the day a few first-class bills sold at 108¼, but the price advanced to 108¾, with a firmer feeling. We quote: London, 60 days, 108¼@108⅞; London, sight, 108¼@109; London, prime commercial, 107⅞@108¼; Paris, long, 5.20@5.18¾; Paris, short, 5.17½@5.16¼; Antwerp, 5.22½@5.20; Swiss, 5.22½@5.20; Hamburg, 35¼@35⅞; Amsterdam, 40⅞@40¾; Frankfort, 40⅞@40¾; Bremen, 79⅝@79¾; Berlin, 73¼@71¼.

The transactions at the office of the Assistant Treasurer were: Receipts for Customs, $641,000; Gold Notes, $59,000; total Payments, $1,113,276 99; Balance, $92,291,486 89. Total Receipts, $1,000,879 91.

The aggregate amount of exports (exclusive of specie) from the port of New-York to foreign ports for the week ending Sept. 22, 1868, was $2,599,006.

Cotton begins to arrive freely. The telegraph reports the receipts at all the ports on Monday, at 5,114 bales. Exchange on New-York at New-Orleans has advanced ¼ per cent, being quoted at 99¾.

The directors of the Rockford, Rock Island and St. Louis Railroad Company offer as a desirable investment $5,000,000 of their first mortgage bonds, having 50 years to run, bearing interest at 7 per cent, payable semi-annually, free of Government tax, principal and interest payable in gold. The interest is payable either in London or New-York. Each bond is for $1,000 or £200, and is convertible stock. The bonds are a first lien on the road, together with its coal lands, mining rights, and entire property of every sort, and is secured by mortgages to the Union Trust Company of New-York. The Company is organized on the principle or plan of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, that is, it proposes to combine with the ordinary operation of a railroad, the possession of coal lands, and the mining, transporting and selling of coal, for the supply of fuel to connecting railroads, to steamers plying upon the Mississippi River, and to the population of the country within reach of its operations. For this purpose it has already secured control, by purchase and leases of 50 years' duration, of a large body of very valuable coal lands, lying either contiguous to or near the line of the road, sufficient to furnish full employment to the road for a century or more and it is proposed to acquire control of still more of such lands. It is the intention of the Company to construct, first and immediately, the portion of the road between Sterling, on the lower line (Dixon air line) of the Chicago and North-Western Road, to the junction with the Rock Island Road, with tracks to several coal mines already opened and controlled by the Company, giving in the aggregate 50 to 52 miles of road; and it is proposed to issue of the above described bonds, to aid in the construction of said 50 miles of road and in the purchase of coal lands, $1,500,000, and the remainder will be issued as the work proceeds upon the other divisions. A limited amount of the bonds is offered by H. H. Boody, Treasurer, No. 12 Wall-st., at 95, and accrued interest.

The reports of the railways show the following facts in reference to their earnings:

Winona and St. Peter's Railroad.

2d week, Sept., 1868	$47,483 52.	1867	$16,666 79

Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad.

2d week, Sept., 1868	$29,033.	1867	$29,700

Atlantic and Great Western Railroad.

2d week, Sept., 1868	$128,880.	1867	$119,729

The return of the Bank of England for the week ending Sept. 9, gives the following results when compared with the previous week:

Rest	£23,013,820	Increase £2,393
Public deposits	2,715,925	Increase 441,510
Other deposits	19,423,966	Increase 1,05,561
On the other side of the account:		
Gov. securities	£13,790,131	No change.
Other Securities	16,215,856	Increase £24,074
Notes unemployed	10,741,295	Decrease 318,845

The amount of notes in circulation is £23,875,955, being a decrease of £431,150; and the stock of bullion in both departments is £26,756,148, showing, when compared with the preceding return, an unexpected decrease of £110,855, the foreign bullion movements of the week having resulted in an influx upon the balance of £88,000.

The weekly return of the Bank of France, published on the 10th, shows the following changes as compared with that of the previous week:

	Francs.		Francs.
Treasury	Inc. 30,16,000	Notes	Dec. 16,500,000
Private accounts	Dec. 47,250,000	Cash in hand	Dec. 12,500,000
Bills discounted	Dec. 23,200,000	Advances	Inc. 1,600,000

Of printing cloths *The Providence Journal* says:

The market was firmer at the close. At the present price of printing cloths the manufacturer loses money on every yard he manufactures. Many of the print cloth mills that have yard wide looms are changing on to wide goods. The Fall River mills are running only four days in the week. The printers have made little money for the last six months, owing to the high price of cloths, madder, garancine, and other imported materials used in printing. The following are the sales: 29,000 pieces 64x64, 72c., extra, sold at the week ending 19,000 do. 64x64, 7c., standards; 8,000 do. 64x64, 7½c., do.; 15,000 do. 64x64, 7½c., do.; 8,000 do. 64x64, 7½c., extra, at the close. Total, 79,000 pieces.

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST IN GOLD.—The first mortgage 50-year seven per cent sinking fund coupon bonds of the Rockford, Rock Island and St. Louis Railroad Company, principal and interest payable in Gold Coin, *free of Government tax*, are for sale at the office of the Company, No. 12 Wall-st., at 95 per cent, and accrued interest in currency.

At the present price of gold the bonds pay an income of over 10 per cent, and, in the estimation of the Company, they are the cheapest first-class security offered in the market.

Pamphlets giving fuller information may be had at the office.

Government and other securities received in exchange at market rates. H. H. BOODY, Treasurer.

COLUMBUS, CHICAGO, AND INDIANA CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY FIRST MORTGAGE SINKING FUND 40 YEARS SEVEN PER CENT COUPON BONDS, INTEREST PAYABLE APRIL AND OCTOBER IN THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.—The road is about 600 miles in length, with unsurpassed connection, passes through the most populous and richest agricultural sections of the States of Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois, and its traffic receipts, it is believed, will prove ample in any contingency, not only to provide for the prompt payment of its interest and other liabilities, but also for satisfactory dividends to its stockholders. The Bonds can be registered at the office of the Company in New-York. Parties desiring to invest in these Bonds can obtain the same, together with any further information that may be desired, on application to the undersigned. WM. R. FOSDICK, at St. Nicholas National Bank, No. 7 Wall-st.; U. A. MURDOCK, at Continental National Bank, No. 7 Nassau-st.; JOHN A. ISELIN & Co., No. 36 Wall-st.

THE MARKETS.

[Carefully reported for The Tribune.]

TUESDAY, Sept. 22, 1868.

ASHES—The market is steady for Pots at $6 50. Pearls are nominal.

BUILDING MATERIALS—Bricks are heavy and dull, but other articles coming under this heading are firm and in fair demand.

BEESWAX—The market is steady and the demand good; fair sales of 5,000 lbs. at 43@46c. for Yellow, Western and Southern.

BROOM CORN—The demand is less active, and prices have declined; sales at 8@12c. ⅌ lb. The new crop will be large.

BRISTLES—Are in moderate demand and steady; sales at from 40c. @ $2 50c. for American, Gray and White.

COTTON—The demand continues moderate; the offerings are a little more liberal, and prices have declined about ½c. ⅌ ℔. At the moment sellers appear to have the greatest advantage, but buyers are operating with caution, and are looking for much easier terms at an early day; sales of 1,236 bales, including 1,179 to spinners, and 57 to shippers. We quote as follows:

	Upland and Fla.	Mobile.	N. Orleans.	Texas.
Ordinary	22c.	22½c.	21½c.	21½c.
Good Ordinary	24½c.	23½c.	24c.	24½c.
Low Middling	25½c.	25½c.	25½c.	25½c.
Middling	26c.	26½c.	26½c.	26½c.

COFFEE—The auction sale of Rio to-day was not fully carried out, owners withdrawing the bulk of the offering, although pretty full prices were paid. The amount sold was 763 bags at 20@24½c., average, 21¼c., currency. At private sale the business has continued quite active, stimulated by the favorable tone of the letters per steamer; importers appear very confident, refusing to operate except at full figures; sales of 750 bags Rio, ex steamer Merrimac, at 12½@12½c., gold, in bond, and 1,300 bags Santos, ex Amor, on private terms. We quote ordinary cargoes Rio at 8@9c. for fair to good do.; 9½@11c. and prime do. at 11½@11½c., all in bond; Rio in lots, duty paid, at 13@17½c., all gold. Other styles are neglected and somewhat nominal at about 21@23½c. for Java; 15@17c. for Maracaibo; 15½@16½c. for Laguayra, gold.

COAL—The demand for Domestic has not been so active as early in the month, Eastern dealers being well stocked, and with large arrivals our stock has increased largely; sales from yard at ⅌ 40@6 per ton. Foreign has been in good demand. House Coals are wanted. Gas are more plenty, and prices steady.

CANDLES—Adamantine are in fair demand and the market is steady; sales of 400 boxes at 21@23c. Sperm and Patent are unchanged.

FLOUR AND MEAL—The demand for Western and State Flour is hardly so active, and most Spring Wheat Extras are easier, the medium and better grades are firm and in fair demand; No. 2 and Superfine are firm and in good request; the sales are 10,400 bbls., at $6 90@$7 50 for Superfine State, $8@$8 85 for Extra do., $9@$9 30 for Fancy do., $7 50@$8 40 for the low grades of Western, $8 80@$10 for good to choice Spring Wheat Extras, $8 75@$11 for Minnesota Extras (the latter for Fancy), $8 25@$8 35 for Shipping Ohio, $9 10@$11 75 for White Wheat Extra do. do., $9 90@$15 50 for Extra and Double Extra. St. Louis. California Flour is heavy, and freely offered; sales of 670 bags at $9@$11 25. Southern Flour is without much change; the demand is more active; sales of 1,600 bbls. at $9 15@$9 70 for ordinary to good Extra Baltimore and Country, $9 80@$10 50 for extra and family brands Georgia and Virginia, and $9 90@$15 25 for extra and family Maryland and Baltimore. Rye Flour is steady but quiet; sales of 220 bbls. at $6 25@$8 25. Corn Meal is less active and prices fairly maintained; sales of 490 bbls. at $5 75@$6 for Yellow Western and $6 50 for Brandywine.

FEATHERS—Are unchanged; we quote Prime at 75@95c. for Tennessee; and 85@90c. for Western.

FLAX—New is more plenty, and is in fair demand at $1 90@$2 3, the latter for Choice. North River Old is dull.

GRAIN—The Wheat market is dull; prices are lower and generally unsettled, particularly ordinary qualities of Spring; the decline in gold and increased firmness in freights give buyers the advantage; the sales are 60,750 bush. at $1 60 for rejected Spring; $1 65@$1 70 for No. 3 Chicago Spring; $1 75@$1 78 for No. 2 Milwaukee; $1 90 for No. 1 Milwaukee, the latter for small lots; $2 10 for Red Western; $2 62½@$2 72½ for White Californian, and $2 65 for Choice White Michigan. Barley is held with much firmness, but is quiet; sales of 2,500 bush. State (reported) at $1 85. Barley Malt is heavy. Oats are active and better, and close strong; the sales are 120,000 bush. at 72c. for Canada, New Western at 72@73c. at railroad depot; 75@76c. afloat; 76c. to arrive all this month, and Old Western at 81½@82c. in store. Rye is without material change, and firm; the sales are 9,000 bush. Western at $1 51. Corn is less active, and closes quite tame, especially for medium qualities; the demand is chiefly for the lower grades; choice qualities are scarce and firm; the sales are 68,000 bush. Damp and Unsound at $1 13@$1 18; New Western Mixed at $1 13½@$1 19½; Extra do. at $1 20, and Southern White at $1 26, to be discharged to-day.

GUANO—The demand for Peruvian has been light at $60, gold, for the cargo, and $59@$60, currency, for small lots.

GINSENG—Large lots are leasable, and are not plenty at $1 30@$1 65 ⅌ ℔.

GUNNIES are in moderate demand and steady, at 18@19c. for Bags, and 21½@22c. for Cloth.

HIDES.—For Dry Hides the inquiry still continues comparatively moderate, buyers in most cases refusing to operate except through absolute necessity. Enough business has been consummated, however, to cause some reduction in the stock, and as the receipts are now small, holders remain very firm at full previous rates, particularly on choice qualities. We quote at 20@22½c. for Buenos Ayres; 21c. for Montevideo and Rio Grande, 19@19½c. for Oronoco, usual selection; 17@18c. for Vera Cruz, Porto Cabello, and Tampico; 16@17c. for Matamoras; 14@15c. for Maracaibo, and 14@15c. for Rio Hache, as they run, all gold, and 20@22c. currency for Southern Texas, &c. Dry Salted Hides are quoted at 12@13½c. gold, usual selection, for Maracaibo, Pernambuco, Bahia, &c., and 14@15½c. for Tampico, Matamoras, Chili, &c. Wet Salted Foreign Hides are quiet, partly owing to the want of a desirable assortment, but prices generally hold firmly. Buenos Ayres and Rio Grande, 11½@12c.; Para, 10½@10c. gold, usual selection. Southern Slaughters, 12½@13c., currency. City Slaughters meet with a fair demand but appear to be somewhat irregular, closing at about 12½@12½c., the latter an extreme. Upper Leather stock has met with rather more inquiry during the past week, both foreign and domestic grades selling well on the spot, and several lots were taken to arrive; we quote at 23c., gold, usual selection, for Buenos Ayres and Rio Grande Kip; 26@28c. currency, for Minas; 30@36c. for Gambia and Bissau, and 36@40c. for Sierra Leone. East India stock is dull, the moderate supplies here being held above the views of buyers; we quote at about 15@16c., gold, for Calcutta Slaughter Cow; 12½@13½c. for do. Dead Green, 12½@13c. for Buffalo, and 12c. for Manilla and Batavia Buffalo. The general receipts have been small, and most of the stocks are under easy control.

HAY—The market is very dull. The act of the British Government in prohibiting the importation of American Hay is regarded by the trade as quite ridiculous, and, in the absence of any export demand, the market is heavy at 60@70c. for Shipping and 90c.@$1 25 for retail lots. Loose Hay is selling at $1@$1 10 ⅌ 100 lb. Long Rye Straw is selling at 55@60c., and Short at 70@75c. ⅌ 100 lb.

HEMP—Manila is firm and in fair demand; sales of 400 bales at 11½@12c., gold; other kinds are dull and nominal.

HOPS are steady and moderately active; sales of Old at from 5@15c. and New from 25@35c. as to quality.

LEATHER—The aggregate of business in Hemlock Sole is still comparatively light, though rather larger than last week, and holders generally remain steady at full previous figures. The amount forwarded from the tanneries has been liberal, and fully counterbalanced any increase of business. We quote: Buenos Ayres, light, 25@26c.; do. middle, 26½@28c.; do. heavy, 27@29c.; Rio Grande, light and middle, 24@26c.; do. heavy, 25@26c. California, middle and light, 27½@29c.; do. heavy, 27@28c. Oaks Sole is without much activity, and remains at about 39@42c. for light; 39@46c. for middle, and 40@46c. for heavy. Cropped quoted at 42@45c.; Bellies, 23@25c. Slaughter Upper in Rough is fairly active and firm at 37@41c.

METALS—The market for American (Ingot) Copper has been somewhat unsettled, and the business only moderate; prices however show no change. Pig Iron is selling in Philadelphia, Portage Lake, and Detroit, at 2¼@2¾c., and small lots at 3½c. New Sheathing and Yellow Metal are unchanged. Pig Iron shows a slight revival in the demand, owing to a material reduction in the stock, together with light receipts, both present and prospective; prices have advanced and close firm. Pig Lead has met with fair demand from manufacturers at full prices. Spelter Nails and Shot are unchanged. Pig Tin has been very active; prices have ruled firm; sales of 10,000 slabs here and in Boston; Plates are unchanged in value; the demand is moderate. We quote:

COPPER.		NAILS (Continued.)	
American Ingot ⅌ ℔	24½@24¾	Copper, ⅌ lb.	40 @ — —
Sheathing, new	— @33	Yellow Metal, ⅌ lb.	26 @ — —
Sheathing, old	18 @20	Zinc, ⅌ lb.	16 @ — —
Sheathing, yellow metal	26 @—	SHOT.	
Bolts, yellow metal	26 @—	Drop, ⅌ lb.	27 @ 30
Brazers	33 @—	Horse shoe, pressed, ⅌ lb.	20 @ 22
Boilers	33 @—	Buck, ⅌ lb.	20 @ 22
IRON.		LEAD.	
Pig, No. 1 A., ⅌ t.	⅌40 00@ ⅌42 00	Bar, C.E.&A., ⅌ lb.	10½@ —
Pig, No. 1 S., ⅌ t.	43 00@ 45 00	Bar, R.E.&A., ⅌ lb.	10½@ —
Bar, C.E.&A., ⅌ lb.	90 00@ — —	Pipe	11½@ —
Bar, R.E.&A., ⅌ lb.	100 00@ — —	Sheet	11½@ —
Scroll, ⅌ ton	130 00@ 175 00	Spanish, ⅌ 100 lb.	
Band, ⅌ ton	130 00@ — —	gold	$6 25 @ 6 40
Hoop, ⅌ ton	135 00@ 190 00	German Ref. gold	6 37½@ 6 50
Rods (½@3½) ⅌ ℔.	165 00@ 165 00	English, gold	6 25 @ 6 37½
Horse-Shoe, ⅌ ton	130 00@ — —	Bar, net	— — @ 10 00
Ovals, half rd. ⅌ ℔	120 00@ 150 00	Pipe and Sheet, net	— — @ 10 50
NAILS.		SHEETING.	
Cut, 4@6d. ⅌ 100 lb.	$5 25 @ — —	Plates, Do., ⅌ lb.	9½@ 11½
Clinch, ⅌ 100 lb.	6 71 @ — —	Pit., Fo., ⅌ lb. gold	6½ @ 6 45

TIN.

Banca, gold, ⅌ lb.	29½@ —	English, gold	24 @ —
Straits, gold	24 @ 24½	Gold.	Currency.
Plates I. C. Charcoal, ⅌ box	$9 75@$10 50	$ 50 @$11 75	$9@$12 75
Plates I. C. Coke	7 00 @ 7 62½	10 50 @ 11 50	
Plates, Coke Terne	6 25 @ — —	9 25 @ 9 50	
Plates, Charcoal Terne	7 75 @ 8 12½	11 50 @ 12 25	

MOLASSES—The pretty liberal sales of the past week have reduced the supplies of all kinds, and a firm uniform feeling is now noticeable throughout the market. All Grocery and refining grades are particularly strong, though distilling qualities begin to show the effects of the improvement in the country. The current receipts are moderate; we quote at 30@35c. for Centrifugal and Mixed; 30@42c. for Clayed; 40@52c. for Muscovado; 40@65c. for English Island, and 45@65c. for Porto Rico. The demand at the closed is fair; sales of 419 bbls. Muscovado at 47c.; 150 bbls. Demarara at 50@60c., and 5 bbls. New-Orleans at 85c. Within a few days 1,000 bbls. Clayed have been sold on private terms.

NAVAL STORES—Crude Turpentine is quiet and prices are nominal. Spirits are quiet, but prices are unchanged; sales of 150 bbls. in lots at 40@47c. Rosins generally are quiet, but prices are unchanged. Tar is firm and in fair demand. We quote:

Spirits Turp., free	46 @ 47	Rosins, pale, ⅌ bbl.	$5 00 @$5 75
Spirits Turp., in bd.	Nominal.	Rosins, extra pale	6 25 @ 6 75
Crude Turp	$3 37½@ —	Rosins, Window G.	7 00 @ 7 25
Common	2 50 @ 2 75	Tar, North Country	2 25 @ 2 75
Rosins, strained	2 37 @ 2 75	Tar, Wilmington	4 00 @ —
Rosins, No. 2	2 90 @ 3 25	Pitch, City, ⅌ bbl.	3 25 @ —
Rosins, No. 1	5 50 @ 4 50		

OILS—American Linseed is firm and in fair demand; sales of 10,000 gallons at from $1 04@$1 07 for casks and bbls. English do. is dull and nominal. Crude fish oils are unchanged; the demand is moderate; we quote Whale at ⅌ gal., and Sperm at $1 90@$1 95. Manufactured oils are quiet. Lard Oil steady and firm at from $1 40@$1 70 for Spring, Summer and Winter.

OIL CAKE—The demand has been moderate, but the market is firm; sales of 180 tons at $47 00@$50, currency, for Western and City, $49@$47, gold.

PROVISIONS—There has been only a moderate business in Pork to-day; prices are lower, and the market closes heavy; the sales, cash and regular, are 500 bbls. at $28 50 for Old Mess, $29 50@$28 62½ for New Mess—the outside for job lots. For future delivery, sales of 500 bbls.—buyer all the year—do. at $29 56½. Beef is dull and heavy; sales of 30 bbls. at $9@$12 for Common brands; $12 50@$19 50 for Plain Mess, and $20@$24 for Extra Mess. Tierce Beef is dull, and prices are nominal. Beef Hams are quiet at $20@$30. Cut Meats are dull and heavy; sales of 10,000 lb. Dry Salted Bellies, in bulk, at 12c. Bacon is dull; sales of 5 boxes Old S. R. at 13c. Dressed Hogs are dull; we quote at 11@11½c. Lard is lower and dull, closing unsettled; sales of 400 tcs. and bbls. at 13½c. for No. 1; 13¼@13½c. for City; 13½@13¾c. for fair to prime Steam, and 20@20½c. for Kettle Rendered; also 250 pkgs., seller September, at 13½c. last evening, and this morning 1,000 tcs., seller, January, at 13c.

PORK.		BEEF HAMS, ⅌ bbl.	
Old Mess	$28 50 @ 29 37½	Shoulders, in dry salt	Nominal.
New Mess	28 50 @ 29 62½	Shoulders, in pickle	Nominal.
Prime	24 00 @ 24 25	Hams, in dry salt	Nominal.
Extra Prime	24 25 @ 24 50	Hams, in pickle	Nominal.
Thin Mess	Nominal.	SMOKED MEATS.	
Prime Mess	26 25 @ 27 00	Hams	20c. @22c.
Clear	32 00 @ 33 00	LARD.	
Std. Misty Mess	Nominal.	Tierces	13½@ —
Rumps	27 00 @ 32 00		
BEEF.			
Common brands	$9 00 @$12 00		
Plain Mess	12 50 @ 19 50		
Extra Mess	20 00 @ 24 00		
Plain Mess	22 00 @ 30 00		

PETROLEUM—Crude is firm and in fair demand at 15½@16c. in bulk, and 20@22c. in bbls; Refined in bond at 36c. for S. W., sales of 2,100 bbls., in part for future delivery.

RICE—The general market shows no important variation. Carolina of this year's growth has not come forward as yet, and the small supply of Old now here is held with much firmness at 9@9½c. for Inferior to Prime, and 10½c. for very choice from store. East India is in fair supply, very dull, and prices rather heavy at about 9@9½c. currency, duty paid, and 3½@3¾c. gold, in bond.

SUGARS—The aggregate of sales in Raw Sugars is less than yesterday, but still quite large, and prices have further advanced, closing firmer at 11¼@11½c. for fair to good Refining, and 12@12½c. for No. 12 box; the demand is very general, and several purchases have been made for Cuba account and Western account; receipts are small, the supply is reduced, and with no prospect of an immediate increase importers appear very confident; sales of 2,128 hhds. at 11¼@11½c. for Cuba; 12c. for Barbadoes; 11¼@11½c. for Porto Rico; 14¼@14½c. for Demerara; 979 boxes Havana at 11½@12c., and 12,811 bags Manila at 11½c. Refined are in demand and firm at 15½c. for Powdered, Granulated, and Crushed; 14¼@15c. for Soft White, and 13¼@14c. for Yellow; the Soft selling best.

SEEDS—A moderate demand for Clover Seed at 13¼@14c. Timothy Seed is salable at ⅌ bush. Hemp Seed is firm at $2 90@$2 95 per bush.

STEARIN—The market has been less active and closes quiet; sales of 200,000 ℔ at 19½@19¾c.

TOBACCO—The market for Kentucky continues dull and heavy. We quote, in manner as follows: Light Leaf Lugs, Common, 5@7c.; Medium, 8@11c.; Good, 12@14c.; Fine, 15@18c. and Selections, 17@18c. Heavy Western and Charlestown Lugs, 4@5c.; Common, 7@10c.; Medium, 10@12c.; Good, 13@14c.; Fine, 17@18c., and Selections, 19@20c. Seed Leaf is neglected and nominally unchanged. We quote old and new crop as follows: Conn. and Mass. at 6@12½c. for Fillers and 10@18c. for Wrappers; Ohio, at 5@8c. for Fillers and 12@18c. for Wrappers; New-York, 5@12½c. for Fillers, 12@22c. for wrapper lots, and 12@35c. for fine Wrappers. Penn. and Ohio, 5@8c. for Fillers, 9@20c. for wrapper lots, and 15@30c. for fine Wrappers.

TALLOW—The market has been fairly active and is firmer, closing quiet; sales of 189,000 ℔ at 9¼@9½c.

WOOL—We have had a very firm and buoyant market for Domestic Fleece Wool the past week; the demand has been active, and a large business was done, prices advancing decidedly for the low and medium grades, these being preferred to other kinds of Fleece Wool; in prices we note an advance, and more confidence on the part of holders is manifested; the receipts the past week have been light, and we find our supply gradually falling off. Coming Wool is scarce in demand and higher. California Wool, too, is in reduced supply, in active demand, and advancing. The continued ease in the money market, which is now quite unexpected when so much capital is required for the movement of the crops at this season of the year, has probably something to do with the advance, but there is an actual light stock of most descriptions, and with a good inquiry from manufacturers; some speculative demand and light receipts, both present and prospective; these advances may reasonably be expected to be maintained; as we have remarked in previous issues, manufacturers have been taking advantages in purchasing early in the season, and we find the supply in their hands is much more liberal than many anticipated; still their stock is not large, running short as the production of goods is increasing, and consumers are commencing to purchase again with freedom, hence the firmness and buoyancy now prevailing. Manufacturers are beginning to turn their attention to the finer kinds. In Foreign Wool there is some inquiry for carpet kinds, and prices are firm. We quote (cash): Saxony Fleece, 75@80c.; Fleece at 50@65c. for Native and ¾ Merino; 43@45c. for ¼ and ½ do.; 45@60c. for Unwashed Merino, and 50@55c. for Saxony Fleece; 30@36c. for No. 1 Pulled, 42@48c. for Superfine do., and 43@49c. for Extra do.; 22@25c. for common Unwashed California; 30@35c. for Fine do.; 24@25c. for coarse, medium, and fine Texas, and American Combing at 36@55c. We quote Foreign as follows: South American: at 32@35c. for Common Washed, 35@40c. for Unwashed Mestiza and Merino, 30@36c. for Washed Buenos Ayres, 20@24c. for Unwashed Crossbred, 20@22c. for Washed Cordova, 20@30c. for Unwashed Valparaiso, 32@35c. for Common Washed Montevideo, 30@42c. for Unwashed Cape Good Hope, 20@40c. for Washed East India, 14@16c. for Unwashed African, 19@22c. for do. Mexican, 20@30c. for Unwashed Smyrna, 35@40c. for Washed do., and 25@28c. for Unwashed Syrian.

WHISKY—The market is inactive for want of stock; sales at 85c. in bond.

N. Y. WHOLESALE PRICES OF COUNTRY PRODUCE

FOR THE WEEK ENDING Sept. 22, 1868.

[Expressly for THE N. Y. TRIBUNE by our own Reporter.]

The following are the current rates of articles in good condition, as sold by commission houses at wholesale. Shippers receive 5 to 10 per cent less, deducted for commissions, beside freight and other charges. Boxes or packages should be carefully marked with paint, and the name of the sender should also be painted upon one end. Nail an invoice or list of the articles upon the under side of the cover, and send a letter by mail, containing an invoice and directions, also stating how and when sent. Clean packages and care in putting up will add much to the value of the produce.

BEANS AND PEAS.

Bad weather for curing beans keeps the receipts light, and a firmer feeling is manifested. Very few new Marrows are coming forward. A small lot of very fine ones was holding for $5, while single barrels of Medium and Pea are selling at $4 50 ⅌ bush. California and German are worth $2 50@$2 75. We quote:

Beans, new Mediums and Pea	$4 00@$4 25	Peas, Can., in bond	$1 65@$1 68
Marrows, prime	4 24@ 4 50	Black-eyed Marrowfat	1 80@ 2 00

BUTTER.

Receipts, 10,010 packages for the week. This is a little increase, but an advance in San Francisco led to shipments of about 1,000 packages per last steamer, so that the stock for home use is even lighter. Orange County pails were advanced 5c. on Saturday last, and that has the effect upon all good grades, advancing State firkins 10@20c. ⅌ ℔. The lower grades are scarcely affected. Trade is slow, and it is likely the consumption will fall off somewhat, especially in some of the manufacturing districts where mills are running only four days per week. There is still too wide a difference in the views of dealers and bokiers of Canada butter for us to get any from that section, but it will probably come at some time, and may materially affect our market. The future of the butter trade is wholly problematical, but will be duly chronicled as developed. A little fine, fresh Ohio has been sold at 35c., while 40c. was obtained for a choice lot of State Welsh tubs. We quote:

State (Western Dairy, Firkin and Tub).		Ohio, fine West. Reserve	35@37
Ver pulls, ⅌ lb., fine	50@55	Common to Medium	30@34
Country pails	48@52	Middle and Southern	22@25
Choice firkins and half tubs	43@44	Pennsylvania, Fine, pails	48@51
Fancy Selections	45@46	Common	30@32
Fair Welsh	41@42	Western Reserve firkins	34@35
Common to Medium	36@38	Common to Fair Western	30@35

CHEESE.

Receipts, 16,071 for the week, with exports of 5,200 boxes for the week ending Sept. 19—being the lightest of any week since the last of May. The past week in the export trade has been characterized by extreme dullness and inactivity. The majority of the shippers are not operating, owing to the blue and unsatisfactory letters received from the other side, which discourages them from further purchases at present. With great difficulty a few very moderate lots were sold for export at decidedly lower prices. Many shippers report making very poor progress in sales on the other side of the water at la decline in prices. Owing to the large stock of American cheese now offering for sale on the English market, the poor quality and bad condition of much of it, the high prices prevailing, and the fact that the English make is now being pressed upon the market by needy holders, limit the demand and restrict sales of American. There are increasing complaints of "skippery" cheese, and numerous lots are being returned upon the sellers as unsound. We do not alter quotations, though the 57s. reported in Liverpool and the decline in gold to-day widens the gap between holders and shippers. Prices are now 14@2c. ⅌ ℔ higher than they were at this time last year, and it is questionable whether factorymen should lock themselves out of market for any length of time. True, they have conceded 1c. ⅌ ℔; but had this been done earlier the stock would have kept moving. If really fine could be bought in the country at 15c. so as to be sold here at 16c.—if fancy, 16½c.—shippers would take hold again unless further unfavorable accounts from abroad and a greater decline in gold should shut them out. We quote:

Factory, State, fine to fancy	17 @17½	Skimmed	8 @11
Good to prime	16 @16½	English Dairy, fine	15 @15½
Medium to good	14 @15	Medium	11½@13
Poor	12 @13½	Poor, Skimmed	6 @10½
Farm Dairy, good	15 @16	Pineapple	20 @21
Medium	13 @14		

EGGS.

Receipts, 4,253 bbls. for the week. Many of the eggs come in musty, showing that they were kept too long before sending. There is a fair demand, and prices just a shade firmer. Fresh lots of State, of good reputation, are selling at the mark, but allowances still have to be made for most Western.

N. J., L. I., and Pa. ⅌ doz.	30 @—	Western and Canada ⅌ dz.	26@27
State, good, loss off	28 @29	Egg Oats, ⅌ bush., good	35 @45

FRUITS AND BERRIES.

Grapes are coming in freely, a single dealer receiving 190 cases, or six tons in one day. This shows a little the magnitude of the trade which has been rapidly increasing during the last five years. Great pains is now being taken by experienced growers to send the fruit in neat, strong packages, of suitable size, so that receivers can at once ship it hundreds of miles North or East. Wild native grapes, or the poorer cultivated varieties of Clinton, Scuppernong, etc., will scarcely sell in competition with so many of the finer varieties. Scuppernongs are retailing at 6@8c. ⅌ lb. so that receivers have to sell them very low, if at all—3@5c. ⅌ lb. The bulk of present arrivals are Concords and Delawares—the latter largely increased over any former year. The Concord is the favorite just now, and has an enormous sale. Prices vary from 6c. to 10c. for common, to 11@12c. for the fine Pleasant Valley growth and the best Ohio, while the extra marks of Knox will sell at 14c. Delawares take the lead, the wide range of 12@18c.—mostly 15@17c. Fine Ohio Catawbas sell at 16@18c. Some Dianas are on sale, but they are not well ripened. A few Rebeccas are bringing 20@25c. Cranberries begin to arrive, but are not well colored, nor is the price fully established. A few of the bushel boxes have been sold at $4@$5 50 each. It is expected that they will start at $10 @$12 per bbl. The few plums left sell at high prices. Bartlett Pears are nearly over, the last selling at extraordinary prices, $50@$60, with one bbl. at $65. Apples are coming in more freely, and common lots are easier. We noticed a very fine lot of sour fruit sold at $4 50 per bbl., with some fair Greenings at $3 75. Ohio Peaches, about the only ones coming to market, are nearly done. A few of the best bring $10 per crate. We quote:

Apples, common, ⅌ bbl.	$2 00@ 3 00	Grapes, Ohio Concord, ⅌ lb.	11@ 12
Prime	3 50@ 5 50	Delaware	15@ 18
Cranberries, ⅌ bbl.	10 00@12 00	Catawba	16@ 18
Pears, common, ⅌ bbl.	8 00@10 00	Isabella	10@ 12
Duchess, ⅌ crate	6 00@ 8 00	Pt. Valley Concord	11@ 12
Louise Bonne and Seckel, ⅌ bbl.	14 00@18 00	Delaware	15@ 18
Peaches, Ohio, ⅌ crate	5 00@ 8 00	Rebecca	20@ 25
Plums, Ohio, ⅌ bbl.	10 00@20 00	Common Concord	6@ 8
Fancy, ⅌ bush.	8 00@10 00	Delaware	12@ 14

FRUITS AND NUTS—DRIED.

Dried fruits of all kinds are easier, with a disposition to sell. Receipts have been heavy during the past few days—2,274 packages for the week. Large quantities of Georgia peaches are being sent direct to Chicago. We quote:

Peaches, new peeled, ⅌ lb.	22 @26	Cherries, pitted, ⅌ lb.	45 @48
Poor to medium	16 @20	Apples, Southern new, ⅌ lb.	9 @10
Unpeeled, halves, ⅌ lb.	13½@14	State, good to prime old	10 @11
Quarters	11 @13	Peanuts, Va., ⅌ bush.	$3 00@$3 50
Blackberries, new, ⅌ lb.	20 @21	Wilmington, ⅌ bush.	3 00@ 3 25

HIDES, SKINS, AND FURS.

Nothing is doing in value as present, and prices are nominal. Quotations for new will not be established before November—some kinds not until January. Manufacturers are nearly idle at a time when they should be busy.

We quote for No. 1:			
Bear, each	$5 00@15 00	Muskrat, Spring	20@ 35
Beaver, blk., each	2 50@ 5 00	Winter	10@ 25
Pale, each	2 00@ 4 00	Kits	5@ —
Calf, gray, ⅌ lb.	20@ 25	Opossum	5@ 10
Cat, house, each	10@ 20	Otter, Northern	4 00@ 9 50
Wild	25@ 75	Southern	2 00@ 3 00
Cattle, green hides, ⅌ lb.	8@ 9	Racoon, Northern	40@ 1 00
Deer, dry, ⅌ lb.	25@ 35	Southern	10@ 30
Fox, red, each	1 00@ 1 25	Sheep, ⅌ lb.	25@ 80
Gray	25@ 75	Skunk, black	50@ 1 00
Lamb, each	20@ 80	Striped	20@ 40
Lynx, each	1 50@ 2 00	White	3@ 6
Marten, each	2 00@ 4 00	Wolf, moln., each	2 00@ 4 00
Mink, dark, each	6 00@ 9 00	Prairie, each	1 00@ 2 00
Mink, pale, each	1 00@ 3 50		

HOPS.

Trade is fair at quotations of 15@22c. for new, mostly 18@22c., few going above the latter price unless sold