COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS

SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS.

Silver lower. Exchange unchanged.
Shipment of $103,347 to China.
Wheat futures firmer. Barley growing stronger.
More Oats from the East for Honolulu.
Corn quoted firmer under lighter arrivals.
Bran firm and Hay steady and unchanged.
Beans firmly held at previous quotations.
Onions rather weaker again.
Potatoes unchanged. Vegetables high.
No further change in Butter, Cheese and Eggs.
Seven cars of Eastern Poultry in thus far this week.
Game in lighter supply, but dull and weak.
Seven cars of Oranges to be auctioned to-day.
Good Apples getting scarce. Bananas still plentiful.
Provisions continue firm at previous prices.
Hides easy and in ample supply.
Increased exports of Salmon last year.
Linseed Oil marked up.

Treasure Shipment.

The Hongkong Maru took out a treasure list of $103,347, consisting of $102,365 in Mexican dollars and $982 in gold coin.

Exports of Salmon.

Exports of salmon from this port by sea in 1900 were 856,600 cases and 15,714 packages, valued at $3,601,575, against 703,350 cases and 16,260 packages at $2,871,200 in 1899.

Exports of Lumber.

Exports of lumber from this port in 1900 were 25,833,000 feet, valued at $539,000, against 22,611,000 feet at $610,100 in 1899.

Foreign Imports.

Foreign imports at this port during 1900 were $38,424,450, against $45,678,000 in 1899, the leading sources being as follows: Japan, $8,319,600; China, $7,203,200; Hawaiian Islands (six months), $5,588,900; France, $1,316,000; Germany, $1,499,200; Central America, $2,335,300; British Columbia, $2,580,200; East Indies, $3,272,400; Great Britain, $2,751,800.

Dried Fruit in New York.

Mail advices from New York say: "Trade continues slow. Some inquiry is noted for California loose raisins, but holders decline to meet buyers' ideas. Bids of 5¾c for 3-crown goods of fair quality were turned down yesterday, the holder asking 6c firm. Offerings at the latter quotation are not numerous, many asking 6¼c and some even higher for best stock. Prunes are virtually dead on the spot. Coast advices state that outside holders have made reductions on their holdings equivalent to those recently made by the association, so that their prices are now correspondingly as much under the association list as they were previous to the late drop on large and small sizes. Currants are stronger abroad, but there is only a very small demand on the spot, and the market shows no change for the better. Good stock is about steady. Poor quality goods are easy. Evaporated apples are quiet, with quotations as last reported.

"Nuts are quiet. Almonds show firmness through the whole list, with a tendency to higher prices. Shelled almonds particularly are firm, and under the cost of importation. The market in Sicily has advanced 5s to 10s during the past few days, according to cables. Jordans and Valencia shelled are very strong on the other side also. The weather along the Mediterranean is reported unusually cold."

Weather Report.

(120th Meridian—Pacific Time.)
SAN FRANCISC, Jan. 24—5 p. m.

The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of same date last season, and rainfalls in the last twenty-four hours:

STATIONS.	Last 24 Hours	This Season.	Last Season.
Eureka	0.16	30.32	23.72
Red Bluff	Trace	15.13	14.85
Sacramento	0.00	11.32	13.31
San Francisco	0.00	13.01	14.28
Fresno	0.00	7.21	6.13
Independence	0.00	4.53	2.99
San Luis Obispo	0.00	21.44	12.50
Los Angeles	0.00	8.21	4.57
San Diego	0.00	3.19	2.60

San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 57; minimum, 42; mean, 48.

WEATHER CONDITIONS AND GENERAL FORECAST.

The pressure has fallen rapidly during the past twelve hours over all of the western half of the country except a narrow strip of the coast from Cape Mendocino to Cape Blanco, where there has been an abrupt and unusual rise.

The temperature has fallen rapidly from the northern end of the Sacramento Valley to the Washington line and if the sky continues clear light to heavy frosts will occur generally over the northern half of California on Friday morning.

Rain has fallen from Eureka northward. A light shower is reported at Phoenix.

A marked obscuration of the sky occurred Thursday noon at San Francisco, due to fog and smoke.

The following maximum velocities are reported: Eureka, forty miles per hour from the northwest; Mount Tamalpais, fifty-five northwest; Point Reyes, sixty-five northwest; Portland, thirty-four northwest, and Neah Bay thirty west.

Forecast made at San Francisco for thirty hours ending midnight January 25:

Northern California—Fair Friday, fresh northerly winds; light frost in the interior Friday morning.

Southern California—Cloudy Friday, cooler; light northerly winds.

Nevada—Cloudy unsettled weather Friday, with showers in northern portion; cooler.

Arizona—Cloudy unsettled weather Friday.

Utah—Cloudy unsettled weather Friday; cooler.

San Francisco and vicinity—Fair Friday, cooler; fresh northwest winds.

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EASTERN MARKETS.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The realizing of speculative profits proceeded steadily to-day at a resulting expense of prices. The only variation from the downward course was due to purely technical causes. Even the opening advance in prices was largely due to manipulation, which began in the London market on cabled orders from here before the New York market opened. The general steadiness in the London market, the rapid recuperation in the condition of the Bank of England and the continued ease of money, in spite of large withdrawals from the market by the bank, point to an early reduction in the Bank of England rate. The opening prices of stocks here proved in most cases to be the highest. The weakness of the steel stocks, which began from the opening, proved a disappointment for those speculators who had hoped that the group would assume the leadership of a new advance in prices because of the strength shown by the leading steel stocks yesterday. Yesterday's advance proved sufficient to bring in buying orders and the speculative backers of these stocks seemed indisposed to offer very vigorous support. The coterie which bought stocks on Monday were credited with selling to realize, and there were large selling orders all day which was attributed to Chicago account. The reported illness of the largest individual operator in the street and who has been supposed to be long on stocks had considerable influence on sentiment, but the real basis of the reaction was the failure to attract any renewed outside speculation, as clearly demonstrated by the marked decline in the activity in the market. Some attention was given to the reports of friction between the English and Russian admirals in Chinese waters. The day's statement of Treasury operations reflected the payments on account of gold withdrawn for export, which more than wiped out the previous week's gain by the banks. A notable feature of the current money situation is the heavy reflux of national bank notes. Yesterday's Treasury statement shows that receipts of bank notes for current redemption thus far this month have amounted to $18,861,608. For the six months ending January 1 the total was $63,393,848. The average per working day previous to this month was a little over $420,000, while for this month thus far the average is considerably over $700,000 per working day. Experience shows that this return movement of bank notes is likely to continue heavy during February and March, and in view of the expansion under the new law of about $95,000,000 in national bank note issues, it is likely to be aggravated this year. The limitation of $2,000,000 per month as the maximum allowed for retirement of bank notes remains in the law and will act as an obstacle to the contraction of circulation. The current redemption of bank notes plays a large part in the great gains made by New York banks on sub-Treasury operations, as New York banks receive a large proportion of interior bank notes by return shipment, and besides receive drafts on account of bank notes received by their interior correspondents. This large return of bank notes from circulation and the restriction on their retirement is expected to stimulate the pressure to place loans in the money market, and will operate to foster the tendency to ship gold abroad notwithstanding continued ease in foreign money markets. Extreme declines reached 4½ in St. Paul, 4¼ in Brooklyn Transit, 2¾ in Steel and Wire, 2¾ in Federal Steel and Manhattan, 2¾ in Northern Pacific, 2 in Rock Island, Northern preferred, 2¼ in Sugar and from 1 to 2 in a large number of active stocks. Kansas and Texas preferred made some show of strength.

The bond market was reactionary in spots in sympathy with stocks, but advanced at others. Total sales, $3,675,000. United States new 4s advanced ¼ on the last call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Shares Sold.	Stocks—	Closing Bid.
30,200	Atchison	44¾
14,700	Atchison pref'd	84¼
18,700	Baltimore & Ohio	84½
.....	Canadian Pacific	88½
200	Canadian Southern	56¾
3,600	Chesapeake & Ohio	38¼
1,000	Chicago Great Western	17½
14,800	Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	141¾
100	Chicago, Ind & Louis	24
.....	Chicago, Ind & Louis pref'd	60
.....	Chicago & Eastern Illinois	92
300	Chicago & Northwestern	170
6,900	Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	118¾
700	C C C & St Louis	75
800	Colorado Southern	6¾
.....	Colorado Southern 1st pref'd	41
.....	Colorado Southern 2d pref'd	16
1,000	Delaware & Hudson	150
.....	Delaware, Lack & Western	191
1,800	Denver & Rio Grande	30½
100	Denver & Rio Grande pref'd	81¼
37,800	Erie	28
11,000	Erie 1st pref'd	62⅝
1,000	Great Northern pref'd	192
.....	Hocking Coal	14½
100	Hocking Valley	42½
1,200	Illinois Central	129¾
400	Iowa Central	23½
.....	Iowa Central pref'd	49
500	Lake Erie & Western	42½
.....	Lake Erie & Western pref'd	106
.....	Lake Shore	210¼
6,300	Louisville & Nashville	83¾
17,600	Manhattan L	113½
3,400	Metropolitan Street Railway	161¾
200	Mexican Central	13
200	Minneapolis & St Louis	67¾
.....	Minneapolis & St Louis pref'd	105
14,500	Missouri Pacific	85
700	Mobile & Ohio	43¾
1,200	Missouri, Kansas & Texas	16¾
21,800	Missouri, Kansas & Texas pref'd	43¾
.....	New Jersey Central	145
1,000	New York Central	140½
2,400	Norfolk & Western	44
.....	Norfolk & Western pref'd	83
65,300	Northern Pacific	80⅞
2,000	Northern Pacific pref'd	85¼
11,400	Ontario & Western	30⅞
.....	Oregon Ry & Navigation	42
.....	Oregon Ry & Navigation pref'd	76
10,500	Pennsylvania	144¾
11,000	Reading	21½
11,800	Reading 1st pref'd	70½
9,700	Reading 2d pref'd	41⅝
.....	Rio Grande Western	65
.....	Rio Grande Western pref'd	92
3,300	St Louis & San Francisco	26¼
100	St Louis & San Fran 1st pref'd	79
1,200	St Louis & San Fran 2d pref'd	56⅝
1,500	St Louis Southwestern	22¼
1,000	St Louis Southwestern pref'd	50⅝
78,700	St Paul	147⅛
.....	St Paul pref'd	187
.....	St Paul & Omaha	120
46,100	Southern Pacific	43⅝
6,400	Southern Railway	19¼
8,200	Southern Railway pref'd	69¾
8,900	Texas & Pacific	26¾
51,300	Union Pacific	82⅛
3,200	Union Pacific pref'd	82½
200	Wabash	12⅞
8,100	Wabash pref'd	26¾
2,900	Wheeling & Lake Erie	11¾
1,300	Wheeling & Lake Erie 2d pref'd	28¾
.....	Wisconsin Central	14
100	Third Avenue	121
400	Baltimore & Ohio pref'd	84½
6,500	National Tube	58¼
800	National Tube pref'd	97
	Express companies—	
.....	Adams	150
100	American	177½
.....	United States	54
.....	Wells-Fargo	130
	Miscellaneous—	
4,200	American Cotton Oil	30¼
100	American Cotton Oil pref'd	88
.....	American Malting	4½
.....	American Malting pref'd	24½
4,200	American Smelting & Refin	62⅞
300	American Smelting & Refin pref'd	97⅞
.....	American Spirits	2
.....	American Spirits pref'd	17
2,900	American Steel Hoop	26
.....	American Steel Hoop pref'd	72
27,100	American Steel & Wire	39½
1,000	American Steel & Wire pref'd	84
2,000	American Tin Plate	59
200	American Tin Plate pref'd	88
5,600	American Tobacco	113½
.....	American Tobacco pref'd	140
1,000	Anaconda Mining Co	42⅝
62,100	Brooklyn Rapid Transit	76½
3,150	Colorado Fuel & Iron	43⅝
12,500	Continental Tobacco	43¾
1,600	Continental Tobacco pref'd	94
27,700	Federal Steel	47¼
3,100	Federal Steel pref'd	69¼
100	General Electric	187
400	Glucose Sugar	47
100	Glucose Sugar pref'd	96
1,500	International Paper	21½
500	International Paper pref'd	70
.....	Laclede Gas	22
300	National Biscuit	38
100	National Biscuit pref'd	92
100	National Lead	15½
100	National Lead pref'd	85
1,200	National Steel	39
300	National Steel pref'd	90
.....	New York Air Brake	148
700	North American	19⅞
.....	Pacific Coast	54
.....	Pacific Coast 1st pref'd	87
.....	Pacific Coast 2d pref'd	63
1,600	Pacific Mail	42½
10,900	People's Gas	95¼
2,700	Pressed Steel Car	37¾
400	Pressed Steel Car pref'd	78½
.....	Pullman Palace Car	196
.....	Standard Rope & Twine	3⅞
32,800	Sugar	132½
.....	Sugar pref'd	118½
4,600	Tennessee Coal & Iron	56⅝
4,600	United States Leather	7⅞
500	United States Leather pref'd	73¾
1,200	United States Rubber	20⅞
800	United States Rubber pref'd	60½
2,400	Western Union	82¾
4,200	Amalgamated Copper	88½
1,500	Republic Iron & Steel Co	13¾
800	Republic Iron & Steel Co pref'd	57
.....	P C C & St L	54
564,400	Shares sold.	

CLOSING BONDS.

U S ref reg 2s	105⅝	N Y C 1sts	106⅝
Do coupon	105⅝	N J C gen 5s	127¾
U S 3s reg	109⅝	N Pacific 3s	70¾
Do 3s coupon	110½	Do 4s	105
Do new 4s reg	136⅞	N Y C & St L 4s	106¼
Do new 4s coup	137¾	N & W con 4s	100¼
Do old 4s reg	113½	Or Nav 1sts	109
Do old 4s coup	113½	Do 4s	103¼
Do 5s reg	110½	Or Short Line 6s	129¼
Do 5s coupon	113¾	Do con 5s	116
Dist of Col 2-65s	125	Reading gen 4s	93⅞
Atchison gen 4s	103¾	R G W 1sts	99½
Do adj 4s	89⅞	St L & I M con 5s	114¾
Canada So 2ds	111	St L & S F gen 6s	128
Ches & O 4½s	105	St Paul cons	182½
Do 5s	120⅞	St P C & P 1sts	118
Chi & N con 7s	129½	Do 5s	119½
Do S F deb 5s	124	S Pacific 4s	84¾
Chicago Term 4s	93	S Railway 5s	113
Colorado So 4s	84¾	Stand R & T 6s	65½
D & R G 4s	100½	Tex & Pac 1sts	116¼
Erie gen 4s	83½	Do 2ds	95
F W & D C 1sts	79	U Pacific 4s	106¼
Gen Electric 5s	156	Wabash 1sts	119½
Iowa Central 1sts	115¼	Do 2ds	109½
L & N uni 4s	100¼	West Shore 4s	114
M K & T 2ds	78½	Wisc Cent 1sts	86½
Do 4s	97	Va Centuries	96

MINING STOCKS.

Adams Con	20	Little Chief	16
Alice	45	Ontario	6 75
Breece	2 00	Ophir	50
Brunswick Con	25	Phoenix	10
Comstock Tunnel	04	Potosi	06
Con Cal & Va	1 50	Savage	15
Deadwood Terra	52	Sierra Nevada	18
Horn Silver	1 10	Small Hopes	65
Iron Silver	65	Standard	4 10
Leadville Con	06		

BOSTON STOCKS AND BONDS.

Money—		Union Pacific	82¼
Call loans	3 @4	Union Land	2½
Time loans	3½@4	West End	93
Stocks—		Bonds—	
Atch T & Sta Fe	45	Atchison 4s	102
Do pref'd	84¾	N E Gas & C 5s	66
American Sugar	132½	Mining Shares—	
Do pref'd	118¾	Adventure	9¾
Bell Telephone	160½	Bingham Min Co	15¾
Boston Elevated	161½	Amalg Copper	88½
Boston & Maine	194	Atlantic	27½
Chi B & Q	141¾	Boston & Mont	313
Dominion Coal	34¼	Butte & Boston	77½
Do pref'd	108	Calumet & Hecla	855
Federal Steel	47	Centennial	21¾
Do pref'd	80½	Franklin	16¼
Fitchburg pref'd	140	Osceola	81½
Gen Electric pref'd	159	Parrot	47
Ed Elec Ill	230	Quincy	165
Mexican Central	13½	Sta Fe Copper	6
N E Gas & Coke	11½	Tamarack	322
Old Colony	207	Utah Mining	32½
Old Dominion	30	Winona	6
Rubber	29½	Wolverines	48½

On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was dull; creameries, 14@20c; dairies, 11½@18c. Eggs, quiet; fresh, 17c. Cheese, 10¼@11¾c.

Foreign Futures.

LIVERPOOL.

Wheat—	Feb.	Mar.	May.
Opening	....	6 5¾	6 1
Closing	....	6 3¾	6 1¼

PARIS.

Wheat—	Jan.	Mar.-June.
Opening	19 00	20 00
Closing	19 00	19 95
Flour—		
Opening	24 50	25 45
Closing	24 45	25 45

Chicago Livestock Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 16,500; choice steers about steady, others slow; butchers' stock, firm to a shade higher; good to prime steers, $5 25@5; poor to medium, $3 50@5 15; stockers and feeders, $3@4 60; cows, $2 75@4 25; heifers, $2 75@4 50; canners, $2@2 70; bulls, $2 50@4 50; calves, $4@5 75; Texas fed steers, $4@4 75; Texas grass steers, $3 35@4; Texas bulls, $2 50@3 75.

HOGS—Receipts to-day, 26,000; to-morrow, 23,000; left over, 5000; market opened a shade higher and closed weak; top price, $5 35; mixed and butchers, $5 10@5 35; good to choice heavy, $5 20@5 35; light, $5 10@5 30; bulk of sales, $5 20@5 27½.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; sheep steady, lambs mostly 10c lower; good to choice wethers, $3 70@4 50; fair to choice mixed, $3 40@3 80; Western sheep, $3 75@4 40; Texas sheep, $2 50@3 50; native lambs, $4@5 50; Western lambs, $5@5 50.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Business in the local metal market was generally slack. Demand from the interior continues of hand-to-mouth order and speculation was, generally speaking, out of the market. Tin at London declined £1 12s 6d, closing weak, at the decline. This influenced the local market for that metal in the direction of lower prices, but trading at the decline was slow, and the market closed dull and easy at $26 62½@26 75.

Copper was dull at 17c for Lake and 16⅝c for casting.

Spelter was dull at $4@4 10.

Lead continues dull at $4 37½.

Pig iron warrants were unchanged at $9 50@10 50; Northern foundry, $15@16 50.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The cotton market, after opening steady at an advance of two points to a decline of two points, ruled generally firm on covering with the near positions leading in further manipulation of January contracts, which advanced that option 10 points, while the remainder of the list scored a gain of 1@7 points. There were intervals of weakness, but the market was finally quiet, closing with quotations 10 points higher to 3 points lower.

Portland's Business.

PORTLAND, Jan. 24.—Clearings, $273,905; balances, $61,784.

Northern Wheat Market.

OREGON.

PORTLAND, Jan. 24.—WHEAT—Unchanged; Walla Walla, 54½@55c; bluestem, 57c.

Cleared—Ship Lika, 100,378 bushels of barley and 18,428 bushels wheat for Queenstown; steamer Milos, 20,450 barrels of flour and 17,470 bushels of wheat for Hongkong.

Foreign wheat exports from Portland for the week ending to-day were 581,628 bushels.

WASHINGTON.

TACOMA, Jan. 24.—WHEAT—Steady and quiet; bluestem, 57c; club, 55c.

Foreign Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 24.—WHEAT—Steady; No. 1 California, 6s 4d; No. 2 red Western winter, 6s 1d; No. 1 Northern spring, 6s 3½d. Futures, steady: March, 6s ¾d; May, 6s 1½d.

CORN—Spot, quiet; American mixed, new, 3s 10¾d; American mixed, old, 3s 11¾d. Futures, steady; January, 3s 10¼d; March, 3s 9¾d; May, 3s 9½d.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Exchange and Bullion.

Sterling Exchange, 60 days	—	$4 84¾	
Sterling Exchange, sight	—	4 88½	
Sterling Cables	—	4 89¾	
New York Exchange, sight	—	17½	
New York Exchange, telegraphic	—	22½	
Fine Silver, per ounce	—	61⅞	
Mexican Dollars, nominal	50½	@	51

Wheat and Other Grains.

WHEAT—Liverpool was firm, Paris lower and New York higher.

Chicago was firm, owing to the lack of selling orders. The movement was fair, but decreasing. Winter Wheat was reported in good condition. Minneapolis millers reported the demand for Flour bad, but at the same time are taking all the cash Wheat they can grind, and are even taking it out of storage.

The United States Consul at Bremen reports the world's crop for 1900 at 300,000,000 bushels less than in 1899.

In this market futures were somewhat higher, but shipping quotations stood the same.

Spot Wheat—Shipping, 97½c; milling, $1@1 05 per ctl.

CALL BOARD SALES.

Informal Session—9:15 o'clock—No sales.

Second Session—May—2000 ctls, $1 03⅞; 8000, $1 04. December—2000, $1 07⅞; 14,000, $1 08.

Regular Morning Session—May—2000 ctls, $1 04¼; 4000, $1 04⅜; 14,000, $1 04½. December—6000, $1 08½.

Afternoon Session—May—4000 ctls, $1 04⅝. December—8000, $1 08½; 6000, $1 08⅝.

BARLEY—Offerings of the best grades of Feed are again light and the market is consequently firm.

Feed, 75c for choice bright, 72½@73¾c for No. 1 and 70c for off grades; Brewing and Shipping grades, 77½@82½c; Chevalier, nominal.

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Informal Session—9:15 o'clock—No sales.

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Regular Morning Session—No sales.

Afternoon Session—May—4000 ctls, 73c.

OATS—Arrival of another lot of 2500 ctls from the East, in transit to Honolulu for the army. Other lots are reported on the way.

The market continues as before, being quiet, but firmly held.

White, $1 30@1 50; Surprise, nominal; Red, $1 25@1 40 for Feed and $1 35@1 45 for Seed; Gray, nominal; Black, for Feed, $1 17½@1 20; for Seed, $1 25@1 30 per ctl.

CORN—Holders are asking higher prices, as arrivals have been light of late.

Yellow, $1 15; White, $1 15; Eastern mixed, $1 12½ per ctl.

RYE—85@87½c per ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—Quoted at $1 85 per ctl.

Flour and Millstuffs.

FLOUR—California Family Extras, $3 25@3 50, usual terms; Bakers' Extras, $3 15@3 25, Oregon, $2 75@2 85 per barrel for family and $2 75@3 for bakers'; Washington, bakers', $2 75@3.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows, usual discount to the trade: Graham Flour, $3 per 100 lbs; Rye Flour, $2 75; Rye Meal, $2 50; Rice Flour, $7; Corn Meal, $2 75; extra cream do, $3 50; Oat Groats, $4 50; Hominy, $3 50@3 75; Buckwheat Flour, $4@4 25; Cracked Wheat, $3 50; Farina, $4 50; Whole Wheat Flour, $3 25; Rolled Oats (barrels), $6@7 25; in sacks, $5 75@7; Pearl Barley, $5; Split Peas, $5; Green Peas, $5 50 per 100 lbs.

Hay and Feedstuffs.

Bran is firm at the advance already noted. Hay is steady at previous quotations, with sufficient receipts.

BRAN—$15@16 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—$16 50@19 50 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS — Rolled Barley, $16@17 per ton; Oilcake Meal, at the mill, $25@26; jobbing, $26 50; Cocoanut Cake, $17@18; Corn Meal, $25@25 50; Cracked Corn, $25 50@26; Mixed Feed, $15@16.

HAY—Volunteer, $5@8; Wheat, $11@13 50; Wheat and Oat, $10@12 50; Oat, $9@12; Clover, nominal; Alfalfa, $8@9 50; Barley, $7 50@9 50 per ton.

STRAW—35@47½c per bale.

Beans and Seeds.

Beans continue firmly held at unchanged quotations, and dealers report a fair movement.

BEANS—Bayos, $2 50@2 75; Small White, $4 60@4 90; Large White, $4@4 25; Pink, $2 15@2 35; Red, $3 25@3 50; Blackeye, $3@3 25; Limas, $5 60@5 70; Peas, cleaned up and nominal; Red Kidney, $3 75@4 per ctl.

SEEDS—Brown Mustard, nominal; Yellow Mustard, nominal; Flax, $2 50@3; Canary, 3½@3¾c for Eastern; Alfalfa, 7½@9½c; Rape, 2@2½c; Hemp, 3½@3¾c; Timothy, 6½c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $2@2 50; Green, $3 70@3 per ctl; Blackeye, nominal.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

Onions are again quoted easier. Fine Australian browns would bring over the quotations, but there are not enough coming in to quote.

Potatoes show little change. Sweet are weak at a slight decline.

Vegetables are bringing high prices, owing to light arrivals.

POTATOES—Early Rose, 65@75c; Burbanks, 35@45c for River and 55c@$1 15 per ctl for Salinas and 75c@$1 for Oregon; Garnet Chiles from Oregon, 85@90c; Sweets, 85c@$1 for Merced.

ONIONS—$1 85@2 10 per ctl; Cut Onions, $1 25@1 50 per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Rhubarb, ——; Asparagus, from Sacramento, 15@30c per lb; Green Peas, 5@6c per lb; String Beans, 10@15c; Cabbage, 90c; Tomatoes, Los Angeles, $1 50@3 per crate; Egg Plant, Los Angeles, 15c per lb; Green Peppers, Los Angeles, 10@12½c per lb for Chile and 15c for Bell; Dried Peppers, 8@11c; Dry Okra, 10@15c per lb; Carrots, 25@35c per box; Hothouse Cucumbers, $1 25@2 per dozen; Summer Squash, $2 per box; Garlic, 3½@4c per lb; Merrowfat Squash, $12@20 per ton; Mushrooms, 50@15c per lb.

Poultry and Game.

Though arrivals of Game were lighter than for some time, being only 95 shs, the market was dull and weak, as will be seen by the quotations.

Three cars of Eastern Poultry came in, making seven thus far this week, and sales were made at 9@12c for Turkeys, $5 50 for Ducks, Hens and Young Roosters, $2 25 for Geese and $4 50 for old Roosters.

Local Poultry continued weak and depressed.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, 10@11c for Gobblers and 11@13c for Hens; Dressed Turkeys, 12@13c; Geese, per pair, $1 75@2; Goslings, $1 75@2; Ducks, $4@6 for old and $5@6 50 for young; Hens, $3 50@4 50; Young Roosters, $4 50@5; Old Roosters, $3 50@4; Fryers, $4 50; Broilers, $4@4 50 for large and $3@3 50 for small; Pigeons, $1@1 25 per dozen for old and $2 25@2 75 for Squabs.

GAME—Quail, $1 for Valley and $2 for Mountain; Mallard, $3@3 50; Canvasback, $2@3; Sprig, $2 50; Teal, $1 50; Widgeon, $1 50; Small Duck, $1; Black Jack, $1 25; Gray Geese, $3@3 25; White Geese, $1@1 25; Brant, $1 50@1 75 for small and $2 for large; Honkers, $3@4 50; English Snipe, $2; Jack Snipe, $1 50; Hare, $1 25; Rabbits, $1@1 50 for Cottontail and $1 for Brush; Doves, 75c per dozen.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

Prices for everything stand the same. Creamery Butter is firm and the medium grades steady, but held goods continue irregular and unquotable, as dealers are selling at all sorts of prices.

Cheese and Eggs are both quoted steady, with moderate supplies and a fair demand.

Receipts as reported by the Dairy Exchange were 33,300 pounds Butter, 548 cases California Eggs, — cases Eastern Eggs, 12,934 pounds California Cheese and — pounds Eastern Cheese.

BUTTER—

Creamery—Extras, 20c; firsts, 18c; seconds, 17c.

Dairy—Extras, 17c; firsts, 15c; seconds, 14c; store, 12c.

Storage—Creamery extras, ——; firsts, ——; seconds, ——; dairy extras, ——.

Pickle, —— per pound.

Keg, —— per pound.

CHEESE—Fancy, full cream, 11¼c; choice, 10c; common, nominal; Young Americas, 12c; Eastern, full cream, 15@16½c per lb.

EGGS—

California ranch—Selected white, 27c; mixed colors, 25c per dozen.

California gathered—Selected, 25c; standard, 23c; seconds, ——.

Fresh Eastern—Fancy, ——; standard, ——; seconds, ——.

Storage—California fancy, ——; standard, ——; Eastern fancy, 20c; standard, ——; seconds, ——.

Deciduous and Citrus Fruits.

Seven cars of Oranges are announced for to-day's auction. All Citrus Fruits stand about the same, supplies being ample for all current needs.

Good Apples continue scarce and firm and would probably bring over the quotations. Bananas are as plentiful as ever.

DECIDUOUS FRUITS—

APPLES—35@65c per box for common and 75c @$1 50 for good to choice; Spitzenbergs, $1 25@1 75; Oregon Spitzenbergs, $1 50@1 75.

PEARS—50c@$1 50 per box.

CRANBERRIES—Wisconsins, $13 50 per barrel.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel Oranges, $1@2; Seedlings, 50c@$1; Tangerines, 75c@$1 25; Mandarins, 75c@$1; Lemons, 25c@$1 25 for common and $1 50@2 for good to choice; Grape Fruit, $1@2; Mexican Limes, $4 50@5; California Limes, 25@35c; Bananas, 50c@$1 50 per bunch; Pineapples, 75c@$2 per dozen.

Dried Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.

There may be nibbling at the market, but it is slight at best. Prices stand unchanged.

FRUITS—Prunes, Santa Claras, 4 sizes, 3c; 30-40s, 7c; 40-50s, 6¼c; 50-60s, 4¼c; 60-70s, 3¾c; 70-80s, 3¼c; 80-90s, 2¾c; 90-100s, 2¼c; 100-120s, 1½c; rubies, ¼c premium; Sonomas, ⅛c and San Joaquins ¼c less than Santa Claras, except 100 and over, which stand the same. Apricots, 6@8c for Royals and 10@10½c for Moorparks; Evaporated Apples, 4@5½c; sun-dried, 1½@2¾c; Peaches, 4@5c for standard, 5@6c for choice and 6½@7c for fancy; Pears, 2@7c; Plums, pitted, 5@6½c; unpitted, 1@1½c; Nectarines, 5@5½c for red and 5½@6c for white.

RAISINS—The Raisin Growers' Association has established the following prices: Bleached Thompson's fancy, 12c per lb; choice, 11c; standard, 10c; prime, 9c; unbleached Thompson's, 9c per lb. Sultanas—Fancy, 10¼c per lb; choice, 9½c; standard, 8¾c; prime, 8c; unbleached Sultanas, 8c; Seedless, 50-lb boxes, 6½c; 4-crown, 7c; 3-crown, 6½c; 2-crown, 6c. London Layers, 2-crown, $1 50 per box; 3-crown, $1 60; Fancy Clusters, $2; Dehesa, $2 50; Imperial, $3. All prices f. o. b. at common shipping points in California.

NUTS—Chestnuts, 9@10c per lb for Italian; hardshell, 10c; No. 2, 7½c; Almonds, 12@13c for papershell, 9@11c for softshell; Peanuts, 5@6c for Eastern; Brazil Nuts, 13c; Filberts, 13c; Pecans, 11@13c; Cocoanuts, $3 50@5.

HONEY—Comb, 13½@14½c for bright and 12½@13c for light amber; water white extracted, 7¾@8c; light amber extracted, 6½@7c; dark, 6@6½c per lb.

BEESWAX—24@26c per lb.

Provisions.

Hams are stong, but no higher.

CURED MEATS—Bacon, 11@11½c per lb for heavy, 11½@12c for light medium, 12½@13c for light, 13½@14c for extra light and 15@15½c for sugar-cured; Eastern sugar-cured Hams, 12c; Mess Beef, $12 per barrel; extra Mess, $13; Family, $14; extra Prime Pork, $15@15 50; extra clear, $19 50@20; Mess, $17; Smoked Beef, 13c per pound.

LARD—Tierces quoted at 6½@6¾c per lb for compound and 9c for pure; half-barrels, pure, 9½c; 10-lb tins, 9¾c; 5-lb tins, 9¾c.

COTTOLENE—One half-barrel, 8¼c; three half-barrels, 8c; one tierce, 7⅞c; two tierces, 7¾c; five tierces, 7¾c per lb.

Hides, Tallow, Wool and Hops.

Hides continue easy and in ample supply.

HIDES AND SKINS—Culls and brands sell about 1c under quotations. Heavy Salted Steers, 9½c; medium, 9c; light, 8@8½c; Cow Hides, 8½c for heavy and 8@8½c for light; Stags, 6@6½c; Salted Kip, 9c; Salted Veal, 9c; Salted Calf, 10c; Dry Hides, 15½c; Culls, 13½c; dry Kip, 15c; Dry Calf, 18@17c; Culls and brands, 14c; Sheepskins, shearlings, 20@30c each; short Wool, 30@55c each; medium, 60@75c; long Wool, 75c@$1 each; Horse Hides, salt, $2 50@2 75 for large and $2@2 25 for medium, $1@1 25 for small and 50c for colts; Horse Hides, dry, $1 75 for large, $1 50 for medium, $1 25 for small and 50c for colts. Deerskins—Summer or red skins, 35c; fall or medium skins, 30c; winter or thin skins, 20c. Goatskins—Prime Angoras, 75c; large and smooth, 50c; medium, 35c.

TALLOW—No. 1 rendered, 4¼@4½c per lb; No. 2, 3½c; grease, 2@2½c.

WOOL—Spring Clip is quotable as follows: Northern, free, 15@16c; Northern, defective, 12@14c; Middle County, free, 15@16c; Middle County, defective, 12@14c; Southern Mountain, 12 months, 9@10c