CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THE GENERAL ORDER BUSINESS.

The Rates of Storage Adopted by the Joint Committee.

A New Tariff Proposed for the Country.

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday at their rooms, in William street, Vice President Opdyke in the chair.

The Chamber declined to petition Congress for an appropriation to put into operation Colonel Gowan's plan of lightering vessels over bars, while approving of the general system as explained by him at the last regular meeting.

Mr. OPDYKE announced that a bill was now before Congress relative to the assaying of precious metals, the effect of which would be to throw the business into the hands of a moneyed monopoly at San Francisco, and urged that the Chamber take action. The bill was referred to the appropriate committee, with power to call a special meeting to make their report.

PROPOSED NEW TARIFF LAW.

GEORGE W. DOW submitted the following in support of a permanent tariff law, which he supplemented by a brief speech. It was referred to the Committee on Foreign Commerce, Commercial and Revenue Laws, &c., with power to call in others for conference, and report at the earliest opportunity:—

Whereas in a period of about eighty years there have been enacted by Congress no less than forty-five different tariff laws affecting the duties on merchandise imported into the United States—averaging more than one for every Congress since the foundation of our present government—raising and reducing the rates and making articles free or dutiable under the impulses of the times, and thirteen of these tariffs were made within ten years, twelve of which are in operation at the present time, while still another is in contemplation; and whereas the frequent alterations of the rates of duty have ever been productive of serious annoyance and injury to our country at large by continually disturbing and unsettling the regular course of trade and by derranging the currency and otherwise bringing ruin upon the plans and establishments engendered by previous tariffs, besides being an element of much disputation and waste of public time and money in the halls of Congress and the politics of the nation; and whereas, in the opinion of the Chamber, the best good of the country demands that hereafter tariff laws should be constructed with more care and deliberation, and in reference to the utmost stability and permanence that there should be a full and thorough investigation into all the industrial departments in order to properly understand each and every article in its uses and importance, and the various phases wherein it may affect other articles to be affected by them in their rates of taxation, and also in their relation to similar or competing ones of home production; and whereas the following suggestions appear to be applicable as a general outline for meeting the wants of commerce in the formation of such tariff law:—First, that all imported articles should be arranged under the heads—viz., those intended to be always dutiable, those intended to be always free and those which may be dutiable or free, as the government exigencies require. Second, that the number of dutiable articles should be reduced to the smallest scale consistent with the reception of a proper public revenue, and a due regard to an incidental protection of those home industries which are deemed most worthy and essential to the general good, because such reduction, with an avoidance of all complicated modes of assessment, would simplify the work and lessen the expenses of collections; also diminish fraudulent and smuggling importations and errors of construction with their attendant reclamations and lawsuits. Third, that a good, expensive and liberal bonded warehouse system should accompany the tariff of duties. Fourth, that every dutiable article should be so classified that all which will bear one rate of taxation may be put together, and so on in the different rates, from the highest to the lowest; and in such manner that, if after a fixed period of years, it is found that more or less revenue is required, a simple increase or reduction of a percentage on each rate will accomplish that object. Fifth, that when such changes in the rates of duty are made the fact should be publicly announced at least one year before they go into effect, and all merchandise then in bond should be treated as fresh importations, subject only to the new rates of duties; therefore

Resolved, That the attention of the United States Congress at Washington is respectfully asked for the consideration of the foregoing preamble, and it is requested to authorize a committee, composed of suitable members from the different sections of the country, with power to act continuously and during recess of Congressional sessions until the work is finished, in order to collect from past experience and from merchants, manufacturers, agriculturists, miners and others all the necessary information for the construction of a comprehensive, judicious and permanent tariff law; and Congress is also urgently solicited to make no more changes in the rates of duty on imported merchandise until a new law is deliberately and carefully made, as desired, and all previous tariff acts repealed and the great cause of national injury and complaint is thereby removed.

Resolved, That the foregoing preamble and resolution be properly engrossed and signed by the officers of this Chamber, and forwarded to the United States Senate and House of Representatives at Washington, and that a printed copy of the same be sent to the Boards of Trade and other suitable associations of the country, with a request that they will express to Congress, as early as practicable, their opinions on this important subject.

TAXATION OF BONDS AND MORTGAGES.

Mr. MCKENZIE offered a resolution reaffirming the action of the Chamber in 1871, in favor of the exemption from taxation of bonds and mortgages on real estate, which was adopted.

A resolution instructing the Committee on Buildings to petition the Legislature to amend the charter of the Chamber so as to permit it to hold $200,000,000 real estate was introduced by Mr. TOUSEY and adopted.

THE GENERAL ORDER CONTROVERSY.

The special committee appointed at the request of Collector Arthur to confer with like committees from the Custom House and the warehousemen made their report, embodying a schedule agreed upon by the joint committee. The report was adopted and the committee thanked. The committee remark:—

In recommending these rates to the approval of the Chamber your committee deem it proper, in view of a misconception which to some extent in the communication sent to them, call attention to the fact that these rates are maximum rates, binding only in the absence of special contracts for storage, and that merchants and the warehousemen will be hereafter, as heretofore, entirely at liberty to make such bargains in regard to storage as may to them seem good. Your committee have in almost all cases assented to rates higher than the present actual rates of storage where there is competition for the business, because special bargains are made in almost all cases where the quantities are large, and for small parcels it is manifestly just that the warehousemen should receive liberal rates, as they are subjected to a higher ratio of expense and more trouble in doing such business. At the same time your committee have endeavored to keep the rates within such moderate limits as will lessen the temptation to organize improper combinations for the general order business and check the disposition, which has been a subject of just complaint, to hurry goods into public stores before merchants could procure their permits for delivery. Your committee, in conclusion, are happy to bear testimony to the earnest desire of the representatives of the Custom House to place these revised rates on a satisfactory basis, and of the committee of warehousemen to meet the just demands of the commerce of this port.

The following resolution is respectfully submitted for the favorable consideration of the Chamber:—

Resolved, That the revised rates of storage and labor herewith submitted be approved by the Chamber of Commerce, and a copy thereof, duly attested by the President, be forwarded to the Collector of the Port of New York and recommended to the adoption of the Secretary of the Treasury.

JONATHAN SturGES,
ABRAM S. HEWITT,
SOLON HUMPHREYS.

THE RATES FOR STORAGE.

The following are the rates of storage agreed upon:—

Articles.	Storage Cts.	Labor. Cts.	Storage Cts	Labor. Cts
A.				
Ale or Porter, in hhds	30	30	—	—
Ale or Porter (bottles), in barrels	12	12	—	—
Ale or Porter (bottles), in casks	20	20	—	—
Alcohol, in puncheons	50	50	—	—
Anvils, loose	6	6	—	—
Anvils, in casks	50	50	—	—
Antimony, in casks	35	35	—	—
Almonds, in frails	6	6	—	—
Almonds, in bales	15	15	25	25
Almonds, in casks	15	15	30	30
Almonds, in bags	6	6	—	—
Almonds, in boxes	2	2½	—	—
Argols, in casks	30	30	40	40
Arrow Root, in kegs (Bermuda)	5	5	8	8
Arrow Root, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Arrow Root, in cases	6	6	—	—
Ammonia, Acetate, in cases	15	15	—	—
Ammonia, Crude, in hhds	40	40	—	—
Ammonia Carbonate, in hhds	25	25	—	—
Ammonia, Muriate, in hhds	35	35	—	—
Ammonia, Sal, in hhds	20	20	—	—
Ammonia, Sulphate, in cases	20	20	—	—
Ammonia, Aqua, in carboys	20	20	—	—
Alabaster, in cases	30	30	60	60
Anise Seed, in bales	8	10	—	—
Acid, Acetate, in carboys	20	20	—	—
Acid, Arsenious, in cases	20	20	—	—
Acid, Benzoic, in cases	20	20	—	—
Acid, Arsenious, in kegs	3	3	—	—
Acid, Bracic, in cases	20	20	—	—
Acid, Carbolic, in cases	20	20	—	—
Acid, Citric, in kegs	3	3	—	—
Acid, Tartaric, in cases	15	15	—	—
Acid, Oxalic, in casks	15	15	—	—
Acid, Picric, in cases	20	20	—	—
Acid, Nitric, in carboys	20	20	—	—
Acid, Muriatic, in carboys	20	20	—	—
Aloes, in cases	12	12	—	—
Aloes, in cases	8	8	—	—
Aloes, Cape, in cases	15	15	—	—
Aloes, Socotrine in kegs	5	5	—	—
Aloes, Socotrine, in cases	6	6	—	—
Aloes, Barbadoes, in casks	10	10	—	—
Aloes, Bonaire, in boxes	4	4	—	—
Alum, Crude, in cases	30	30	—	—
Alum, Refined, in cases	8	8	—	—
Alum, in barrels	10	12	—	—
Alum, in casks	35	35	—	—
Arsenic, in barrels	10	12	—	—
Arsenic, in kegs	5	6	—	—
Assafœtida, in cases	12	12	—	—
Assafœtida, in tin chest size	8	8	—	—
Aconite, in bags	6	6	—	—
Aconite, in bales	6	6	—	—
Agates, in casks	40	40	—	—
Acenors, per 100 lbs	3	4	—	—
Alumen, in casks	10	10	—	—
Aluminum, in cases	8	8	—	—
Analines, in casks	40	40	—	—
Angelica Root, in bags	6	6	—	—
Angelica Root, in bales	5	6	—	—
Annatto, in baskets	4	5	—	—
Artificial Flowers, in cases	40	40	—	—
Asphaltum, in casks	30	30	—	—
Arnica Flowers, in bales	8	8	—	—
B.				
Balsam Copaiba, in tin cans	10	10	—	—
Balsam Copaiba, in barrels	25	25	—	—
Balsam Copaiba, in hhds	50	50	—	—
Balsam Copaiba, in kegs	5	5	—	—
Balsam Peruvian, iron cans	20	20	—	—
Balsam Peruvian, in cases	5	5	—	—
Balsam Tolu, in cases	5	5	—	—
Bark, Peruvian, in bags	5	5	—	—
Bark, Peruvian, in ceroons	8	8	—	—
Bark, Cascarilla, in mats	3	3	—	—
Beads (Trieste), in cases	25	25	—	—
Beer, in barrels	10	12	—	—
Beer, in hhds	30	30	—	—
Beeswax, in bales	15	15	30	30
Blankets, in bales	35	35	—	—
Blankets, in trusses, two bales each	35	35	—	—
Boots and Shoes, in cases	12	12	18	18
Bottles, in hampers	25	25	—	—
Bottles, in crates	25	25	—	—
Borax, in casks	30	30	—	—
Borax, in barrels	10	12	—	—
Borax, in cases	6	8	—	—
Brandy, in pipes, per gallon, gross gage	⅛	⅛	—	—
Brandy, in half pipes, per gal., gross gage	⅛	⅛	—	—
Brandy, in ¼ casks, per gal., gross gage	⅛	⅛	—	—
Brandy, in fifth casks, per gal., gross gage	⅛	⅛	—	—
Brandy, in ½ casks, per gal., gross gauge	⅛	⅛	—	—
Burlaps, in bales	40	40	60	60
Butter, in kegs	5	5	—	—
Bamboo Sticks, in bundles	5	5	—	—
Bolt Rope, in coils	8	8	—	—
Bismuth, Oxide, in kegs	5	5	—	—
Barytes, per 100 lbs	2	2½	—	—
Bleaching Powders, per 100 lbs	2	2½	—	—
Black Lead, per 100 lbs	2	2½	—	—
Black Lead, in barrels	10	15	—	—
Brandy, in cases, 1 dozen in case	5	5	—	—
Brandy, in cases, 15 dozen in case	60	60	—	—
Books and Periodicals, in cases	40	40	—	—
Burr Stones, per 100 lbs	2	2½	—	—
Burgundy Pitch, stands, 110 lbs	10	10	—	—
Bacon, in cases	25	25	—	—
Barley, in bags	4	5	—	—
Beans, in bags	4	5	—	—
Bitters, in cases	5	5	—	—
Bricks, Fire, loose	90	100	—	—
Bricks, Bath, in casks	25	25	—	—
Brimstone, per ton, 2,240 lbs	20	50	—	—
Brisules, in casks	30	30	—	—
Bark, Calisaya, in ceroons, 100 lbs	8	8	—	—
Brazil Nuts, in bags	6	6	—	—
Brazil Nuts, in sacks	10	10	—	—
Baskets, Willow	40	40	100	100
Beeswax, in barrels	10	15	—	—
Bonnets, in cases	30	30	—	—
Butter of Cocoa, in cases	10	10	—	—
C.				
Cassia Buds, in cases	8	8	—	—
Cassia, in mats (for 100 mats)	30	40	—	—
Cassia, in chests	8	10	—	—
Cassia, in rolls and bales	8	8	—	—
Camphor, in cases	10	10	—	—
Capers, in boxes	2	2	—	—
Carboys (Vitriol, &c.)	20	20	50	50
Canvas, in bolts	4	4	—	—
Canvas, in bales	15	20	—	—
Cantharides, in cases	12	15	25	30
Cantharides, in casks	30	30	—	—
Candles, in boxes	5	5	7	8
Camomile Flowers, in bales	12	12	25	25
Camomile Flowers, in casks	12	12	—	—
Carpets, in rolls (single)	10	10	12	12
Carpets, in cases	30	30	35	35
Carpets, in bales	40	40	50	50
Cheese (Dutch), in boxes	10	10	12	12
Cheese (Roquefort), in boxes	8	8	—	—
Cheese, in casks	20	20	30	30
Chicory, in casks	30	30	—	—
Chicory Root, in bags	5	5	—	—
Chicory, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Chicory, in bags	5	5	—	—
Champagne, in baskets	5	5	—	—
Champagne, in cases	5	5	—	—
Chocolate, in casks	20	20	—	—
Chocolate, in cases	3	3	—	—
Chain Cables, per ton, 2,240 lbs	40	125	—	—
Citron, in cases	20	20	30	30
Cloves, in bags	5	5	—	—
Cloves, in bales	8	8	—	—
Cloves, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Cloths, in bales	25	25	35	35
Cloths (English), in cases	25	25	35	35
Cocoa, in bags	5	5	—	—
Cocoa Matting, in bales	40	40	—	—
Cochineal, in ceroons	12	12	—	—
Coddish (dry), per quintal	6	6	—	—
Crockery, in crates	50	50	—	—
Crockery, in casks	50	50	—	—
Crockery, in cases	25	30	—	—
Cordials, in cases, 1 dozen	5	5	—	—
Cordials, in hhds	30	30	—	—
Cordials, in casks	25	25	—	—
Cordials, in puncheons	50	50	—	—
Corks, in bales	15	15	25	25
Cork Wood, in bundles or bales	10	10	—	—
Copper, in pigs, per ton, 2,240 lbs	55	60	—	—
Copper, in sheets, per ton, 2,240 lbs	45	75	—	—
Copper Ore, in barrels	15	20	—	—
Copper Ore, in bags	6	6	—	—
Cubebs, in bales	25	25	—	—
Cubebs, in bags	5	5	—	—
Currants, in barrels	8	8	—	—
Currants, in carrotels	25	25	—	—
Cinnamon, in bales	6	8	—	—
Coal, Bituminous, per ton	25	50	—	—
Chinaware, in casks	40	40	—	—
Church Bells, per 100 lbs	5	5	—	—
Cotton Yarn, in cases	30	30	—	—
Calf Skins, in cases	40	40	—	—
Carriages, each	$5 to	$10	—	—
Chalk, bulk, per ton, 2,240 lbs	30	50	—	—
Carpet yarn, in cases	30	30	—	—
Cayenne Pepper, in pods	6	8	—	—
Cayenne Pepper, in pockets	2	2	—	—
Coloring for Brandy, in casks	25	25	—	—
Cordage, in coils	10	10	—	—
Corals and Tassels, in cases	30	30	—	—
Codbear, in casks	25	30	—	—
Camwood, in sticks, per ton	30	60	—	—
Canes, Walking, in cases	25	25	—	—
Castor Beans, in sacks	5	5	—	—
Cutch, in bales	5	6	—	—
Cutch, in boxes	6	6	—	—
Catgut Strings, in cases	30	30	—	—
China Clay, in hhds	30	40	—	—
China Clay, in barrels	10	12	—	—
Chrome Yellow, in casks	20	25	—	—
Cinnabar, in kegs	5	5	—	—
Clocks, in cases	30	30	—	—
Clove Stems, in pockets	2	2	—	—
Coffee (Rio), in sacks	5	5	—	—
Coffee (Maracaibo), in sacks	4	4	—	—
Coffee (Java), in mats	2	2	—	—
Coffee (Java), in bags	5	5	—	—
Coffee (Ceylon), in bags	4	4	—	—
Coffee (St. Domingo), in bags	4	4	—	—
Coffee (Laguayra), in bags	4	4	—	—
Coffee (Laguayra), in barrels	10	10	—	—
Crash (Russia), in bales	8	8	—	—
Cotton Fish Bons, packages of 4	20	20	—	—
Copperas, in hhds	50	50	—	—
Copperas, in tierces	25	25	—	—
Cream of Tartar, in hhds	50	50	—	—
Cream of Tartar, in casks	40	40	—	—
Cotton (Pernambuco), in bales	10	10	—	—
Cotton, in bales	30	30	—	—
Cotton (China), pressed, in bales	30	30	—	—
Coir Fibre, in bales	15	18	—	—
Chairs, in packages	15	15	—	—
Castor Beans, in bags	6	6	—	—
Chow Chow, in cases	4	4	—	—
Crystal Ash, in casks	30	30	—	—
Calomel, in cases	5	5	—	—
D.				
Dates, in frails	6	6	—	—
Demijohns (empty), 5 galls	2	2	—	—
Demijohns (empty), 3 galls	1	1	—	—
Demijohns (empty), under 3 galls	¾	1	—	—
Dry Goods (Cotton), in cases } Dry Goods (Linens), in cases } Dry Goods (Hosiery), in cases } Dry Goods (Hdkfs), in cases } Dry Goods (Gloves), in cases }	30	30	—	—
Dry Goods (various), small cases	10	10	20	20
Dry Goods (Woollen Hosiery), in casks	30	30	—	—
Dundee Linens, bales, all sizes, average	40	40	50	50
Dunnage Mats, each	½	½	—	—
Dye Wood, per ton, 2,240 lbs	30	60	—	—
Daguerreotype Plates, in cases	40	40	—	—
Dandelion Root, in casks	15	15	—	—
Dutch Herrings, in kegs	3	3	—	—
Dutch Herrings, in kits	5	5	—	—
Dutch Herrings, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Dry Paints, in barrels	10	12	—	—
Dragon's Blood, in cases	8	8	—	—
Diamonds (See Valuables.)	—	—	—	—
E.				
Emery, in kegs	5	5	—	—
Epsom Salts, in tierces	15	15	—	—
Elecampane, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Elecampane, in hhds	20	20	—	—
Elephants' Tusks, loose	10	10	—	—
Encaustic Tiles, in crates	15	15	—	—
Essential Oil of Orange, in cases, 50 lbs	5	5	—	—
Essential Oil of Orange, in cases, 25 lbs	3	3	—	—
Essential Oil of Bergamot, in cases, 50 lbs	5	5	—	—
Essential Oil of Bergamot, in cases, 25 lbs	3	3	—	—
Essential Oil of Lemon, in cases, 50 lbs	5	5	—	—
Essential Oil of Lemon, in cases, 25 lbs	3	3	—	—
Essential Oil of Lavender, in cases, 120 lbs	5	5	—	—
Essential Oil of Rosemary, in cases, 120 lbs	5	5	—	—
Essential Oil of Thyme, in cases, 120 lbs	5	5	—	—
Essential Oil of Juniper, in cases, 120 lbs	5	5	—	—
Essential Oil of Myrbane, in cases, 120 lbs	5	5	—	—
Ergot, in tierces	40	40	—	—
Ergot, in cases	5	5	—	—
Ether, Sulphuric, in cases	4	4	—	—
F.				
Figs, in frails	5	5	—	—
Figs, loose, in drums	¾	¾	—	—
Figs, loose, in boxes	1½	1½	—	—
Figs, in cases	15	15	—	—
Filberts, in bags	6	6	—	—
Filberts, in bales	12	12	—	—
Flour, in barrels	5	5	—	—
Flour (Sago), in bags	6	6	—	—
Fish (Cod), per quintal	6	6	—	—
Fish (Mackerel), in ½ barrels	5	5	—	—
Fish (Mackerel), in barrels	8	8	—	—
Furs, in cases	30	30	—	—
Furs, in cases	30	30	—	—
Furs, in bales	30	30	—	—
Furs (Nutria), in bales	50	50	—	—
Flock, Woollen, in bales	30	30	—	—
Flax, in bales	25	30	—	—
Felt, in bales, in packages	25	25	—	—
Fustic, per ton, 2,240 lbs	30	60	—	—
Fossils, in cases	30	30	—	—
Fans (China), in cases	10	10	—	—
Fennel Seed, in bags	8	8	—	—
Flax (New Zealand), in bales	12	12	—	—
Feathers, in bales	25	25	—	—
Fire Crackers, in packages	5	7	—	—
Fire Crackers, loose	¾	1	—	—
Fire Crackers, in bombs	2	3	—	—
Fruits, in Brandy (in cases of one dozen)	5	5	—	—
Fruits, in Juice (in cases of one dozen)	5	5	—	—
Fruits, Assorted and Crystalized, (in large cases)	50	50	—	—
G.				
Gamboge, in cases	10	10	—	—
Gin, in pipes (per gallon, gross gauge)	½	½	—	—
Gin, in ¼ pipes (per gallon, gross gauge)	½	½	—	—
Ginger, in bags	4	4	—	—
Ginger (East India), preserved, in cases	5	5	—	—
Ginger, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Gum Arabic, in cases	12	12	—	—
Gums, in casks	15	15	—	—
Gum, Barbary	6	6	—	—
Gum, Benzoin, in cases	10	10	—	—
Gum, Copal, in cases	8	10	—	—
Gum, Cape, in cases	6	6	—	—
Gum, Kowrie, in cases	8	10	—	—
Gum, Damar, in cases	8	10	—	—
Gum, Frankincense, in cases	8	10	—	—
Gum, Benjamin, in cases	8	10	—	—
Gum, Amber, in tierces	10	10	—	—
Gum, Mastic, in cases	8	10	—	—
Gum, Myrrh, in bales	5	5	—	—
Gum, Senegal, in cases	8	10	—	—
Gum, Senegal, in bags	5	5	—	—
Gum, Shellac, in cases	8	10	—	—
Gum, Tragacanth, in cases	8	10	—	—
Gum, Jeddo, in bales	10	10	—	—
Gum, Sandarac, in casks	10	10	—	—
Gum, Guiac, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Gum, Guiac, in boxes	4	4	—	—
Gum, Arabic, in ceroons	15	15	—	—
Gum, Copal, in casks	35	35	—	—
Gunny Bags (2 bush. bags), in bales	15	15	—	—
Gunny Bags (3 bush. bags), in bales	15	15	—	—
Gunny Bags (4 bush. bags), in bales	15	15	—	—
Gunn, in cases	25	25	—	—
Glue, in hhds	40	40	—	—
Glue, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Gutta Percha, loose, per 100 ps., average	40	50	—	—
Gutta Percha, in baskets	8	8	—	—
Glass (Window), in boxes	4	4	—	—
Glass (Plate), per square foot, in cases	3	5	—	—
Garancine, in casks	60	60	—	—
Garden Seeds, in cases	15	15	—	—
Gunny Cloth, in bales	25	30	—	—
Gambia, in bales	6	8	—	—
Gambia, in baskets	6	8	—	—
Gambia, in pockets	3	2	—	—
Ginseng Root, in bags	5	5	—	—
Grain Bags, in bags	5	5	—	—
Grain, in bulk, per bushel, per month	1	1	—	—
Grass Bags, in bales	5	5	—	—
Grass Cloth, in bales	10	10	—	—
Guava Jelly, in cases	10	10	20	20
Glass (Window), in cases	10	10	—	—
Guts (salted), in barrels	10	10	—	—
Guts (salted), in kegs	5	5	—	—
Goat Skins (South American), in bales	40	50	—	—
Goat Skins (Cape Good Hope), in bales	15	20	—	—
Grapes, in casks	5	5	—	—
Grapes, in ¼ casks	3	3	—	—
Grapes, in kegs	2	2	—	—
H.				
Hardware, in casks	50	50	—	—
Hats (Maracaibo), in ceroons	25	25	—	—
Hats (Maracaibo), in cases	25	25	—	—
Hats (Panama), in cases	25	25	—	—
Hats (Panama), in ceroons	25	25	—	—
Hemp (Manila), in bales	6	8	—	—
Hemp (Italian), in bales	15	15	25	25
Hemp, loose, per ton, 2,240 lbs	120	125	—	—
Hemp (Codilla), in bales	12	12	—	—
Hemp (Russian), in bales	25	30	—	—
Hemp (Sisal), in bales	8	10	—	—
Hemp (Sunn), in bales	8	10	—	—
Hemp (Istle), in bales	8	10	—	—
Hemp (Tampico), in bales	8	10	—	—
Hemp Yarn, in winches	18	20	—	—
Hops, in bales	15	15	20	20
Hops, compressed, in bales	12	12	—	—
Hide Cuttings, E. I., in bales	8	8	—	—
Hides, Salted, in hhds	40	40	—	—
Hides (Dry), Ox and Cow	1½	2	—	—
Hides, Deer (Cape), in bundles and bales	15	20	—	—
Hides, Buffalo, E. I., in bales	40	50	—	—
Hides, Cow, in bales	40	50	—	—
Hide Cuttings (S. American), in bales	40	50	—	—
Hides, Salted, loose	3	4	—	—
Honey, in hhds	30	40	—	—
Honey, in tierces	20	30	—	—
Honey, in barrels	10	10	—	—
I.				
Indigo, in ceroons	10	10	—	—
Indigo, in cases	12	15	—	—
Iron, in bars, per ton, 2,240 lbs	35	40	—	—
Iron, in rods, per ton, 2,240 lbs	35	40	—	—
Iron, in sheets, per ton, 2,240 lbs	35	40	—	—
Iron, hoop, in bundles, per bdl., 56 lbs	1	2	—	—
Iron, hoop, in bundles, per bdl., 112 lbs	2	3	—	—
Iron, in pigs, per ton, 2,240 lbs	15	40	—	—
Iron Tubes	5	8	—	—
Iron, Galvanized, per ton, 2,240 lbs	25	40	—	—
Iron, Old, per ton, 2,240 lbs	25	125	—	—
Iron Castings, per ton, 2,240 lbs	50	75	—	—
Ipecac, in ceroons	10	10	—	—
Iron (Railroad), per ton, 2,240 lbs., in New York city	20	40	—	—
Iron, Boiler Plates, per ton, 2,240 lbs	35	50	—	—
Iron Rods, in coils, each	8	8	—	—
Iron Wire, in mats of 60 to 100 lbs	4	4	—	—
India or Malacca Joints, in bundles	10	10	—	—
Iron Spikes, per ton, 2,240 lbs	30	40	—	—
Isinglass (Russia), in cases	15	15	—	—
Ivory, Vegetable, in bags	5	5	—	—
Indian Rubber, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Indian Rubber, in casks	20	20	—	—
Indian Rubber, E. I., in baskets	8	8	—	—
Istle Cloth, in bales	8	8	—	—
Indian Rubber, in bags	10	10	—	—
J.				
Jalap, in bales	10	10	20	20
Jewsharps, in casks or cases	30	30	—	—
Jute, in bales	7	8	—	—
Juniper Berries, in bags	10	10	—	—
Junk, old, in bundles	10	13	—	—
Jute Butts, in bales	7	8	—	—
Jute Rejection, in bales	7	8	—	—
Jewelry, Gold (see Valuables)	—	—	—	—
K.				
Kirschenwasser, in cases, 1 doz	5	5	—	—
Kirschenwasser, in hhds	40	40	—	—
Kreosote (bottles), in cases	25	25	—	—
L.				
Laces, in cases	20	20	30	30
Lard, in xcas	5	5	—	—
Lead, in pigs, per quintal	35	40	—	—
Lead, in sheets or in rolls, in casks	50	50	—	—
Lead Pipes, in cases	35	40	—	—
Lead, Black, per 100 lbs	2	2½	—	—
Lead, red, in kegs	4	4	—	—
Lead, White (see White Lead)	—	—	—	—
Lead, White (see White Lead)	—	—	—	—
Lithographic Stones, in cases	30	30	60	60
Liquorice Paste, in cases	10	10	15	15
Liquorice Sticks, in cases	10	10	—	—
Liquorice Root, in bundles	6	6	—	—
Liquorice Root in bales, each	10	10	—	—
Logwood, per ton, 2,240 lbs	30	60	—	—
Lignumvitæ, per ton, 2,240 lbs	30	60	—	—
Lime, Acetate, in sacks	5	5	—	—
Lime, Citrate, in bags	5	5	—	—
Lime, Hydrocarbonate, in bags	5	5	—	—
Lime, Borate, in bags	5	5	—	—
Lime, Sulphate, in bags	5	5	—	—
Lime, Phosphate, in bags	5	5	—	—
Lac, Dye, in cases	10	10	—	—
Lac, Marine, in cases	10	10	—	—
Lamp Black, in casks	25	25	—	—
Linseed, in bags	4	5	—	—
Linseed, in pockets	1	1½	—	—
Leather (French), in cases	40	40	—	—
Leather, in rolls	15	15	—	—
Leaves, Buchu, in bales	20	20	—	—
Leaves, Rose, in casks	15	15	—	—
Lentils, in barrels	10	10	—	—
Leather, in bales	30	30	—	—
Lemons, in boxes	5	5	—	—
Lime, Chloride, per 100 lbs	2	2½	—	—
Lentils, in bags	5	5	—	—
Lac Button, in cases	8	8	—	—
Lint, in cases	4	4	—	—
M.				
Macaroni (Italian), in cases	4	4	—	—
Macaroni (French), in cases	4	4	—	—
Madder (French), in casks	75	75	—	—
Madder (German), in casks	50	50	—	—
Magnesia, in cases	15	15	—	—
Magnesia, Acetate, in cases	8	8	—	—
Magnesia, Carbonate, in cases	8	8	—	—
Magnesia, Calcined, in casks	30	30	—	—
Magnesia, Calcined, in cases	25	8	—	—
Magnesia, Alba, in cases	35	35	—	—
Manna, in cases	40	10	—	—
Marbles, in casks	—	40	—	—
Matting (East India), in rolls, 4-4ths	4	4	—	—
Matting (East India), in rolls, 5-4ths	5	5	—	—
Matting (East India), in rolls, 6-4ths	6	6	—	—
Matting Coir, in bales	35	35	—	—
Mustard, in cases	5	5	—	—
Musical Instruments, in cases	35	35	50	50
Machinery, per cubic foot, in cases	2	3	—	—