# COMMERCIAL.

## Slight Advance in Wheat in the San Francisco Market.

### Barley Weak, Except for Options, Which Are Firm—Over-Supply of Poor Fruits.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8th.

Wheat opened weak in the local market and closed strong at an advance of one-half a cent. This was on the strength of a stronger tone in Chicago, which advanced during the morning about three-eighths of a cent, and finally closed steady at opening qotations. New York, on the other hand, was one-quarter of a cent lower at the close. The total sales of Wheat were 1,200 tons—1,000 tons of May at from $1 26½ to $1 26⅞, and 200 December at $1 32⅞. The receipts were 11,383 centals. The Barley market was weak out of options, which were firm. The sales were 200 tons of May at from 84⅜ to 84¾ cents, and 300 tons seller at '93 (new) at 83⅝. The English and French markets are weak.

The vegetable market is quiet, with a light demand, and prices generally unchanged. Oregon Burbanks are a little firmer and other varieties are in good demand. Choice Onions are higher.

The fresh fruit market is over-supplied with a poor quantity of Oranges, and the demand is quiet. Two carloads of Apples arrived from Watsonville to-day. Fancy California Lemons sell as high as $3 50. Limes are easier under recent supplies.

The fresh Butter market is active in the finer grades alone, with medium grades dragging. Eggs are dull for all kinds with prices steady. The Cheese market continues in good supply.

The poultry market was dulled a little by the arrival of Eastern stock. California arrivals are light and clean up well. Prices are firm. Games arrives light, with a very small demand.

#### Produce Market.

FLOUR—Net cash prices for Family Extras, $3 90@4 ₱ bbl; Bakers' Extras, $3 80@4; Superfine, $2 60@3 10.

WHEAT—Standard Wheat is quotable at $1 22½@1 23¾, with $1 25 ₱ ctl as a full figure for a choice article.

BARLEY—We quote: Feed, 80c ₱ ctl for good quality and $1¼@82½c for choice; Brewing, ·85@97½c ₱ ctl.

OATS—We quote: Milling, $1 45@1 55; fancy feed, $1 40; good to choice feed, $1 30@1 37½; off grades, $1 15@1 30; Black, $1@1 15; Gray, $1 25@1 30; Red, $1 10@1 15 ₱ ctl.

CORN—Quotable at $1 07½@1 10 for Large Yellow, $1 07½@1 10 for Small Yellow and $1 05@1 10 ₱ ctl for White.

CRACKED CORN—Quotable at $25 50@26 50 ₱ ton.

OILCAKE MEAL—Quotable at $35 ₱ ton from the mills.

CORNMEAL—Millers quote feed at $24 50@25 50 ₱ ton; fine kinds for the table, in large and small packages, 2¼@3½c ₱ lb.

CHOPPED FEED—Quotable at $17@17 50 ₱ ton.

SEEDS—We quote: Mustard, Brown, —@—c; Yellow, —@—c; Canary, imported, 8⅝@5 25; do, California, —; Hemp, 5c ₱ lb; Rape, $2 25@2 50; Timothy, —c ₱ lb; Alfalfa, 9@9½c ₱ lb for California, and 10@10½c for Utah; Flax, $3 ₱ ctl.

MIDDLINGS—Quotable at $19@22 ₱ ton.

HAY—We quote as follows: Wheat and Oat, $8@10 50; Barley, $7@8 50; Oat, $7@9; fair to choice Wheat, $8@12 50; compressed, $7@9; stock, $5 50@7; Alfalfa, $9 50@10 50; Clover, $7@9 ₱ ton.

STRAW—Quotable at 35@50c ₱ bale.

HOPS—Nominal at 16@19c ₱ lb.

MILLSTUFFS—We quote: Rye Flour, 3½c; Rye Meal, 3c; Graham Flour, 3c; Oatmeal, 4½c; Oat Groats, 5c; Cracked Wheat, 3½c; Buckwheat Flour, 5c; Pearl Barley, 4¼@4½c ₱ lb.

BRAN—Quotable at $13 50@14 per ton.

RYE—Quotable at $1 10@1 15 ₱ ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—Nominal at $2@2 50 ₱ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—Quotable at $19@20 ₱ ton.

POTATOES—New, 2c to 2½c ₱ lb; Early Rose, 95c@$1 05; River Reds, 70@75c; River Burbanks, 85c@$1; Peerless and Tomales Burbanks, 90c@$1 10; Humboldt Burbanks, $1@1 20; Oregon Burbanks, $1 10@1 30; Oregon Garnet Chiles, $1 15@1 30; Sweet, 75@$1 50 ₱ ctl.

ONIONS—Quotable at $1 50@2 ₱ ctl for good to choice.

DRIED PEAS—We quote: Green, $1 65 to $1 87½. Blackeye, nominal; Niles, $1 65@1 70 ₱ ctl.

BEANS—We quote: Bayos, $2 50@2 60; Butter, $2 60 to $2 75 for small and $3@3 25 for large; Pink, $2 50@2 60; Red, $2 75@3; Lima, $3 20; Pea, $2 75@2 90; Small White, $2 75@2 85; Large White, $2 70@2 80 ₱ ctl.

VEGETABLES—We quote as follows: String Beans, 15c to 18c ₱ lb; Cucumbers, —₱ dozen; Los Angeles Tomatoes, —@—₱ box; Green Peppers, 12@15c; Green Peas, 4@7c; Asparagus, 15@20c for No. 1 and 10@12½c ₱ lb for No. 2; Rhubarb, 7@9c ₱ lb; Turnips, 70@75c ₱ ctl; Beets, 75c ₱ sack; Carrots, feed, 40@50c; Parsnips, $1 25 ₱ ctl; Cabbage, 85c@$1; Garlic, ¾@1¼c ₱ lb; Cauliflower, 50@60c ₱ dozen; Dry Peppers, 5@7c ₱ lb; Dry Okra, 15c ₱ lb; Marrowfat Squash, $12@14 ₱ ton.

FRESH FRUIT—We quote as follows: Apples, 50c@$1 for common, $1 25@1 50 for good to choice, and $1 50@1 75 ₱ box for fancy; Pears, 75c@$1 50 ₱ box.

CITRUS FRUIT—We quote: Mexican Limes, $5 50@6 ₱ box; California Limes, —₱ small box; Lemons, Sicily, $5@5 50; California Lemons, $1@2 for common and $2 50@3 for good to choice; Bananas, $1@2 ₱ bunch; Hawaiian Pineapples, $3@4; Mexican Pineapples, $5 50@6 ₱ dozen; Riverside Navels, $2@2 75; Riverside Seedlings, $1@1 50 ₱ box; San Bernardino Navels, $2 50@3 ₱ box; San Bernardino Seedlings, $1@1 75 ₱ box; Oroville Navels, —@—₱ box; Oroville Seedlings, —@—₱ box; Los Angeles Navels, $1 50@2; Los Angeles Seedlings, 85c@$1 25; San Gabriel Navels, $2 25@2 50; San Gabriel Seedlings, $1@1 25 ₱ box.

DRIED FRUIT—We quote: Dates, 4½@5c; Apples, sun-dried, quartered, 4½@5½c; do, sliced, 5½@6c; do, evaporated, in boxes, 9@10c ₱ lb; Pears, bleached, 5@6c for sliced, 3@5c for quartered and 8c for evaporated; Pears, unbleached, 3@4c for sliced and 2½@3c for quartered; Figs, 5@6c for pressed and 3@4c for unpressed; Prunes, 7@8c for small, 9½@9½c for the four sizes and 10c for the fifth size of 50@60s; Pitted Plums, 9½@10c; unpitted Plums, 2½@5c; bleached Peaches, 9@12c; sun-dried Peaches, 6@8½c ₱ lb; Apricots, 11@14c for Royals and 15@16c for Moorparks; Grapes, 2@2¼c ₱ lb.

RAISINS—Quotable as follows: London Layers, $1 40@1 60; loose Muscatel, $1@1 25 in boxes and 3½@4½c ₱ lb in sacks.

NUTS—We quote as follows: Chestnuts, 6c to 8c ₱ lb; Walnuts, 7c to 9c for hard shell, 10c to 12½c for soft shell, and —c ₱ lb for paper shell; Chile Walnuts, 8@9c; California Almonds, 13½c@14½c for soft shell, 7½@8½c for hard shell, and 15@16c for paper shells. Peanuts, 3@4c; Hickory Nuts, 7@8c; Filberts, 10@11c; Pecan, 8@10c for small and 14@16c for large; Brazil Nuts, 10c to 11c; Pine Nuts, 12½@13c ₱ lb; Cocoanuts, $4@5 ₱ hundred.

HONEY—Comb, 12½@14c; amber extracted, 7@7½c; dark, 6@7c; water white extracted, 8@8½c ₱ lb.

BEESWAX—Quotable at 24@27c ₱ lb.

BUTTER—We quote Fancy creamery, 22½@23c; fancy dairy, 21@22c; good to choice, 17@20c; common grades, 15@16c; pickled roll, 15@17c; keg, 15@16c ₱ lb.

CHEESE—We quote: Choice to fancy new, 11c to 12c; fair to good, 8@10c; Eastern, ordinary to fine, 11@13c; do, fancy creamery, 14@15c ₱ lb.

EGGS—We quote: California ranch, 18@20c; store lots, 16@17c ₱ dozen.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys are a shade cheaper, while quotations for Ducks are marked up. We quote: Live Turkeys—Gobblers—19@20c; Hens, 19@20c; dressed, 20@22c ₱ lb; Roosters, $6 50@7 50 for old and $7 50@8 50 for young; Fryers, $5 50@6 50; Broilers, $4 50@5 50 for small, and $6@6 50 for large; Hens, $7@8; Ducks, $8@9; Geese, $2@2 50 ₱ pair.

GAME—We quote: Hare, $1@1 25; Rabbits, $1@1 25 ₱ doz.

PROVISIONS—Eastern Hams, 17@18c; California Hams, 16@16½c; Eastern Breakfast Bacon, 16@16½c; California Bacon, heavy and medium, 14@14½c; do, light, 14½@15c; do, extra light, 15@16½c; do, clear sides, 13@13½c ₱ lb; Pork, extra prime, $16@16 50; do, prime mess, $17@18; do, mess, $23@24; do clear, $25@26; do, extra clear, $26@27 ₱ bbl; Pigs' Feet, $12 50 ₱ bbl; Beef mess, bbls, $7 50@8; do, extra mess, bbls, $8 50@9; do, family, $11@12 ₱ bbl; extra do, $12 50@13 ₱ bbl; do, smoked, 10½@11c; Eastern Lard, compound, tierces, 12c; do, prime steam, 13½@14c; 10-lb pails, 15c; 5-lb, 15¼c; 3-lb, 15¾; California, tierces, 13½c; half-bbls, 14@14½c; 10-lb tins, 15c; do, 5-lb, 15@15½c ₱ lb.

WOOL—The market is exhausted of all Fall stock, and quotations are omitted until Spring stock commences to come forward. If the weather continue wet and threatening, there will be no shearing for the next ten or fifteen days, but should the weather around Bakersfield prove clear and warm, the Woolgrowers in that locality will commence operations very shortly. Our market is so bare of stock that it can be safely said that early Wools will meet with prompt sale at satisfactory prices. The Boston market is also in good shape to handle Wool, as reports from there indicate light supply and good demand for all choice Wools.

HIDES AND SKINS—Quotable as follows:

| | Sound. | Culls. |
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| Heavy Steers, 57 lbs up, ₱ lb | 7¾@—c | 6 @6½c |
| Medium Steers, 46 to 56 lbs | 6 @6½ | 4½@— |
| Light, 40 to 45 lbs | 4½@5 | 3½@— |
| Cows | 4 @5½ | 3 @4½ |
| Stags | 4 @— | 3 @— |
| Kips, 17 to 30 lbs | 4 @— | 3 @— |
| Veal Skins, 10 to 17 lbs | 5 @— | 4 @— |
| Calf Skins, 5 to 10 lbs | 7 @— | 5 @— |

Dry Hides, usual selection, 9c; Dry Kips, 9c ₱ lb; Calf Skins, do, 9c; Cull Hides, Kip and Calf, 6c; Pelts, shearlings, 10@25c each; do, short, 40@70c each; do, medium, 70@90c each; do, long wool, 90c@$1 40 each; Deer Skins, summer, 37½c; do, good medium, 30@32½c; do, winter, 20@25c ₱ lb; Goat Skins, 30@50c apiece for prime to perfect, 10@25c for damaged, and 5@10c each for kids.

TALLOW—Refined, 8@8¼c; rendered, 7@7½c; grease, 4½@5c ₱ lb.

#### Merchandise Market.

BAGS—15-ounce Sugar Bags in bond, 6½c; duty, 2c ₱ lb; Calcutta Wheat Bags, 6½c for next season; Wool Bags, 30½c for 3½-lb and 32c for 4 lb.

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; Whisp 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 17½c; Sperm, 25c; Paraffine, 11@11½c ₱ lb.

CANNED GOODS—Local canners quote jobbing lots as follows: Apricots, $1 65; Plums, $1 25; Pears, $1 85; Peaches, $1 90 for Crawford and $2 for Cling; Cherries, $2 for Black and $2 35 for White; Grapes, $1 20; Figs, $1 65; Nectarines, $1 75; Quinces, $1 60; Blackberries, $1 75; Strawberries, $2 25; Tomatoes, 90@92½c.

CEMENT, PLASTER AND LIME—Jobbing rates for the above goods are as follows: Santa Cruz Lime $1 25; Portland Cement, $2 75@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.

CANNED SALMON—Alaska, pack of 1892, in 350 case lots, $1 15 for red; Columbia River, $1 25@1 45 for talls and $1 45@1 65 for flats.

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 50@7; Coos Bay, $6; Southfield (British Columbia), $8; Wellington (British Columbia), $8. We quote as follows:

| | Prices to Arrive. | Spot Rate. |
|---|---|---|
| Australian, ₱ ton | $6 50 | $6 50 |
| Liverpool | 6 75 | 6 50 |
| West Hartley | 7 50 | 8 00 |
| Scotch Splint | 7 25 | 7 25 |
| Cardiff | 7 00 | 7 00 |
| Lehigh | 11 00 | 11 00 |
| Cumberland | 9 00 | 12 00 |
| Egg | 10 00 | 10 00 |

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

COFFEE—General American grades are quoted as follows:

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| Guatemala, prime washed | 22¼@22½c |
| Guatemala, good washed | 21½@22c |
| Guatemala, fair washed | 19 @21c |
| Guatemala, medium washed | 16½@18c |
| Costa Rica, prime, free black beans | 21 @22½c |
| Costa Rica, good, some black beans | 19½@20½c |
| Salvador, good unwashed | 19½@19½c |
| Salvador, good to prime washed | 21 @21½c |
| Inferior to ordinary qualities | 15½@19½c |

CORDAGE—The Tubbs Cordage Company revised its list on January 26th as follows:

| | Duplex. | Sisal. | Manila. |
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| 1¼ inch | 9c | 9c | 11½c |
| 1½ thread | 9½ | 9½ | 12 |
| 6 and 9 thread | 10 | 10 | 12½ |
| Bale Rope, 3 yarns | 9 | 9 | 10 |
| Bale Rope, 2 yarns, light | — | 9½ | 12 |
| Bale Rope, 4 yarns | — | 9 | 11½ |
| Bale Rope, 3 yarns | — | — | 11½ |

Other descriptions of Manila are quoted as follows: Whale and Bolt Rope, 13½c; Hawser and Rope for well-boring, 13c; transmission of Power Rope, 15c; Sash Cord, 15½c; Lanyard and Tarred Rope, 11½c; Lath Yarn, 8c for Duplex and 11c for Manila; Hop Twine, in balls, tarred, 9c for Duplex and 11½c for Manila; Grape-vine Twine, in coils and balls, 9c for Duplex and 12c for Manila; Spring Twine, 15½c.

DESICCATED COCOANUT—Schepps' (Eastern) is quoted as follows: 1-lb papers (in cake boxes, 15 lbs), 30c; 1-lb papers (in bread boxes, 50 lbs), 30c; 1-lb tin canisters (in wood case, 30 lbs), 31½c; 1-lb pails (in wood case, 30 lbs), 32½c ₱ lb; Pioneer (California) is quoted at 25c ₱ lb in assorted tins, 24c in 1-lb tins and 10@12c in bulk.

DRUGS—Alum, 2¼@2½c; Acid, 12½@16c for Nitric, 2½@3c for Sulphuric and 60@62½c for Tartaric; Borax, 7¼@7½c for concentrated and 8@8½c for refined; Blue Vitriol, 4½@5c; Caustic Potash, 10@11c; Chlorate of Potash, 19@20c; Chlorate of Lime, 2¼@4¼c; Crude Ammonia, concentrated, 18c; Gum Camphor, 30c; Gum Shellac, 30@33c; Quinine, 60c; Saltpetre, English refined, 7¼@8c; Sulphur, 2¼@2½c for roll and 4¼@4½c for refined.

DRY GOODS—Prints are generally jobbing at 4¾@6¾c; Ginghams and Suitings, 6½@11½c; Lawns, 8½@9c; Brown Cottons, 4@8c; Bleached Cottons, 6@13c; Brown Sheetings and Shirtings, 11@24c.

FISH—The price list issued February 14, 1893, by the Union Fish Company gives the price of Codfish as follows: In 100-lb cases, 5½@5¾c for medium and 6c for selected; 50-lb bdls, 5½c; Boneless or Strips in 30s, 40s or 50s, 7c; Middles, 60s, 8@8½c; Blocks, 40s, 7½@8c; Blocks, Seabright, 40s, 8@8½c; 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@27c for good heavy, 21c to 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—Line delivered at mill ports in cargo lots is quoted at $9 to $24 per thousand feet, according to length; dressed, tongued and grooved Flooring, $17 to $19; tongued, grooved and beaded, $19 to $20; Ship Plank and Timber, selected quality, $15@23.

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

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

METALS—We quote Puget Sound Pig Iron at $20, and other brands as follows:

| | To Arrive. | On the spot. |
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| Eglington, ₱ ton | $20 00 | $20 00 |
| Glengarnock | 21 00 | 21 00 |
| Shotts No. 1 | 22 00 | 22 50 |
| Clay Lane White | 21 00 | 22 00 |
| American soft | 22 00 | 22 00 |

We quote prices for other kinds: Tin Plate, $5 75@5 80; Yellow Metal, 20c; English Cast Steel, 14@16c; Sheet Zinc, 8½@9c; Pig Lead, 4½c; Bar Lead, 5½c; Lead Pipe, 6¾c; Sheet Lead, 7½c, Bar Copper 21@25c; Pig Tin, 22c ₱ lb; Magnolia Anti-Friction Metal, 32c ₱ lb.

NAILS—The Huntington-Hopkins Company quotes Iron Cut at $2@2 10 and Steel Wire at $2 35@2 45, inside figure for 200-keg lots and upward.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits Turpentine, 46c ₱ gallon; California Oakum, $4 50; Eastern Oakum, $5; Rosin, $3 50@5; Pitch, $4@4 50; Tar, $6@8 ₱ bbl.

OIL—China Nut, 49@54c; California Castor, $1 30 for No. 1 and $1 15 for No. 2; Refined Cocoanut, 50c for No. 1; California Linseed in single barrel lots, 44c for raw and 46½c for boiled; Petroleum, 110 degrees, in cans, 14@18c; do, 150 degrees, 18@24; pure water strained Lard, 85c in barrels and 90c in tins; Possel Olive, quarts, $4; Plagniol Olive, quarts, $4 25; Duret do, $5 50; extra fine kinds, $8@7 ₱ dozen pints.

PAINTS—Pioneer White Lead, 7¼@8c; Stewart 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—$41 50@42.

RICE—We quote: Hawaiian, 4@4.05c; India, 4½c; China, $3 70@4 ₱ two mats for mixed, $4 25@4 50 for No. 1, and $4 70@4 95 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, 32 to 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.

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

SOAP—Castile, 6¼@7¼ for brown and 9½ to 12c for white; Chemical Olive, 4½@6c; Pale and other high grades, 7@8c.

SPICES—Cassia, 4½@5c; Citron, 25c; Cloves, 8@9c; Ginger, 13@14½c; Mace, 62½ to 65c; Nutmegs, 57½@60c; Pepper, 7@8c; Pimento, 7¼@7½c; Sago, 3@3¼c; Tapioca, 3 to 4c.

STARCH—All kinds may be quoted at 6½ to 8½ in bxs.

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, 5c; Confectioners' A, 4⅞c; Standard A, 4¾c; Magnolia, 4⅜c; Extra C, 4¼c; Golden C, 4c; D, 3⅞c.

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 dates of the 25th report Arctic at $3 75, with possible purchases at $3 50.

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 3-hoop painted Pails at $3; varnished do, black hoop, $3 25; varnished do, galvanized hoop, $3 75; white do, galvanized hoop, $3 75@3; 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.

#### Meat Market.

Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers:

BEEF—First quality, —@6½c; second quality, 5@5½c; third quality, 4½@5c ₱ lb.

CALVES—Quotable at 5@5c ₱ lb.

MUTTON—Quotable at 8½@9c ₱ lb.

LAMB—Spring, 16@18c.

PORK—Live Hogs, on foot, grain-fed, heavy and medium, 7@7½c; small fat Hogs, 7@7½c; stock Hogs, 6@6¼c; dressed Hogs, 10@10½c ₱ lb.

#### Eastern and Foreign.

NEW YORK, March 8th.

WHEAT—78⅞c for May and 80¾c for July.

CHICAGO, March 8th.

WHEAT—76¾c for May.

LIVERPOOL, March 8th.

WHEAT—Quiet but steady. California spot lots, 6s 1d; off coast, 29s 6d@29s 9d; just shipped, 30s 3d; nearly due, 29s 9d; cargoes off coast, quiet; on passage, very quiet; Mark Lane Wheat, slow; French country markets, inactive.

#### SACRAMENTO MARKET.

##### Another Quiet Day in Local Produce Circles.

SACRAMENTO, March 8th.

This was another quiet day in the local markets, business being but little if any better than yesterday. There is little doing in the Fruit line. Choice Apples are not to be had at any figure, while poor ones are plentiful, with light inquiry. Oranges are plentiful, but the stock is very poor. A new invoice of Limes has arrived, though not in sufficient quantity to cause any material decline in prices. Bananas are very scarce. In fact, the market is completely stripped.

The new crop of Vegetables is now coming in freely, and dealers no longer have to depend on old stocks to supply customers. Asparagus, Rhubarb, New Potatoes and Peas are plentiful, prices having a downward tendency.

There is a much better feeling in Butter, prices being firmer. Eggs are very weak, supplies exceeding the demand.

The situation in other lines remain unchanged.

#### Retail Prices.

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

GREEN FRUIT—Apples, $1 25, $1 75@2 25 ₱ box; Cranberries, in water, 60c ₱ gallon.

DRIED FRUIT—Apricots, 10@12c ₱ lb, Apples, 8@10c; Peaches, 12@16c; Plums, 12@14c; Prunes, 8@10c; Pears, 7@9c; Nectarines, 12@16c; Grapes, $1 per box; Figs, 5@8c ₱ lb.

CITRUS FRUIT—Limes—Mexican, 25c ₱ doz; Lemons—Sicily, 35c per doz; Oranges—Riverside Seedling, 1@25c per doz; Mediterranean Sweets, 30@50c per doz; Northern California, 20@35c ₱ doz; Navels, 35@65c ₱ doz., according to size; Cocoanuts, 10c each; Pineapples, 50c each; Bananas, 15@35c ₱ doz; Tamarinds, 20c ₱ lb.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Butter, Valley, ₱ roll, 40c; Fancy Petaluma, 50c; Nevada Creamery, 55@60c; Eastern Packed; 20c ₱ lb; Firkin, 18@20c; Pickett Roll, 40c ₱ roll. Cheese—California, 15c ₱ lb; Young American 16c; Eastern Creamery, 20c; Limburger, 20c; Genuine Swiss, 40c; American, 25c; Martin's Creamery, 20c.

EGGS—20c ₱ doz.

POULTRY—Turkeys—Live, 20c ₱ lb; Gobblers, 20c; dressed, 24c; Chickens—Hens, $7 50@8 ₱ doz, 65@90c each; Roosters, $6 50 ₱ doz, 60@70c each; Broilers, $4 50 ₱ doz, 50@60c each; Tame Ducks, $8 50 ₱ doz, 75c each; Geese, $1 35 each.

GAME—Hare, 35c ₱ pair; Rabbits, 35c ₱ pair; Squirrels, 35c ₱ pair; English Snipe, $2 50; Gray Geese, 75c; Brant, 50c; White, 25c.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, 12½c ₱ doz; Yellow Turnips, 12½c; Beets, 12½c; Carrots, 12½c; Parsnips, 12½c; Oyster Plant, 12½c; Lettuce, 25c; Radishes, 12½c; Green Onions, 15c; Leek, 12½c; Cabbage, 1½c ₱ lb; Savoy Cabbage, 10c ₱ head; Celery, 10c; Cauliflower, 10c; Red Cabbage, 10c; Kale, 5c; Green Onions, 12½c ₱ bunch; Onions, 5c ₱ lb; Hubbard Squash, 1½c ₱ lb; Dried Peppers, 25c; Garlic, 8c; Horseradish Roots, 10c; Mushrooms, 20@35c; Spinach, 6c; Green Peas, 10c; Green Peppers, 35c; Dried Okra, 30c; Celery Roots, 5c ₱ bunch; Asparagus, 17c ₱ lb; Water Cress, 25c ₱ doz; French Carrots, 5c ₱ bunch.

POTATOES—Early Rose, (new) $1 15@1 25 ₱ cwt; Peerless, $1 15@1 25; River Burbanks, $1 25; River Reds, $1 ₱ sack; Sweets, $2 50 ₱ cwt; Nevadas, $1 40@1 50; New Potatoes, 5c ₱ lb; Centennials, $1 15.

MEATS—Beef, Prime Rib Roast, 12½@15c; Chuck Roast, 10c; Rump, 8c; Brisket, 8c; Corned Beef, 8c; Porterhouse Steak, 15@18c; Loin Steak, 12½@15c; Round Steak, 10c; Chuck, 10c. Veal—Loin and Rib Chops, 15c; Roast Veal, 12½c. Mutton—Leg, 11@12½c; Loin and Rib Chops, 12½c; Mutton Stew, 8c; Shoulder Chops, 10c. Pork—Roast or Chops, 15c; Corned Pork, 15c; Sausages, 12½c; Vienna Sausages, 15c; Bacon, 14@19c; Ham, 16@20c.

LARD—Eastern, 15c; California, 12½@15c ₱ lb.

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

HAY AND GRAIN—Hay, Oat, 65c ₱ cwt; Wheat, 65c; second quality, 55c; Alfalfa, 55@60c; White Wild Oats, $1 15@1 30; Ground Barley, $1 10; Feed Oats, $1 60@1 85; Middlings, $1 10; Bran, 95c; Straw, 70@75c.

#### Rates to Producers.

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

GREEN FRUIT—Apples, 75c@$1 25 ₱ box; Cranberries, $10 50@11 ₱ bbl.

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

DAIRY PRODUCE—Butter—Valley, 22@25c ₱ lb; Fancy Petaluma, 27½c; Nevada Creamery, 27½@30c; Firkin, 22½c; Pickle Roll, 22½c. Cheese—California, 10c; Young America, 11c; Eastern Creamery, 15@16c; Limburger, 17@18c; Genuine Swiss, 28c; American Swiss, 16@18c; Martin's Creamery, 15@16c.

EGGS—Ranch, 15@18c ₱ dozen.

POULTRY—Turkeys—Live Hens, 16c ₱ lb; Gobblers, 15c; dressed, 18c; Chickens—Hens, $6@7 ₱ dozen; Roosters, $5@6; Broilers, $3; Tame Ducks, $6 50; Geese, $2 ₱ pair.

GAME—Hare, 20c ₱ pair; Rabbits, 20c ₱ pair; Squirrels, 25c ₱ pair. English Snipe, $2; Gray Geese, 50c; Brant, 35c; White, 15c.

VEGETABLES—Yellow Turnips, 8c ₱ doz; Beets, 8c; Turnips, 8c; Carrots, 8c; Parsnips, 8c; Oyster Plant, 8c; Lettuce, 8c; Radishes, 8c; Green Onions, 8c; Leek, 8c; Cabbage, ¾c ₱ lb; Savoy Cabbage, 50c ₱ doz; Celery, 50c; Cauliflower, 50c; Red Cabbage, 50c; Kale, 50c; Onions, 2½c ₱ lb; Hubbard Squash, ¾c; Dried Peppers, 12½c; Garlic, 6c; Horseradish Root, 8c; Mushrooms, 60@8c. Spinach, 3½c; Green Peas, 7c; Peppers, 6c; Dried Okra, 20c; Celery Root, 40c ₱ doz; Asparagus, 12½c ₱ lb.

MEATS—Beef, 5½@6c ₱ lb; Mutton, 7½@8c; Lamb, 8@9c; Veal, large, 5@5½c; Small, dressed, 8@9c; Hogs, 5½@6½c; Dressed Pork, 9c; Hams, Eastern, 17@20c ₱ lb; California, 15@17c; Bacon, 12½@17c.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $4 ₱ bbl; Oatmeal, 10-lb sacks, 3½c ₱ lb; $3 85 ₱ 110-lb sacks; Cornmeal—White, $1 75 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Yellow, $1 75 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Cracked Wheat, $2 35 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Graham, $2 ₱ 100-lb sacks.

HAY AND GRAIN—Oat Hay, $10@11 ₱ ton; Wheat, $10@11; second quality, $9; Alfalfa, $9@10; Wheat, whole, $1 25@1 32½ ₱ ctl; Barley, $2½@90c; White Wild Oats, $1@1 15; Corn, $1 05@1 10; Bran, $17 ₱ ton; Middlings, $20 ₱ ton; Ground Barley, $20 ₱ ton; Straw, 50@55c ₱ bale.

#### SAN FRANCISCO STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8, 1893.

MORNING SESSION.

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| Andes | 50c | Mexican | 1 55 |
| Belcher | 55c | Ophir | 1 70@1 75 |
| B. & B. | 1 40 | Potosi | 1 25 |
| Bodie | 5c | Savage | 70c |
| Challenge | 55c | S. Nevada | 1 05 |
| C. C. & V. | 2 35 | Union | 85c |
| C. Point | 40c | Y. Jacket | 50c |
| H. & N. | 1 10 | | |

AFTERNOON SESSION.

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| Alta | 15c | Justice | 15c |
| Belcher | 55c | Mexican | 1 55 |
| B. & B. | 1 40 | Ophir | 1 75@1 70 |
| Bulwer | 30c | Overman | 25c |
| Bodie | 5c | Potosi | 1 25 |
| Challenge | 10c | Scorpion | 5c |
| Crown Point | 40c | S. Nevada | 1 05 |
| C. C. & V. | 2 35 | S. Belcher | 25c |
| Choliar | 50c | Y. Jacket | 45c |
| H. & N. | 1 05 | | |


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