TRADE BALANCE OF $250,000,000

Excess of Exports for Last Week Was More than $33,000,000.

[From The Tribune Bureau.]

Washington, Aug. 31.—With the present fiscal year only two months old, the favorable trade balance of the United States is approximately $250,000,000. Over $33,000,000 of this amount represents the excess of exports for the week ended August 28, in which exports gained $10,000,000 and were valued at $60,311,764, as compared with $50,823,835 in the week previous. These figures, however, only represent 92 per cent of the exports of the country, being returns from only thirteen ports. The export trade, therefore, for last week reached nearly $66,000,000.

The favorable trade balance showed a gain of approximately $15,000,000. The excess of exports last week reached a total of $33,269,039, as compared with $18,625,275 for the week ended August 21.

The import trade showed a loss of approximately $5,000,000, having decreased from $32,198,560 for the week ended August 21 to $27,042,725 for last week. The loss in customs receipts for last week was $3,188,248, as against $3,401,934 for the previous week.

Tonnage taxes collected on the entry of American and foreign vessels in the foreign trade of the United States during the fiscal year ended June 30 were the largest in over thirty years, aggregating $1,314,916. This is $4,157 greater than for the previous fiscal year.

British and French ships paid $792,094, or $201 more than during the previous year; German ships, which paid $186,844 in 1914, this year paid only $25,871, nearly all of which was paid in July and early August, 1914. American ships paid $104,736, compared with $77,445 in 1914, the increase being due mainly to the ship registery act and the government war risk insurance on American ships.

The increased receipts from American, Dutch, Scandinavian, Spanish, Italian and Japanese ships made good the loss of revenue from German and Austrian ships.

Revenue from tonnage taxes, contrary to expectations, has remained undiminished in spite of the European war, owing principally to the great reduction of the immigrant traffic and ocean pleasure travel.

TO END 'FRISCO OWNERSHIP

Plan to Reorganize New Orleans, Texas & Mexico Out To-day.

The plan of reorganization of the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico Railroad Company, which it is expected will be made public to-day, will eliminate the 'Frisco as owner of the property by giving it nothing for its stock ownership. A syndicate headed by the Guaranty Trust Company and the Columbia Trust Company has been formed to underwrite the plan. The name of the new company will be the Louisiana, Texas & Mexican Railroad Company.

Holders of the $28,582,930 first mortgage 5 and 4½ per cent bonds are to be given the privilege of subscribing to the extent of 20 per cent of their holdings at par to new first lien collateral trust 6 per cent bonds. They will also receive 50 per cent of their holdings in new income 5 per cent bonds and 50 per cent in stock. Bondholders who do not subscribe to the new first lien 6s will receive only 40 per cent of the new incomes and 25 per cent in stock.

Under the reorganization the company will receive $6,000,000 cash, which will be the approximate amount of the new first 6s. The amount of the new income bonds will be about $15,000,000, with a similar amount of stock outstanding.

NEW BANK INCORPORATED

Mercantile Bank of the Americas, for Latin-American Trade.

The Mercantile Bank of the Americas, Incorporated, an institution to carry on a commercial and banking business in and with the Latin-American republics, has been established with an authorized capital of $5,000,000, and has commenced operations with a paid up capital of $400,000 and a cash surplus of $200,000, in offices at 20 Exchange Place.

The shares issued have been subscribed and paid for in equal proportions by Brown Brothers and J. & W. Seligman & Co. The board of directors is as follows: James Brown, president; Albert Strauss, William S. Cox, vice-presidents; Thatcher M. Brown, Frederick Strauss, Jason A. Neilson, and Alfred Meyer, general manager. Mr. Meyer was formerly London manager of an English bank doing business in the Latin Americas. R. L. Beausire, former New York agent of the same institution, has also joined the new American bank, and Walter M. Carlebach will be secretary and treasurer.

It is the purpose of the bank to conduct banking operations along the same lines as European institutions of a similar character in Central and South America have done for several years. It is the intention to establish branches later in all the countries covered. The institution's prime object will be to provide financial and other facilities in connection with exports to and imports from Central and South America.

THE WEATHER REPORT

Forecasts and Records of the Last Twenty-four Hours.

Washington, Aug. 31.—This morning the lowest August temperatures on record were reported in the Ohio Valley, Indiana, Illinois, Eastern Missouri and Texas, with light frost in Southern Michigan and portions of Ohio and Indiana, and low temperature were general throughout the entire area east of the Rockies, except in the Northwest. During the day there was a further rise in temperature in the Northwest that extended into the central Rocky Mountain region, the plains states, the great central valleys and the lake region. West of the Rocky Mountains there was a general and decided fall in temperature in nearly normal conditions. There were showers in the south Atlantic states, the Michigan peninsula, Southern Utah, Nevada and the extreme north Pacific coast, but elsewhere the weather was generally clear. With the exception of showers Wednesday along the south Atlantic coast and in the Michigan peninsula, fair weather will prevail Wednesday and Thursday east of the Mississippi River. It will be cooler, with rising temperatures over interior districts.

Winds for Wednesday and Thursday: North and middle Atlantic, moderate northeast to east; south Atlantic, moderate northeast, except east off the coast, gentle to moderate east and southeast; upper lakes, moderate southwest, except fresh on Lake Superior; lower lakes, moderate south.

Forecast for Special Localities.—Eastern New York, fair and warmer to-day and to-morrow.

Western New York, fair and warmer to-day, partly cloudy and warmer to-morrow.

Southern New England, fair to-day and to-morrow; warmer, except in extreme southern portion.

Northern New England: fair to-day and to-morrow, warmer, except on east Maine coast.

New Jersey and Delaware, fair to-day and to-morrow; warmer in interior.

Virginia, fair in northern portion, partly cloudy in southern portion and warmer in interior to-day; fair and warmer to-morrow.

Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Pennsylvania, Maryland and the District of Columbia, fair and warmer to-day and to-morrow.

Local Official Record.—The following official record from the Weather Bureau shows the changes in the temperature for the last twenty-four hours, in comparison with the corresponding date of last year:

	1914	1915		1914	1915
3 a. m.	67	61	6 p. m.	78	69
6 a. m.	69	59	9 p. m.	76	66
9 a. m.	76	61	11 p. m.	75	63
12 m.	80	64	12 p. m.	75	—
4 p. m.	80	70			

Highest temperature yesterday, 70 degrees (at 4 p. m.); lowest, 58 degrees (at 6:30 a. m.); average yesterday, 64; average for corresponding date last year, 74; average for corresponding date last thirty-three years, 70.

Barometer Readings.

8 a. m.... 30.06 | 1 p. m.... 30.09 | 8 p. m.... 30.06

Humidity.

8 a. m.... 65 | 1 p. m.... 53 | 8 p. m.... 58

Local Forecast.—Fair and warmer to-day and to-morrow; moderate northeast winds, becoming southeast to-morrow.

Stock Exchange Seat, $60,000.

A seat on the New York Stock Exchange sold yesterday for $60,000. This is the record price since the exchange reopened after the recess taken at the beginning of the European war. It is at an advance of $1,000 over the last sale.

PRODUCE AND GRAIN PRICES

Wheat Drops to New Low Records on Heavy Liquidation.

GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

New York, August 31, 1915.

GRAIN.

WHEAT—News in the wheat market was bearish, and prices again made new low records for the season, closing with a partial rally, but at net losses of ⅞@1⅛c. The weather over the left was all that could be desired for harvesting and marketing the new crop, and the market again felt the pressure of new wheat offerings. Advices from the spring wheat belt were particularly optimistic regarding yields, and H. W. Snow issued a report in which he estimated the crop in the three principal Northwestern spring wheat states at 291,000,000 bushels, or about 51,000,000 in excess of the last government estimate.

The weakness in sterling exchange was particularly against export business in American wheat, and there appeared to be little probability of export demand at present.

In the local cash market No 2 red winter wheat was quoted at $1.00½ c. i. f. New York prompt and No 2 hard $1.10½ c. i. f. New York to arrive. No 1 Northern Duluth 97½c and No 1 Northern Manitoba 92½c c. i. f. Buffalo.

CORN—Warmer weather over the Western corn belt and prospects of a general rise in temperature throughout the entire country caused a selling movement in the corn market, and prices were weak, closing with net losses of 1⅞@1¾c. Broadstreet's' visible supply decreased 521,000 bush compared with an increase of 2,239,000 last year. In the local cash market No 2 yellow was quoted at 86½c.

OATS—The oats market was easier early in sympathy with wheat and corn and on large receipts and favorable weather for the movement, but rallied sharply on reports of export sales of over a million bushels and closed firm with net gains of ¼@¾c. The local cash market was nominal. No 2 white quoted at 42@43c, and No 4 white at 40@41c.

NEW YORK PRICES.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
Wheat.					
September	94½	95⅝	93⅞	95⅝	95¼
December	92½	93¼	91	92⅝	93⅛
May	97⅞	98⅝	95⅞	97⅝	98⅝
Corn.					
September	73⅞	73⅞	71¾	71⅞	73⅞
December	63⅞	63⅞	61⅞	61⅞	63⅞
May	64⅞	64½	62⅞	63⅞	64⅞
Oats.					
September	35½	36⅛	35⅛	36⅛	35⅞
December	35⅞	36⅞	35⅞	36⅞	35⅞
May	37⅞	38⅞	37⅞	38⅞	38

CHICAGO PRICES.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
September	94½	95⅝	93⅞	95⅝	95¼
December	92½	93¼	91	92⅝	93⅛
May	97⅞	98⅝	95⅞	97⅝	98⅝
Corn.					
September	73⅞	73⅞	71¾	71⅞	73⅞
December	63⅞	63⅞	61⅞	61⅞	63⅞
May	64⅞	64½	62⅞	63⅞	64⅞
Oats.					
September	35½	36⅛	35⅛	36⅛	35⅞
December	35⅞	36⅞	35⅞	36⅞	35⅞
May	37⅞	38⅞	37⅞	38⅞	38

PROVISIONS.

The provision market declined early, especially for pork, under selling by lones as a result of weakness in the hog market and in sympathy with grain, but late in the day a firmer tone developed on covering, and final prices were net unchanged. Receipts of hogs at Chicago were 16,000; estimated for Wednesday, 23,000; Kansas City received 10,000 and Omaha 3,000. PORK—Firm; mess, $16.50@$17; family, $23@$25; short clear, $18.50@$22. BEEF—Firm; mess, $17.50@$18; family, $19@$20; packet, $18@$18.50; extra India mess, $29@$30. DRESSED HOGS—Steady; barons, 11¾c; 180 lb, 11¾c; 160 lb, 11½c; 140 lb, 11¼c; plgs, 11¼c. LARD—Steady; refined, 8.70@8.75c; compound, 7⅞@8⅛c. BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 28@32c. CHEESE—Steady; flats, 12½c; twins, 12¾c; 14 lb, 13¼c; pickled hams, steady, 12½@13½c. TALLOW—Steady; special, 6¼c; city, 5¾@5⅞c; country, 5⅞@6¼c. LARD—Firm; Middle West, 8.20@8.30c; city lard steady, 7⅞@8c; refined lard dull; Continent, 9.10c; South America, 9.30c; Brazil, kegs, 10.30c; compound steady, 7⅞@7⅞c. STEARINE—Steady; oleo, 10c; city lard stearine, 9½c.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	close.	Yesterday.
Lard.					
September	$8.05	$8.15	$8.05	$8.12	$8.05
October	8.12	8.25	8.12	8.25	8.17
Ribs					
September	8.32	8.35	8.27	8.27	8.32
October	8.47	8.47	8.42	8.42	8.47
Pork.					
September	13.27	13.40	13.25	13.32	13.32
October	13.47	13.57	13.45	13.52	13.52

COFFEE.

The coffee market was dominated largely by the exchange situation, and prices were lower, closing with net losses of 5 to 11 points. Total sales of the day were 22,750 bags. An unofficial cable from London showed a decline of 1.30d, apparently in anticipation of the new government issue of paper currency. Sterling exchange on London in the local market declined to a new low record, and reports that local coffee contracted for were able to make lower offers here, as at the low rate of exchange they were able to secure more milreis for their coffee, while local buyers benefited by the decline in sterling exchange to the extent of 5 per cent, which means that cost and freight prices as offered by Brazil are equivalent to coffee in store. As a whole, the market was more or less unsettled, and it is thought that it will be some little time before conditions become normal, especially as there are likely to be further changes in the exchange markets. Cost and freight prices were very irregular. Santos is being cabled at a decline of 10 points, but English credits, although bids at 8¼ to 8.30 were refused. Rio 7s sold in the cost and freight market at 6.65. English credits. The local spot market was inactive and unchanged, with Rio 7s quoted at 7c. Range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
September	6.15	6.15	6.10	6.08@6.09	6.15
October	—	—	—	6.11@6.12	6.20
November	—	—	—	6.14@6.15	6.24
December	6.28	6.30	6.15	6.17@6.19	6.28
January	—	—	—	6.21@6.22	6.32
February	—	—	—	6.25@6.26	6.36
March	6.45	6.45	6.30	6.30@6.31	6.40
April	—	—	—	6.35@6.36	6.45
May	6.55	6.55	6.40	6.40@6.41	6.50
June	—	—	—	6.45@6.46	6.55
July	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.50@6.51	6.60
August	—	—	—	6.54@6.56	—

SUGAR FUTURES.

Opening quiet, 2 points higher to 5 points lower; the futures market was inactive all the morning, with no sales up to the noon hour. There was little news of interest in the raw and refined situation, and the market lagged all day, closing 1 point net higher to 1 point net lower, with total sales 400 tons. Range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
September	3.47	3.47	3.47	3.46@3.48	3.46
October	3.53	3.53	3.53	3.52@3.54	3.52
November	—	—	—	3.41@3.43	3.42
December	—	—	—	3.24@3.26	3.25
January	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.07@3.19	3.06
February	—	—	—	3.07@3.10	3.06
March	—	—	—	3.09@3.12	3.09
April	—	—	—	3.11@3.13	3.10
May	—	—	—	3.13@3.16	3.13
June	—	—	—	3.14@3.16	3.14
July	—	—	—	3.16@3.17	3.15

COTTONSEED OIL.

A covering movement took place in the market for cottonseed oil and prices were firmer. The rally in cotton and the steadier tone to the lard market had considerable influence on sentiment, but the advance was thought to be based more on technical conditions than on any real uneasiness over future developments. Crude oil was being offered in moderation, and leading consumers and buyers in Southern cottonseed oil showed a disposition to sell on the bulges. Final prices were slightly below the top, but showed net gains of 9 to 14 points. Range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
Spot	—	—	—	5.60@6.15	5.47
September	5.71	5.83	5.71	5.81@6.00	5.64
October	5.63	5.76	5.62	5.72@5.73	5.58
November	—	—	—	5.75@5.78	5.62
December	5.71	5.85	5.71	5.78@5.80	5.68
January	5.81	5.95	5.81	5.90@5.92	5.79
February	—	—	—	5.94@6.03	5.89
March	6.04	6.13	6.02	6.11@6.12	5.98
April	—	—	—	6.17@6.25	6.00

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

New York, August 31, 1915.

BUTTER.

Receipts week, 55,758 packages; exports week, 2,105 packages to Europe; to other countries, 316 packages; imports week, 26 packages. Creamery, extras (92 score), 26½c; higher scoring, 27@28c; firsts, 24½@26c; seconds, 22½@24c; thirds, 21½@22c; state dairy, finest, 26c; good to prime, 23½@25c; common to fair, 20@23c; renovated, extras, 23½@24c; firsts, 22½@23c; lower grades, 20@21½c; imitation creamery, firsts, 22@22½c; seconds, 20c; lower grades, 18@19c; packing stock, June make, fine, 20c; current make, fine, 19½c; No 2, 19c; lower grades, 16@18½c.

EGGS.

Receipts week, 73,561 cases. Fresh gathered, extras, per dozen, 27@28½c; extra firsts, 25½@26½c; firsts, 24@24½c; seconds, 22½@23½c; thirds and poorer, 20@22c; checks, good to choice, dry, 18½@19c; culls and inferior, 15@18c; refrigerator, firsts, 22½@23c; seconds, 21½@22½c; thirds or poorer, 20@21c; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, 27@28c; good to choice, dry, 25@26c; fresh gathered extras, 27@28½c; extra firsts, 25½@26½c; firsts, 24@24½c; seconds, 22½@23½c; thirds and poorer, 20@22c; checks, good to choice, dry, 18½@19c; culls and inferior, 15@18c; refrigerator, firsts, 22½@23c; seconds, 21½@22½c; thirds or poorer, 20@21c; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, 27@28c; good to choice, dry, 25@26c; Western, gathered whites, 25@28c; state, Penn and nearby, brown, 25@26c; gathered brown and mixed colors, 24@26c; nearby, refrigerator whites, 26@28c.

FRESH FRUITS.

APPLES, Alexander, bbl, $2.50@$3; Transparent, $2@$3; Wealthy, $1.50@$3; Bethlamer, $1.50@$2.75; Bough, $1.25@$2; Maiden Blush, $1@$2.25; Culver, $1.25@$1.75; Codling, $1.25@$1.75; Duchess, $1.50@$2; Gravenstein, $1.50@$2.75; Twenty Ounce, $1.50@$2; Northwestern Greening, $2.25@$3.25; Greening, $1.50@$2; Baldwin, $1.25@$2; Fall Pippin, $1.25@$2; Orange Pippin, $1.25@$2; Spitzenberg, $2@$2.25; as to kinds, bsk, 40@60c; $1.25; PEARS, Bartlett, bbl, $3@$4; bsk, 75@$1.25; Clapp's Favorite, bbl, $3@$4; bsk, 75@$1.25; Bartlett and Clapp's, No 2, bbl, $1@$1.75; Jersey Sickle, bbl, $2@$2.50; Southern Le Conte, bbl, $1@$1.50; nearby and state, carrier, 40@$1.37; bsk, 20@50c; Southern, carrier, 40@$1.25; bsk, 20@50c; bushel bsk, 50@$1; PLUMS, $1 bsk, 50@60c; 16-lb bsk, 75@$1; peaches, 40@$1; Moore's Early, 50@75c; Champion, 50@60c; Del and Md, Champion, 50@60c; Moore's Early, 50@75c; Md, Elberta, 50@$1; Del, carrier, $1@$1.50; BLACKBERRIES, quart, 5@8c; RASPBERRIES, pint, 3@7c; HUCKLEBERRIES, Penn and Jersey, quart, 4@10c; Nova Scotia, 12@15c; MELONS, watermelons, standard crate, $2@$2.75; pony crate, $1.25@$1.50; flat crate, 75@$1.25; Jersey, standard crate, 50@$1.25; 32-qt crate, 50@$1.25; hot, 40@$1; Ford Hook, per box, 50@$1; Del and Md, average crate, 75@$1.50; standard crate, 50@$1.25; WATERMELONS, carload, $400@$175; 100, $8@$20; ORANGES, Cal, box, $2.50@$3.50; GRAPEFRUIT, Fla, box, $2@$4.25; Cuban, $3@$5; Porto Rico, $3@$4.50; PINEAPPLES, Porto Rico, Red Spanish, crate, 75@$3.25; Cuban, $1@$2.20; Smooth Cayenne, Fla, $1.75@$2.50.

POTATOES AND VEGETABLES.

POTATOES, Long Island, bbl, $1.25@$1.50; Jersey, round, bag, $1@$1.35; long, $1@$1.10; Md, 75@$1.25; Southern, No 1, bbl, $1@$1.50; common, 60@90c; YAMS, bbl, $1@$2; SWEET POTATOES, Southern, bbl, $4@$5; Md, $3@$4; Jersey, bskt, $1@$1.50; Del, bskt, $1@$1.50; Md, bskt, $1@$1.50; Del and Jersey, small, white, bskt, $1.50@$2; usual white, 50@$1; yellow, 25@$1; red, 25@$1; Md, bskt, $1@$1.50; Del, bskt, 50@$1; Virginia, bbl, $2@$2.50; BEANS, state, wax, bushel bskt, 75@$1.50; green, 75@$1.50; bsk, 75@$1.25; nearby, bskt, 50@$1; Md, bskt, 75@$1.25; Del and Jersey, bskt, $1@$1.50; lima, bushel bskt, 75@$1.25; CARROTS, nearby, bbl, $1@$1.25; 100 bunches, 50@$1; CAULIFLOWERS, L. I., per bbl, $1@$2; 100 heads, $4@$8; CELERY, state and Jersey, bunch, 10@30c; standard crate, $1@$1.50; CABBAGES, nearby, 100, $2@$3; bbl, 75@$1.25; red, $1@$1.50; EGGPLANTS, Jersey, bbl, 50@$1; bsk, 50@75c; 32-qt crate, 50@$1; Md, $1@$1.50; CUCUMBERS, Long Island, 100, 50@75c; 1-doz crate, 75@$1.50; bskt, 50@$1; nearby, bskt, 25@75c; LIMA BEANS, bbl, $1.25@$1.50; bsk, $1.25@$1.50; MUSHROOMS, bsk, 25@75c; CAULIFLOWER, Jersey, carrier, $1@$2; bskt, $1.50@$2.50; PEAS, Western N. Y, bskt or bag, 35@$2; PEPPERS, bullnose, green, bbl, 75@$1.25; red, $1.25@$1.75; long, green, bbl, 50@75c; red, $1@$1.25; cherry, 50@60c; red, $1.25@$1.75; Italian, green, 50@75c; red, 75@$1; Cuban, green, 75c@$1; Cuban, red, $1.25@$1.50; RADISHES, 100 bunches, 75c@$1; ROMAINE, bskt or crate, 50c@$1.25; SPINACH, bbl, 25@75c; SQUASH, Hubbard, bbl, 75c@$1; Marrow, 50@75c; white, 50@75c; crooked neck, 50@75c; TURNIPS, white, bbl, 75c@$1; Rutabaga, bbl or bag, 40@50c; TOMATOES, Staten Island, standard box, 35@90c; Northern Jersey, pink, bushel box, 40@75c; stone, 40@65c; common, 20@35c; South Jersey, Acme, small box, 40@75c; Stone, 40@65c; Grant, 25@35c; WATERCRESS, 100 bunches, $1@$1.50.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

New York, August 31, 1915.

BEEVES.

Receipts, 1,234 head, all consigned direct to slaughterers. No trading on the live weight; feeling nominally steady. Dressed beef in moderate demand at 12@14½c per lb for common to prime native sides.

CALVES.

Receipts, 378 head, of which 137 on sale. Veals, feeling barely steady. No prime veals offered. Common to good veals sold at $9@$13 per 100 lb; culls, $7.50@$8.50; grassers and skim milk calves, $6.50@$7. Dressed calves steady; city dressed veals, 16@19½c per lb; country dressed do, 14½@16c.

Sales—Tobin & Shannon, 7 veals, 147 lb average, $13 per 100 lb; 24 skim milks, 190, $7.

J. Shamberg & Son: 85 Tenn calves, 161 lb, $6.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Receipts, 2,981 head, all for the market, making, with previous arrivals, 19½ cars on sale. Sheep steady; lambs slow; closing weak, except for top grades. Several cars unsold. Practically no prime sheep left; sold at $5@$5.75 per 100 lb; a few head, $6; lambs, $9.25@$10; culls, $6@$7. Dressed mutton steady at 8@11½c per lb; dressed lambs weak at 12½@15c; long dressed do, 12½@16c.

Sales—J. Shamberg & Son: 246 Ky lambs, 68 lb average, $9.50 per 100 lb; 2,496 W Va, 66, $9.50; 22 Tenn, 66, $9.25; 5 wethers, 112, $7.

Kerns Commission Co: 234 W Va lambs, 71 lb, $9.85; 255, 66, $9.50; 222 Ky, 64, $10; 6 sheep, 125, $5.

Tobin & Shannon: 202 Ky lambs, 65 lb, $9.85; 202 W Va, 74, $9.85; 248, 62, $9.65; 266, 64, $9.60; 5 Penn, 86, $9.25; 6 Ky sheep, 98, $4.50; 24 W Va, 91, $4.50; 3, 106, $4.

Newton & Co: 113 Penn lambs, 78 lb, $9; 77 W Va, 68, $9.60; 21 sheep, 109, $5.50; 17, 1 $5.25; 6, 75, $5.

J. G. Currie & Son: 110 state lambs, 65 lb, $9; 3 yearlings, 59, $6; 13 sheep, 115, $5.

HOGS.

Receipts, 1,447 head, all consigned direct to butchers. Feeling nominally lower.

Sales (date yesterday)—McPherson & Co: 45 state hogs, 185 lb average, $8.35 per 100 lb; 2 roughs, 375, $6.50.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; weak; bulk, $6.50@$7.50; light, $7.20@$7.95; mixed, $6.40@$7.75; heavy, $6.15@$7.65; rough, $6.15@$6.30; pigs, $7@$8. CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000; steady; calves higher; native beeves, $6.15@$10.20; Western steers, $6.65@$8.85; cows and heifers, $3.10@$8.60; calves, $8.25@$12. SHEEP—Receipts, 14,000; steady; weathers, $5.80@$6.50; ewes, $4@$6.10; lambs, $7@$9.50.

Kansas City, Aug. 31.—HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; lower; bulk, $6.60@$7.55; heavy, $6.75@$7.30; packers and butchers, $6.60@$7.55; light, $7.10@$7.60; pigs, $6.00@$7.50. CATTLE—Receipts, 17,000; steady; prime fed steers, $9.30@$9.85; dressed beef steers, $7.90@$9.25; Southern steers, $5.75@$8.25; cows, $4@$7.25; heifers, $6.50@$9.25; stockers and feeders, $6@$8; bulls, $5.25@$6.75; calves, $6@$10. SHEEP—Receipts, 6,000; strong; lambs, $8@$9; yearlings, $6.50@$7; wethers, $5.50@$6.25; ewes, $5@$5.75.

St. Louis, Aug. 31.—HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; steady; pigs and lights, $7.25@$7.85; mixed and butchers, $7.65@$7.85; good heavy, $7@$7.60. CATTLE—Receipts, 7,000; steady; native beef steers, $7.50@$10; yearling steers and heifers, $6@$9.15; cows, $4@$8; stockers and feeders, $6@$8.25; Texas and Indian steers, $5.25@$8.85; cows and heifers, $4@$6.50; native calves, $6@$11.50. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500; steady; lambs, $5@$9; sheep and ewes, $5.50@$7.80.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 31.—CATTLE—Slow; supply fair; choice, $9.50@$9.75; prime, $9@$9.40. SHEEP—Steady; supply light; prime wethers, $6.25@$6.35; culls and mixed, $4@$5.50. HOGS—Active; prime heavy, $7.60@$7.70; medium and Yorkers, $8.15@$8.20; pigs, $7.75@$8; roughs, $5.50@$6.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Louisville, Aug. 31.—SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 578; making a total of 2,254 for the week. The market opened early and prices were unchanged: best lambs, $8@$8.50; butcher lambs, $6@$7; culls, $4@$5; best fat sheep, $5.25@$5.50; medium and common slow and unchanged; bucks, $4.50.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Boston, Aug. 31.—Livestock receipts for week, 2,700 cattle, 3,794 sheep and lambs, 2,746 calves and 11,666 hogs. The quarantine has been removed from the yards, and the barns were open for trade in milkers. Beef cattle were in large supply, but a considerable number was for export. The market was steady on the better grades and weak at times on others. Lambs and hogs ruling very poorly at 30@3½c for the best steers and oxen. The market was 8@8½c, with good quality 8½@9c. The best cows and heifers, 6@6½c. Fair to good, 5@6c. Poor to ordinary, 4@5c. Bulls were in good supply at 4@6½c. Sheep and lambs were in better supply at the yards, but less at the slaughter houses. About 200 were received from Canada. Sheep sold at 4@6c and lambs at 8@9c. Veal calves were in generous supply, ranging from 12½@8c for the general run of good quality, with fancy up to 16c; coarse calves, 5@7c, and small calves, $3@$5 each. The receipts of hogs were lighter and the market held steady at the former level, from 7@7½c, the weight and 8½@9½c dressed. There was a good number of milkers and springers, which sold at $65@$90 for good quality and $90@$125 for fancy.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sunrise, 5:26; sunset, 6:35; moon rises, 10:26; moon's age, 21.

HIGH WATER.

	A. M.	P. M.
Sandy Hook	12:26	12:54
Governor's Island	1:09	1:39
Hell Gate	2:59	3:29

INCOMING STEAMERS.

TO-DAY.

Vessel.	From.	Line.
*Roma	Barcelona, Aug 16	Fabre
*Noordam	Rotterdam, Aug 21	Holl-Am
*Dwinsk	Archangel, Aug 20	Russian
*Caracas	Caracas, Aug 25	Red D
*Sant Anna	Gibraltar, Aug 24	Fabre
*Hyperia	Barbados, Aug 24	
Hawaiian	Cristobal, Aug 29	Am-Haw
Iowan	Colon, Aug 28	Am-Hawaiian
Italia	Lisbon, Aug 22	

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2.

*St. Paul	Liverpool, Aug 25	American
*Adriatic	Liverpool, Aug 25	White Star
*T. di Savoia	Genoa, Aug 20	Italian
*Almirante	Colon, Aug 28	U F Co
*Scar II	Copenhagen, Aug 21	Scand Am
Antilles	New Orleans Aug 28	So Pac
Concho	Galveston, Aug 26	Mallory

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

*Saxonia	Liverpool, Aug 25	Cunard
*Panama	Colon, Aug 28	P R R
Aladdin	Port Talbot, Aug 23	
Rio Blanco	Rio de Janeiro, Aug 11	
El Sigle	Texas City, Aug 28	So Pac
City of Columbus	Savannah, Aug 31	Savannah

*Brings mail.

OUTGOING STEAMERS.

TO-DAY.

Vessel.	For.	Line.	Mails close.	Vessel sails.
Oosterdyk	Rotterdam	Holl Am	8:30 am	12:00 m
Maracaibo	Curacao, Red D		8:30 am	12:00 m
Santa Marta	Colon, U F Co		9:30 am	12:00 m
Parima	Barbados, Quebec		11:30 am	2:00 pm
Comal	Galveston, Mallory		—	1:00 pm
Comus	New Orleans, So Pac		—	12:00 m

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2.

Hellig Olav	Christiansand, N-A-L		9:00 am	2:00 pm
Metro Cacic	Havana		10:00 am	12:00 m
Maura	Grenada, Trinidad		10:00 am	12:00 m
Advance	Cristobal, Panama		11:30 am	3:00 pm
Grayson	San Juan, Insular		—	12:00 m
Mohawk	Jacksonville, Clyde		—	12:00 m
Nyanza	So Pac		—	1:00 pm
C of Columbus	Savannah, Sav		—	3:00 pm

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

Mathilda	Argentina, Barber	7:00 am	12:00 m
Manuel Calvo	Cadiz, Spanish	—	10:00 am
Artigonum	London	—	12:00 m
Guantanamo	Santiago, Ward	—	3:00 pm

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS.

Destination and steamer.	Close N Y.
Japan, China (via Seattle), Sado	6:30 p m.
Mexico, Manzanillo	Sept 2
Guam, Philippines (via San Francisco), U S	
Tutuila	Sept 2
Hawaii, Philippines (via San Francisco)	
Matsonia	Sept 3
Hawaii (via Seattle), Alaska	Sept 4
Hawaii (via San Francisco), Lurline	Sept 9
Taiohi Marquesas, Cook Island, New Zealand, Australia (via San Francisco), Moana	Sept 18

ARRIVED.

Steamer Metapan, Pier Line, Aug 22, Colon 23 and Havana 27, with fruit to the United Fruit Co, with mails and mdse. Bar at 4 a m.

Wellington (Br), Santiago Aug 24, to Bowring & Co, with copper ore. Bar at midnight. Passed Navesink Highlands at 2 a m, Scotland 24 and Nipe 26, to the Munson S. Line, with mdse. Bar at 9.55 p m. 30th.

Trinidad (Br), Bristol Aug 19, to the Quebec S. Line, with mdse. Bar at 1:30 a m. Aug 30.

Stavangeren (Nor), Baracoa Aug 25 and Sama 26, to the Atlantic Fruit Co, with fruit. Bar at 11.20 p m. 30th.

Manchioneal (Nor), Port Morant Aug 21, Port Antonio 22, Port Maria and St Ann's Bay 23, Montego Bay 24 and Kingston 25, to the United Fruit Co, with fruit. Bar at 2:45 p m.

Princess Anne, Newport News and Norfolk, to the Old Dominion S. Co, with mdse. Quarantine at 2:23 p m.

Masunda (Br), Glasgow Aug 18 and Delaware Breakwater 30, to Barber & Co. Passed Navesink 8:15 a m.

Orotava (Georgian), Savannah S. Aug 26, and Wilmington, N. C. 28, to the Clyde S. Co, with mdse. Quarantine at 5:37 a m.

City of Columbus, Savannah Aug 28, to the Ocean S. Co, with mdse. Quarantine at 5:37 a m.

Herman Frasch, Sabine, to the Union Sulphur Co, with sulphur. Quarantine at 7:15 a m.

Lampasas, Mobile Aug 23, Tampa 26 and Key West 28, to Mallory S. Co, with mdse. Quarantine at 6:25 a m.

Concho, Galveston Aug 24 and Mobile 26, to the Mallory S. Co, with mdse. Quarantine at 9:15 a m.

Havana, Havana Aug 28, to the New York and Cuba Mail S. Co, with mails and mdse. Bar at 8:48 a m.

Oregon, Philadelphia Aug 30, to Bennett, Hesslet & Co. Left Quarantine at 10:23 a m.

Mohawk, Jacksonville Aug 28 and Charleston 29, to the Clyde S. Co, with mdse. Quarantine at 10:15 a m.

Dordrecht (Dutch), Laguna Aug 14 and Frontera 21, to Hasler Bros, with mdse. Bar at 6 a m.

Overdale (Br), Rotterdam Aug 14, to Norton, Lilly & Co. Bar at 11 p m. 30th.

Eureka, Astoria Aug 1, Los Angeles 6 and Balboa 21, to Hammond & Talbot, with lumber. Bar at 7:15 a m.

Leilani (Nor), Shields Aug 14, to the Caribbean and Southern S. Co. Bar at 7:15 a m.

Orbin (Nor), Rosario July 28 and St Lucia Aug 22, to Barber & Co, with mdse. Bar at 6:30 a m.

Hypatia (Br), Rosario July 28, Buenos Ayres Aug 4, Montevideo 7 and Barbados 24, to R P Houston & Co, with mdse. Bar at 11 a m.

Uganda (Br), Gibraltar Aug 16,