raisins, 10c; Grapes, 10c; Figs, 10c.

CITRUS FRUITS—Limes—Mex can, 15c ₱ dozen; Bananas, 35c ₱ doz.n, Cocoanuts, 10c each; Mexican Oranges, 75c ₱ dozen; Pineapples, 50c each; California Lemons, 40c ₱ dozen, Sicily, 50c ₱ dozen; Australian Lemons, 40c ₱ dozen.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Butter, Valley, ₱ roll, 70c; Fancy Petaluma, 75c; California Creamery, 80c; Eastern Creamery, 30c ₱ lb; Firkin, 25@27c ₱ lb; Pickle Roll, 60c ₱ roll. Cheese—California, 10@12½ ₱ lb; Young America, 15c; Eastern Creamery, 20c; Limburger, 20c; genuine Swiss, 40c; American, 25c; Martin's Creamery, 20c.

EGGS—Ranch, 40c ₱ dozen; Eastern, 30c ₱ dozen.

POULTRY—Turkeys—Live, 18@20c ₱ lb; dressed, 22c; Chickens—Hens, $7 50@8 ₱ dozen; 65@75c each; Roosters, $5 50@6 ₱ dozen; 60@70c each; Large Spring, $5 50@6 50 ₱ dozen; 60@65c each; medium Springs, $4 50@5 ₱ dozen; 50@55c each; Broilers, $3 50@4 ₱ dozen; 40@50c each; Tame Ducks, $6@6 50 ₱ dozen; 65@75c each; Geese, $1 25 each.

GAME—Hare, 35c ₱ pair; Rabbits, 40c ₱ pair; Squirrels, 30c ₱ pair; Pigeons, $2 ₱ dozen; Quail, $1 50; Doves, 75c; Larks, 50c; Plover, $1; English Snipe, $2; Ducks—Mallards, 75@90c ₱ pair; Canvasbacks, $1@1 25; Teal, 35c; Widgeon, 40c; Sprigs, 60c; Common, 30c; Gray Geese, 75c; Brant, 50c; White, 40c.

VEGETABLES—Onions, 1½@2c ₱ lb; Cabbage, 1½c ₱ lb; Carrots, 75c ₱ sack; Beets, $1 ₱ sack; Bunch Vegetables, 12½c ₱ dozen; Sprouts, 5c ₱ lb; Yellow Preserving Tomatoes, 35c ₱ box; Spinach, 5c ₱ lb; Horseradish, 12½c ₱ lb; Garlic, 5c; Dried Peppers, 20c ₱ lb; Cauliflower, 10c ₱ head; Peas, 8c ₱ lb; String Beans, 5c ₱ lb; Wax Beans, 5c ₱ lb; Lima Beans, 8c ₱ lb; Shell Beans, 6c ₱ lb; Summer Squash, 5c ₱ lb; Cucumbers, 10c ₱ box; Green Peppers, 5c ₱ lb; Tomatoes, 35c ₱ box; Green Corn, 10@25c ₱ dozen; Green Peppers, 5c ₱ lb; Egg Plant, 5c ₱ lb; Bay Lettuce, 3 for 10c; Okra, 5c ₱ lb; Artichokes, 40c ₱ dozen; Yellow Crookneck Squash, 5c ₱ lb; new Hubbard Squash, 2c ₱ lb; Celery, 10c ₱ bunch; Green Onions, 2 bunches for 5c; Pickle Onions, 2½c ₱ lb.

POTATOES—Salinas Burbanks, $1 25 ₱ sack; Early Rose, new, 75c ₱ sack; Fancy Snowflakes, 95c@$1; Peerless, 85c ₱ cwt; Oregon Burbanks, $1 ₱ sack; River Burbanks, 90c ₱ sack; Centennials, 80@85c; River Reds, 75c ₱ sack; Sweets, $1 ₱ sack.

MEATS — Beef, prime Rib roast, 12½c; Chuck roast, 10c; Rump, 8c; Brisket, 8c; Corned Beef, 8c; Porterhouse Steak, 15c; Loin Steak, 12½c; Round Steak, 10c; Chuck, 10c; Veal—Loin and Rib chops, 15c; Round, 12½; Mutton—Leg, 16c; 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, 14@16c; Ham, 14@16c.

LARD—Eastern, 12½c; California, 10@12½c ₱ lb.

BREADSTUFFS — Flour, $4 25 ₱ bbl; $1 10 for 50-lb sacks; $2 15 for 100-₱ sacks. Oatmeal, 10-lb sacks, 40c; Cornmeal, 10-lb sacks, 30c; Cracked Wheat, 10-lb sacks, 35c; Hominy, 10-lb sacks, 40c; Graham Flour, 10-lb sacks, 30c; Buckwheat, 10-lb sacks, 50c; Rye, 35c ₱ 10-lb sack.

HAY AND GRAIN—Hay, Oat, 60@65c ₱ cwt; Wheat, 60@65c; second quality, 55c; Alfalfa, 55@60c; White Wild Oats, 1c@1 25; Ground Barley, $1 15; Feed Oats, $1 60@1 85; Middlings, $1 10; Bran, $1; Straw, 60@70c.

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

Rates to Producers.

Following are the prices to producers of the various articles mentioned:

GREEN FRUITS—Apples, 65c@$1 ₱ box; Peaches, 50@65c ₱ box; Plums, 75c ₱ box; Pears, 75c@$1; Figs, 50c ₱ box; Watermelons, 75@$1 ₱ doz; Cantaloupes, 35@50c ₱ doz; Muskmelons, 60c ₱ doz; new Cranberries, $11 50 ₱ bbl; Grapes, 35c ₱ box; Prunes, 60@90c ₱ box; Quinces, 75c ₱ box. Fancy grades of fruit may be quoted at about 35 per cent. advance over above prices.

DRIED FRUITS—Apricots, 6@7c ₱ lb; Peaches, 9@10c; Apples, 5@8c; Plums, pitted, 8@9c; Prunes, 9@10c; Pears, 4@5c; Nectarines, 7@8c; Raisins, $1 50 ₱ box; Figs, 5c; Grapes, 7c.

CITRUS FRUITS—Limes, Mexican, $5 ₱ box; Bananas, $2 25 ₱ bunch; Cocoanuts, 7c each; Oranges—Mexican, $5 ₱ box; Pineapples, $4 50 ₱ doz; Lemons—California, $7 50 ₱ box; Sicily, $8@9.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Butter—Valley, 25@26c ₱ lb; Fancy Petaluma, 32c; Eastern Creamery, 23@25c; Firkin, 20c; Pickle Roll, 25c. Cheese—California, 8c; Young America, 9c; Eastern Creamery, 12c; Limburger, 15c; Genuine Swiss, 29c; American Swiss, 18c; Martin's Creamery, 13c.

EGGS—Ranch, 30c ₱ doz; Eastern, 25c ₱ doz.

POULTRY—Turkeys—Live Hens, 13c ₱ lb; Gobblers, 15c. Chickens, Hens, $6@6 50 ₱ doz; Roosters, $5; Broilers, $3@3 50; Large Spring Chickens, $4 50@5 50; Tame Ducks, $5; Geese, $1 50 ₱ pair.

GAME—Hare, 25c ₱ pair; Rabbits, 20c ₱ pair; Squirrels, 20c ₱ pair; Pigeons, $1 50 ₱ dozen; Quail, $1 25; Doves, 50c; Larks, 35c; Plover, 75c; English Snipe, $1 50. Ducks—Mallards, 00c ₱ pair; Canvasbacks, 90c@$1; Teal, 25c; Widgeon, 30c; Sprigs, 40c; Common, 25c; Gray Geese, 50c; Brant, 20c; White, 25c.

VEGETABLES—Onions—Silverskins, 65@75c; Red, 50@65c; Pickle, 1½@2c; Cabbage, Flat Dutch, 50@60c ₱ dozen; Savoy, 75c ₱ dozen; Red, 1c ₱ lb; Carrots, 60c ₱ sack; Beets, 75c ₱ sack; Turnips, 60c ₱ sack; Horseradish, 8c ₱ lb; bunch Vegetables, 8c ₱ dozen; Garlic, 3c; Dried Peppers, 10c; Cauliflower, 50c ₱ dozen; Peas, 5c; String Beans, 3c; Wax Beans, 3c; Lima Beans, 5c; Summer Squash, ½c; Hubbard Squash, 1c ₱ lb; Cucumbers, 3c ₱ dozen; Tomatoes, ½c ₱ lb; Green Corn, 15c ₱ dozen; Egg Plant, 3c; Green Peppers, 2½c ₱ lb; Lettuce, 25c ₱ dozen; Celery, 75c ₱ dozen; Shell Beans, 3c ₱ lb; Okra, 5c; Yellow Crookneck, 2c; Spinach, 3c ₱ lb; Green Onions, 10c; Yellow Tomatoes, 2c ₱ lb; Artichokes, 50c ₱ dozen.

POTATOES—Early Rose, 50@60c ₱ cwt; Peerless, 50@70c; Oregon Burbanks, $1 ₱ sack; River Burbanks, 65@75c ₱ sack; Centennials, 65c ₱ ctl; Salinas Burbanks, choice stock, $1 25; River Reds, 50c ₱ sack; Fancy Snowflakes, 65@75c; Sweets, $1 ₱ cwt.

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, 10@12½c ₱ lb; California, 10@12½c; Bacon, 10@12½c.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $4 ₱ bbl; Oatmeal, 10-lb sacks, 3½c ₱ lb; $3 35 ₱ 100-lb sacks. Cornmeal—White, $2 25 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Yellow, $2 25 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Cracked Wheat, $2 35 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Graham, $2 ₱ 100-lb sacks.

HAY AND GRAIN—Oat Hay, $9@10 ₱ ton; Wheat, $9@10; second quality, $8@9; Alfalfa, $8@10; Wheat, whole, $1 40 ₱ cwt; Barley, $2½@90c; Oats, $1 70 ₱ cwt; White Wild Oats, $1 25; Corn, $1 25@1 50; Bran, $17 ₱ ton; Middlings, $20 ₱ ton; Ground Barley, $1 05 ₱ cwt; Straw, 40@50c ₱ bale.

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

NUTS—Chile Walnuts, new, 10@11c; California Walnuts, 9@10c; Almonds, new, 11@13c; Peanuts, California, 5@6c; Eastern, 7@7½c.

CANNED GOODS—Jobbing rates are as follows: Assorted Table, $1 60@1 75; Apples, $1 60; Apricots, $1 60; Blackberries, $1 90@1 95; Cherries, $2@2 50; Currants, $2 25; Gooseberries, $1 75@2; Muscat Grapes, $1 40@1 50; Plums, $1 40@1 45; Quinces, $1 70@1 75; Strawberries, $2 30; Raspberries, $2 60@2 65; Peaches, $1 80@1 90.

HIDES AND SKINS—Jobbing rates are as follows: Wet Salted Hides—Heavy Steers, 7c ₱ lb; Medium Steers, 6c; Light Steers, 4c; Cows, 4c; Kip, 3½c; Veal, 5c; Calf, 6½c; Culls, about 25 per cent. lower. Dry Hides—Sound Hides, 9c; do Culls, 6c; Dry Kip, 8c; Culls, 6c; Deer Skins, Summer Skins, 37½c; Medium Skins, 30@32½c; Winter and Long hair Skins, 20@25c. Goat Skins—Prime Skins, 30@50c; Damaged Skins, 10@25c; Kids, 5@10c. Sheep Skins—Long Wool, 90c@$1 40; Medium Wool, 70@90c; Short Wool, 40@70c; Shearlings, 10@25c.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Weekly Statement Issued by George Morrow & Co.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8, 1892.

WHEAT—Receipts for the week, 215,027 centals. Stocks in all Call Board warehouses, including Port Costa and Stockton, on the 1st inst., aggregated 186,391 tons, as against 133,234 tons on the 1st of September. A year agothere were 228,503 tons in the same warehouses.

It is a positive pleasure to note not only an improved tone to the market, but higher prices all round. The market has been hardening and stiffening every day this week. Wet weather in England has been the principal cause of the improvement; but another good reason is the efforts of the shorts to "fill" as soon as the market took an upward turn.

BARLEY—Receipts for the week, 103,086 centals. On the 1st of the month there were 24,613 tons of barley in Call Board warehouses. An increase of only 4,500 tons for the month. Although there is no material change in prices, the market is firm and steady, with a fairly good outlook for the coming week.

OATS—Receipts for the week, 24,109 ctls. Stocks in Call Board warehouses on 1st inst., 3,015 tons, an increase of over 1,600 tons for the past month. Last year there were 3,580 tons in the same houses. The market shows a decided improvement over last week. Holders are not pressing stocks, and it looks as though bottom had been touched. Heavy receipts by the last steamer caused buyers to hold back for awhile; but as most of the Oats went into warehouse they changed their tactics, and today there is a very fair demand for anything of good quality. The outlook for Oats is even more encouraging than for Barley.

HAY—Receipts for the week, 2,554 tons. Even the Hay market shows some slight signs of improving. Receipts are lessening, and the demand for the better grades of Wheat or Wheat and Oat is also better. The poorer grades are firmer, but not quotably higher.

CALIFORNIA FRUITS.

Prices Obtained at Saturday's Sales in the East.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 8.—The Porter Brothers Company sold three cars of California fruit to-day at auction for $3,052 gross. Peaches, 90c@$1 15; Grapes, 65@85c; Pears, $2@2 50; Quinces, $1 55; double crate Tokay Grapes, $2 10@3 10; half-crate Tokay Grapes, $1.

AT CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Oct. 8.—The Earl Fruit Company sold California fruit at auction to-day as follows: Tokay Grapes, $2 90@3 50; half crates, $1 30@1 45; Muscat Grapes, $2 85; half-crates, $1 25@1 40; Ferrara Grapes, half-crates, $1 50; Verdelle Grapes, half-crates, $1 15@1 30; Emperor Grapes, half-crates, $1 25; Salway Peaches, $1 65. White Freestone Peaches, $1 15; White Doyenne Pears, $3 25; Glout Morceau Pears, $3 25; Beurre Diel Pears, $2 80@2 85; Winter Nellis Pears, $2 25; Vicar Pears, $2 25; Beurre Clairgeau Pears, half-boxes, $1 60; Quinces, $1 35; Coe's Late Red Plums, $2 20.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, October 8, 1892.

MORNING SESSION.

Alpha	50c	H. & N	2 25@2 30
Alta	45@50c	Justice	30c
Andes	75c	Kentuck	30c
Belcher	4@4 25	Lady W	15c
B. & B	2 40	Mexican	2 10
Bullion	75c	Occidental	30c
Challenge	1 10	Ophir	3 25@3 30
C. C. & V	4 20@4 25	Overman	85@95c
Chollar	1 05	Potosi	1 05
C. N. Y	35@10c	Savage	1 50@1 55
Confidence	3 15	S. B. & M	70c
C. Point	50	S. Nevada	2 10
Delmonte	10c	Utah	35c
G. & C	1 45@1 50	Y. Jacket	1 55@1 65

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Bugby, Miss Emma		Kollman, Mme Marie
Blanchard, Mrs J W		Klotz, Mrs Helen
Blum, Mme Amelie		Lewis, Miss Josie
Bowers, Mrs		McKenny, Miss Kate
Brady, Mrs Zeila		McLain, Mrs J D
Brooks, Mrs L C		Morse, Mrs Sarah
Carroll, Miss		O'Connor, Mrs Ella
Conrad, Mrs Hannah		O'Hara, Miss May
Conley, Mrs Maggie		Parker, Mrs D F-2
Cotter, Mrs L E		Pickett, Mrs Margaret
Crooks, Mrs Wm H-2		Preston, Miss Agnes
Dixon, Miss Louise		Raabe, Mrs F H
Dodge, Mrs Amelia		Roos, Mrs Rosa
Dodge, Mrs Elen R		Rood, Mrs J A
Dodge, Miss Ruth		Rossy, Mrs Jennie
Durand, Mrs A E		Sullivan, Miss M E
Dumphy, Mrs James		Schmidt, Mrs Anna
Finch, Miss Alice		Sheder, Mrs
Fife, Mme Geanne		Sink, Miss Carrie
Glenn, Emma		Shephard, Miss Oriel
Grey, Mrs N		Stebbins, Miss A M
Harris, Mrs Annie M		Sutten, Mrs Bell
Harris, Miss Nora		Swain, Miss Ethel
Hawk, Mrs Matilda		Thirbide, Miss Estrella
Howard, Miss Hattie		Vogel, Miss Carrie
James, Mrs Annie		Ybarra, Mrs R Gde
Janes, Mrs Annie M		Withrow, Mrs Jennie
Jones, Mrs Will W		

Gentlemen's List.

Anderson, F	Hill, Rob't E	Muldrow, J H
Acton, Jesse W	Hinsdill, S S	Murdock, Jas
Akins, L E	Hilgard, W E	Noisbow, C
Balderson, H	Hopton, W J	O'Donnell, C
Barbieri, A-2	Hollocker, M L	O'Donnell, J H
Blazer, Geo	Howard, A-2	Oathi, Mr
Bloomfield, W	Howard, A F	Park, Jas M-2
Booth, J A	Howe, John	Pavlovich, A
Booth, H C	Hutchins, J	Petrie, Jas R
Bradford, J B	Jones, H N	Roscoe, Frank
Brooks, W F	Jacobs, H W	Reed, J W
Bacigalupo, N	Kabrowski, E	Ratigan, Lou
Carter, James	Kahn, E	Ramsay, B
Chapman, J M-2	Kohne, H J	Ratties, Thos
Close, E M	Koyamas, G	Roylstin, Jas
Coates, Edw A	Kukavicie, M	Robinson, A
Coret, Louis	Kirn, Albert	Ronayne, M P
Crooks, W H-2	King, H C	Rodgers, John
Crocker, O L	Kinney, Jas	Ricaud, Pierre
Crumly, John	Lewis, Geo	Reimers, C
Crum, Lee	Leatch, Alan	Rickert, A L
Cucavicich, M	Larson, Gust	Rust, Robert E
Dashiel, Ben	Levitt, Fred B	Russell, S A
Daniels, J W	Lord, F S	Scott, E J
Dean, Vesta M	Locey, J D	Schulze, Wm
Degraw, J J-2	Lowry, J H	Scheidel, Jacob
Dilion, John A	Lynch, E J	Sheehy, C J
Donnalley, E J	Ludped, F	Stocks, C B
Donahue, J F	Mayhew, W	Stone, J B
Downs, D	Mathyas, F	Sweigard, M M
Edwards, N J	Maurer, A-2	Tarry, Wm
Esler, Geo	Massle, John	Tate, T J
Fiel, Fred	Marsh, Geo F	Taylor, Chas T
Ferguson, E R	McIntosh, A	Thatcher, G
Flynn, W S	McHardy, C	Torrey, L S
Fox, W	McCarty, M	Walsne, H
Funk, Line	Miner, Joseph	Ware, E B
Gault, Sam-2	Milroy, Joe	Wilson, R W
Gilson, E B	Morgan, G H	Williams, H
Grover, C	Mitchell, J W	Williams, J R
Henry, Mr	McNairn, W	Wright, Forest
Hall, Wm A	Miller, N A	Wolfgang, H
Harris, Prof E	Muller, H	Wunders, W H
Hawthorn, W	Newman, A J	Winegar, Ham
Heffern, J	Muller, F	Wise, Frank
Hines, Thos		

Foreign.

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Imilio Silva	Manoel de Sauza
Torres Jos	Shimada Kintara
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PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SACRAMENTO, August 6, 1892.

WHEREAS, THE LEGISLATURE OF the State of California, at its twenty-ninth session, beginning on the 5th day of January, A. D., 1891, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, proposed the following described amendments to the Constitution of the State of California, to wit:

Amendment Number One.

[Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10.]

ARTICLE IV.

Section 2. The sessions of the Legislature shall commence at 12 o'clock M. on the first Monday after the first day of January next succeeding the election of its members, and shall be biennial, unless the Governor shall in the interim convene the Legislature by proclamation. No pay shall be allowed to members for a longer period than one hundred days, and no bill shall be introduced in either House after the expiration of sixty days from the commencement of each session, without the consent of two-thirds of the members thereof.

Amendment Number Two.

[Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 7.]

ARTICLE XI.

Section 18. No county, city, town, township, Board of Education, or School District shall incur any indebtedness or liability, in any manner, or for any purpose, exceeding in any year the income and revenue provided for it for such year, without the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof voting at an election to be held for that purpose, nor unless before or at the time of incurring such indebtedness, provision shall be made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity, which shall not exceed forty years from the time of contracting the same. Any indebtedness or liability incurred contrary to this provision shall be void.

Amendment Number Three.

[Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 11.]

ARTICLE V.

Section 15. A Lieutenant-Governor shall be elected at the same time and place and in the same manner as the Governor, and his term of office and his qualifications or eligibility shall also be the same. He shall be President of the Senate, but shall have only a casting vote therein. He shall also, when the Senate is not in session, visit all the State institutions, prisons, reformatory schools, asylums, and other institutions, supported in whole or in part by the State, and make careful examinations of the manner in which the appropriations for the support of such institutions, and for permanent improvements, have been expended, and report the result of his examinations to the Governor, to the Legislature, and to any other officer, or board of officers, that the Legislature may direct; provided, that in case the office of Lieutenant-Governor becoming vacant, or in the case of the