COMMERCIAL FINANCIAL

SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS.

Continued light trading on the stock exchanges.
Silver and Exchange about as before.
Wheat and Barley inactive here at previous quotations.
Not much fluctuation in Oats, Corn and Rye.
Bran lower. Middlings unchanged. Hay rather firm.
Nothing new in Beans and Seeds.
Butter, Cheese and Eggs about as before.
Dried Fruits continue quiet and unchanged.
Provisions slow and not over firm.
Wool, Hops and Hides as previously quoted.
Cattle, Sheep and Hogs in sufficient supply.
Linseed Oil marked down 6c per gallon.
Coal market well supplied and easy.
Potatoes and Onions in lighter receipt. Vegetables arriving heavily.
Poultry cleaning up well at firm prices.
Fruit market working around into better shape.

Weather Report.

(120th Meridian—Pacific Time.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22, 5 p. m.

STATIONS.	Barometer	Maximum Temperature	Minimum Temperature	Direction of Wind	State of Weather	Precipitation
Astoria	29.98	70	46	NW	Pt Cldy	.00
Baker	29.82	88	52	....	Clear	.00
Carson	29.84	86	48	W	Clear	.00
Eureka	29.98	62	52	N	Clear	.00
Fresno	29.70	98	56	NW	Clear	.00
Flagstaff	29.80	72	54	N	Cloudy	.98
Pocatello	29.84	86	50	W	Clear	.00
Independence	29.74	88	60	S	Clear	.00
Los Angeles	29.82	76	58	W	Clear	.00
Phoenix	29.64	100	78	SE	Cloudy	T.
Portland	29.88	80	56	NW	Clear	.00
Red Bluff	29.72	94	64	SE	Clear	.00
Roseburg	29.88	82	52	NE	Clear	.00
Sacramento	29.74	90	56	S	Clear	.00
Salt Lake	29.82	84	60	NW	Clear	.00
San Fran'co	29.86	66	56	W	Clear	.00
S. L. Obispo	29.88	72	48	W	Clear	.00
San Diego	29.80	70	64	NW	Clear	.00
Seattle	29.96	74	52	NW	Cloudy	.00
Spokane	29.80	88	54	W	Clear	.00
Neah Bay	29.98	60	52	NW	Pt Cldy	.10
Walla Walla	29.80	90	62	SW	Clear	.00
Winnemucca	29.78	86	50	NW	Clear	.00
Yuma	29.62	104	70	W	Clear	.00

WEATHER CONDITIONS AND GENERAL FORECAST.

The pressure has fallen steadily over the western half of the country. A depression of some depth overlies Arizona and will probably move northwestward. Rain has fallen at Flagstaff and Phoenix and conditions are favorable for rain in Southeastern California Saturday. The temperature has risen slowly generally on the coast.

Forecast made at San Francisco for 30 hours ending midnight August 23, 1902:

Northern California—Fair Saturday; warmer; light northerly winds in the interior; fresh westerly winds on the coast.

Southern California—Cloudy Saturday; probably showers in the mountains; light southwest winds.

Nevada—Fair Saturday; continued warm weather.

San Francisco and vicinity—Fair Saturday; fresh westerly winds.

ALEXANDER G. McADIE,
Forecast Official.

FRUIT AND WHEAT BULLETIN.

For twenty-four hours ending 5 p. m., 120th meridian time, San Francisco, August 22.

STATIONS.	Maximum Temperature	Minimum Temperature	Precipitation	State of Weather	Direction of Wind	Velocity
Chico	97	57	.00	Pt Cldy	S	..
Cloverdale	91	49	.00	....	....	..
Colusa	91	61	.00	....	....	..
Eureka	62	52	.00	Clear	N	10
Fresno	98	60	.00	Clear	NW	lt.
Hanford	97	53	.00	....	....	..
Hollister	82	46	.00	Lt. Fog	W	..
Independence	88	60	.00	Clear	S	12
King City	89	51	.00	Clear	N	..
Livermore	92	49	.00	....	....	..
Los Angeles	76	58	.00	Clear	W	8
Merced	96	53	.00	Clear	NW	..
Napa	86	56	.00	Clear	S	..
Newcastle	95	67	.00	....	....	..
Newman	98	54	.00	....	....	..
Palermo	95	55	.00	Clear	S	..
Porterville	99	52	.00	....	....	..
Red Bluff	94	64	.00	Clear	SE	lt.
Riverside	87	55	.00	....	....	..
Sacramento	90	56	.00	Clear	S	8
San Diego	70	64	.00	Clear	NW	8
San Francisco	66	56	.00	Clear	W	24
San Jose	86	49	.00	....	....	..
S. L. Obispo	72	56	.00	Clear	W	6
Santa Maria	75	57	.00	....	W	lt.
Stockton	87	63	.00	....	....	..
Willows	92	58	.00	Clear	S	..

WEATHER AND CROP CONDITIONS.

NAPA—Grapes ripening, good crop.
HOLLISTER—Hay about all baled, medium crop, excellent quality.
PALERMO—Mary's Choice peaches being dried.
COLUSA—Grain and fruit crop conditions unchanged.
MERCED—Sweet potatoes being shipped.
NEWMAN—Conditions unchanged.
STOCKTON—Grapes are doing nicely and show prospects of two-thirds crop.
HANFORD—Fruits of all kinds ripening slowly on account of cool weather; not moving yet.
LIVERMORE—Wine grapes ripe in four weeks, table grapes two weeks.
WILLOWS—Crop conditions unchanged.
SANTA ROSA—Crop conditions unchanged.
SAN JOSE—Prunes ripening fast; peaches ripening fast; apricots about gone.
CLOVERDALE—Grapes backward on account of cold weather.

A. G. McADIE,
Forecast Official.

EASTERN MARKETS.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—To-day's stock market rallied from yesterday's depression and closed materially higher than last night. There was a considerable contraction in the volume of the trading and it was late in the day when the disturbance in sentiment caused by yesterday's break in prices seemed entirely overcome. This was partly due to the evidence of continued liquidation in Colorado Fuel, which it was feared was creating a necessity to unload stocks elsewhere in the market. The appearance of support in that stock and its rally to more than a point over last night was an important factor in reassuring sentiment and its effect was emphasized by the renewed strength in Louisville and Nashville, which was supposed to be related in a speculative way to the movement in Colorado Fuel. The points of strength in the early part of the day were somewhat scattered and might be attributed to special causes. In the late dealings the strength became more general and the market broadened out under the influence of a 2-point rise in Southern Pacific. The explanation of the strength in this stock was not obvious beyond the fact that the speculative leader who has made this stock a favorite of late years is now due to arrive from Europe. Ontario and Western continued its advance with a rumor that it was being sought by the Canadian Pacific as a connecting link with New York City, thus supplementing rumors of the Canadian Pacific's purpose to enter Chicago, which were subsequently denied. The firmness of Western Union continued to excite remark and conjecture as to a possible combination of telegraph interests. When Colorado Fuel made its recovery there was a fairly general advance among the independent iron and steel companies from which the United States Steel stocks were conspicuous exceptions, the movements of the latter being restricted to narrow fractions. The grangers, Pacific and Southwesterns quite generally participated in the late movement in Southern Pacific. The reaction in the wheat market helped this movement. Yesterday's flurry on corn while with no bearing on coming crops is significant of the very small movement of the tale end of last year's crop which has been reflected in late returns of gross earnings of railroads in the corn territory. The freedom from flurry in the money market, with the demand for loans to carry over until Monday had a reassuring effect and aroused hopes that the bank statement to-morrow would show a strengthened condition. If this proves to be the case it must be by reason of loan contraction by transfers of credits to the trust companies and to foreign lenders. The interior currency movement seems still to be slightly in favor of New York. The advancing quotations for Government bonds are proved to be due to the expectation that the treasury may take early steps for the relief of the money market, either by increasing deposits with the banks or by redemption of bonds.

Bonds were firm in sympathy with stocks. Total sales, par value, $1,370,000.

United States refunding 2s, the old 4s and the 3s advanced ¼ per cent on the last call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Stocks—	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchison	10,700	92⅞	92	92⅝
Atchison pfd	400	102¼	102	102⅛
Balt & Ohio	6,100	110	109⅛	109¾
Balt & Ohio pfd	100	95	95	95
Canadian Pacific	5,600	139⅜	138¾	139
Canada Southern	600	90	90	89
Ches & Ohio	4,900	54½	53⅝	54
Chi & Alton	2,300	44½	43½	43⅞
Chi & Alton pfd	100	76⅜	76⅜	76
Chi Ind & Louis	.....	....	....	74
Chi Ind & L pfd	.....	....	....	88
Chi & East Ill	.....	....	....	214
Chi & Gt West	5,900	34½	34¼	34⅜
Chi & Gt W A pfd	.....	....	....	89½
Chi & Gt W B pfd	1,300	50½	49¾	49¾
Chi & NW	200	240	240	240¼
Chi R I & Pac	1,100	184	182¾	183½
Chi Term & Trans	900	23¾	23	23½
Chi Term & T pfd	500	41½	41	41¼
Colo Southern	600	34	34	33⅞
Colo So 1st pfd	300	78½	78½	78
Colo So 2d pfd	1,800	52½	51⅝	51¾
Del & Hudson	700	179	178½	179
Del Lack & West	.....	....	....	276
Den & Rio Grande	18,800	50¼	49	49½
D & R G pfd	8,700	96	95¼	95⅝
Erie	7,000	40⅜	39¾	40
Erie 1st pfd	1,700	69½	69	69¼
Erie 2d pfd	800	54⅞	54¼	54½
Gt Northern pfd	100	196	196	196
Hocking Valley	1,200	101	100	101
Hocking Valley pfd	.....	....	....	93½
Illinois Central	1,400	168½	168	168½
Iowa Central	2,800	51⅜	50⅜	50¾
Iowa Central pfd	200	88	87⅞	87½
K C Southern	2,500	38¼	37	37⅞
K C Southern pfd	500	60¼	59¾	59
Lake Erie & West	.....	....	....	65
Lake Erie & W pfd	.....	....	....	123
Louis & Nash	17,800	156⅜	154¾	156
Manhattan L	2,700	135¼	134⅝	134¾
Met Street Ry	200	147¼	147	147¼
Mexican Central	100	29½	29½	29½
Mexican National	2,500	20	19¾	19¾
Minn & St Louis	100	113¼	113¼	113
Missouri Pacific	12,600	117⅛	115⅞	116⅞
Mo Kans & Texas	1,500	32⅝	32⅛	32⅝
M K & T pfd	1,100	65	64½	65
N J Central	.....	....	....	184
N Y Central	800	164	163½	163⅞
Norfolk & Western	8,000	70⅞	70⅛	70⅝
Nor & West pfd	.....	....	....	90
Ontario & Western	55,800	36¼	35⅜	36
Pennsylvania	6,100	160⅜	159½	160⅛
Reading	16,100	68⅜	67⅝	68
Reading 1st pfd	700	86⅜	86½	86¾
Reading 2d pfd	4,600	74½	73⅞	74
S L & S F	700	80	79	80
S L & S F 1st pfd	.....	....	....	86
S L & S F 2d pfd	200	77½	77	77
St Louis SW	700	38½	37⅞	38⅛
St Louis SW pfd	3,800	78⅜	77½	78⅜
St Paul	8,800	185⅞	184⅜	185
St Paul pfd	.....	....	....	193
Southern Pacific	65,300	75⅛	72⅞	75
Southern Railway	13,600	40⅞	40¼	40⅜
Southern Ry pfd	800	98¼	98	98
Texas & Pacific	10,400	53½	52¼	52
Toledo St L & W	6,900	30¾	30¼	30¼
T St L & W pfd	4,200	48⅜	48	48
Union Pacific	15,200	109	108	108⅜
Union Pacific pfd	200	92⅞	92⅝	92⅝
Wabash	1,800	33½	32⅝	33¼
Wabash pfd	3,800	48½	48	48⅛
Wheel & Lake Erie	8,000	27⅛	26⅞	27⅝
Wheel & L E 2d pfd	5,400	40⅜	39½	40½
Wisconsin Central	2,400	30	29¼	29⅝
Wisconsin Cent pfd	1,800	54⅞	54¼	54
Express companies—				
Adams	.....	....	....	210
American	.....	....	....	251
United States	300	139¾	138	139½
Wells-Fargo	.....	....	....	230
Miscellaneous—				
Amalg Copper	3,100	66⅛	65½	66
Am Car & Foundry	1,400	34½	34	34¼
Am Car & Foun pfd	.....	....	....	92
Am Linseed Oil	1,500	24½	22¾	24⅛
Am Linseed Oil pf	.....	....	....	50
Am Locomotive	1,100	32¾	32¼	32⅝
Am Locomotive pf	600	94	93¾	93¾
Am Smelt & Refin	100	46¼	46¼	46¼
Am Smelt & R pfd	300	97½	97½	97
Anaconda Min Co	300	103½	102¼	103
Brooklyn Rap Tran	2,100	67¼	66½	66¾
Colo Fuel & Iron	47,500	77½	73¾	77⅛
Consolidated Gas	2,200	223⅜	222⅛	223
Continental Tob pf	100	122	122	122
General Electric	900	187¼	187	186
Hocking Coal	600	21½	19⅞	19¾
Internatnl Paper	700	20⅞	20¾	20¼
Internatnl Pap pfd	100	74¾	74¾	74
Laclede Gas	.....	....	....	85
National Biscuit	200	48	48	47¾
National Lead	1,300	25¼	24½	25⅛
North American	300	124¾	122¼	124½
Pacific Coast	1,200	76	74½	74½
Pacific Mail	600	44	43⅛	44
People's Gas	900	104½	104¼	104¼
Pressed Steel Car	2,100	51½	50	50¾
Pressed St Car pfd	.....	....	....	87½
Pullman Pal Car	.....	....	....	240
Republic Steel	15,600	21½	20	20⅞
Republic Steel pfd	2,800	78⅜	77	77½
Sugar	8,900	133⅜	132¼	132¾
Tenn Coal & Iron	10,300	70⅝	68½	70
Union Bag & Paper	.....	....	....	14¼
Union Bag & P pfd	.....	....	....	79⅜
U S Leather	800	13⅛	13	13
U S Leather pfd	100	87⅛	87⅛	86⅞
U S Rubber	100	16	16	16
U S Rubber pfd	.....	....	....	55
U S Steel	12,900	41¼	40⅞	41
U S Steel pfd	5,500	90¼	90	90
Western Union	62,700	95⅝	94¾	95

Total sales.....625,000

NEW YORK BONDS.

U S ref 2s, reg	107¾	L & N uni 4s	101¼
Do coup	107¾	Mexican Cent 4s	82
U S 3s, reg	105¾	Do 1st inc	32⅛
Do coup	105¾	Minn & St. L 4s	106
U S new 4s, reg	132¾	M, K & T 4s	100¼
Do coup	132¾	Do 2ds	84⅝
U S old 4s, reg	108¾	N Y Cent 1sts	101⅝
Do coup	108¾	Do gen 3½s	107
U S 5s, reg	104½	N J Cent gen 5s	136
Do coup	104½	Northern Pac 4s	104
Atchison gen 4s	103¾	Do 3s	74¾
Do adj 4s	96⅝	Nor & W con 4s	102
Baltimore & O 4s	103⅝	Reading gen 4s	98⅜
Do 3½s	95	S L & I M con 5s	116
Do conv 4s	111	St L & S F 4s	98½
Can South 2ds	110½	St L S W 1sts	99½
Cent of Geor 5s	111	Do 2ds	90
Do 1st inc	79	S A & A P 4s	88½
Ches & Ohio 4½s	108¼	South Pac 4s	94⅝
Chi & Alton 3½s	82	South Railway 5s	121½
C B & Q new 4s	95⅞	Texas & Pac 1sts	120
C M St P gen 4s	112⅛	T St L & W 4s	83¾
C & N W Con 7s	134	Union Pac 4s	104½
C R I & P 4s	109⅛	Do conv 4s	109½
CCC & S L gen 4s	102	Wabash 1sts	119
Chicago Term 4s	89½	Do 2ds	108½
Col & South 4s	94⅝	Do deb B	77⅝
Den & R G 4s	102	West Shore 4s	112⅝
Erie prior lien 4s	99¾	W & L E 4s	97
Erie gen 4s	86½	Wis Cent 4s	93
Ft W & D C 1sts	114	Con Tob 4s	64¾
Hocking Val 4½s	109⅝		

NEW YORK MINING STOCKS.

Adams Con	20	Little Chief	11
Alice	30	Ontario	8 25
Breece	50	Ophir	1 00
Brunswick Con	06	Phoenix	06
Comstock Tunnel	05	Potosi	15
Con Cal & Va	1 15	Savage	06
Horn Silver	1 25	Sierra Nevada	12
Iron Silver	80	Small Hopes	35
Leadville Con	05	Standard	3 45

BOSTON STOCKS AND BONDS.

Money—		Mining—	
Call loans	4 @5	Adventure	21
Time loans	4½@5	Allouez	2½
Bonds—		Amalgamated	66
Atchison 4s	102	Daly West	51
Gas 1sts	98	Bingham	30
Mexican Cen 4s	82	Calumet & Hecla	532
Railroads—		Centennial	17¾
Atchison	92⅝	Copper Range	56½
Do pfd	102⅛	Dominion Coal	139
Boston & Albany	262	Franklin	10½
Boston & Maine	200½	Isle Royale	13
N Y N H & H	232	Mohawk	45
Fitchburg pfd	144	Old Dominion	17½
Union Pacific	108¾	Osceola	55
Mexican Central	29¼	Parrot	26¼
Miscellaneous—		Quincy	125
American Sugar	132⅞	Santa Fe Copper	1½
Do pfd	120½	Tamarack	172
Amer Tel & Tel	173½	Trimountain	94
Dom I & Steel	76	Trinity	11½
Mass Electric	40	United States	20¾
Do pfd	97	Utah	20¼
United Fruit	112½	Victoria	5⅞
U S Steel	41	Winona	5
Do pfd	90	Wolverine	27
Westinghse com	30	United Copper	34½

LONDON CLOSING STOCKS.

Con for money	95 3-16	N Y Central	167½
Con for account	95 3-16	Norf & West	72⅛
Anaconda	5¼	Do pfd	94
Atchison	94¼	Ontario & West	36
Do pfd	104⅝	Pennsylvania	82
Balt & Ohio	111¾	Reading	34⅞
Canadian Pacific	142¼	Do 1st pfd	43¾
Chesap & Ohio	55¼	Do 2d pfd	37½
Chicago G W	35	Southern Ry	41⅜
Chi Mil & St P	190	Do pfd	100½
Denver & R G	50¾	Southern Pacific	74⅞
Do pfd	97⅝	Union Pacific	110⅝
Erie	40⅞	Do pfd	94¾
Do 1st pfd	70⅝	U S Steel	41⅞
Do 2d pfd	55	Do pfd	92¼
Illinois Central	172	Wabash	33¼
Louis & Nash	160	Do pfd	49
M K & Texas	32⅞	Spanish 4s	81⅝
Do pfd	64½		

Bar silver, quiet, 24 3-16d per ounce. Money, 2½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2⅝ per cent and for three months' bills is 2¾ per cent.

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended August 21, with the percentage of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

Cities—	Amount.	Percentage. Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,376,898,625	33.7	....
Chicago	146,724,322	5.6	....
Boston	120,543,175	1.2	....
Philadelphia	105,842,039	....	10.0
St. Louis	41,536,405	3.5	....
Pittsburg	37,024,303	15.0	....
Baltimore	25,978,050	40.6	....
San Francisco	24,930,029	29.0	....
Cincinnati	21,119,550	23.4	....
Kansas City	20,620,862	14.2	....
Cleveland	16,373,573	15.4	....
Minneapolis	10,847,896	34.7	....
New Orleans	10,083,257	33.9	....
Detroit	9,024,372	....	15.9
Louisville	8,822,072	11.0	....
Indianapolis	9,240,237	19.0	....
Providence	5,649,000	5.9	....
Omaha	6,366,964	8.8	....
Milwaukee	6,594,608	1.5	....
Buffalo	5,700,291	4.2	....
St. Paul	5,218,982	27.8	....
St. Joseph	4,091,668	....	17.6
Denver	4,503,945	0.8	....
Richmond	3,913,610	33.0	....
Savannah	3,163,155	14.9	....
Salt Lake City	3,426,059	....	2.4
Albany	2,703,477	....	4.0
Los Angeles	4,138,035	51.6	....
Memphis	1,675,587	....	11.4
Fort Worth	2,807,532	25.1	....
Seattle	3,740,217	26.0	....
Washington	2,849,645	66.7	....
Hartford	2,210,691	15.6	....
Peoria	2,662,008	22.0	....
Toledo	3,078,870	44.3	....
Portland, Ore	2,631,185	28.5	....
Rochester	1,949,166	18.9	....
Atlanta	1,940,206	16.0	....
Des Moines	1,943,281	26.8	....
New Haven	1,515,585	9.8	....
Worcester	1,650,772	16.9	....
Nashville	1,514,728	17.0	....
Springfield, Mass.	1,422,059	13.7	....
Norfolk	1,360,774	16.8	....
Grand Rapids	1,494,589	8.4	....
Scranton	912,758	....	....
Portland, Me.	1,293,330	14.8	....
Sioux City	1,596,296	51.5	....
Augusta	668,428	....	....
Syracuse	1,226,623	13.6	....
Dayton, O.	1,420,179	26.4	....
Tacoma	1,496,689	42.0	....
Spokane	1,461,626	43.5	....
Topeka	1,123,634	....	5.9
Davenport	728,952	....	14.6
Wilmington, Del.	1,225,413	42.4	....
Evansville	1,204,446	40.6	....
Birmingham	836,673	9.8	....
Fall River	828,066	24.8	....
Macon	496,000	....	31.8
Little Rock	810,922	50.0	....
Helena	566,053	4.2	....
Knoxville	962,798	76.8	....
Lowell	487,508	7.2	....
Akron	578,500	....	....
Wichita	558,707	1.4	....
Springfield, Ill.	502,834	....	7.0
Lexington	358,094	....	1.6
New Bedford	543,795	35.7	....
Chattanooga	568,463	38.0	....
Youngstown	618,532	52.9	....
Kalamazoo	502,984	31.0	....
Fargo	312,680	25.8	....
Binghamton	275,800	....	2.4
Rockford	323,761	4.5	....
Canton	436,000	35.3	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	317,520	8.1	....
Springfield, Ohio.	258,483	....	....
Chester	332,386	16.8	....
Quincy	304,620	....	....
Bloomington	236,746	....	11.6
Sioux Falls	215,878	21.4	....
Jacksonville, Ill.	209,865	21.5	....
Fremont	161,481	10.2	....
†Houston	9,266,576	30.9	....
†Galveston	5,738,000	....	6.4
†Columbus, O.	7,579,100	20.6	....
§Wheeling	780,875	49.7	....
§Wilkesbarre	557,033	....	29.2
Decatur	244,974	....	....
Utica	2,155,186	....	....
Totals, U. S.	$2,105,495,356	22.9	....
Outside N. Y.	728,596,731	6.7	....
CANADA.			
Montreal	$23,483,809	49.0	....
Toronto	14,575,971	31.3	....
Winnipeg	3,624,522	55.4	....
Halifax	1,570,128	....	10.4
Vancouver, B. C.	1,085,586	8.7	....
Hamilton	846,669	13.8	....
St. John, N. B.	832,362	....	5.5
Victoria, B. C.	665,433	28.1	....
§Quebec	1,270,912	13.6	....
Ottawa	2,109,238	....	....
Totals, Canada.	$47,955,374	36.2	....

†Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.
§Not included in totals because of no comparison for last year.

London Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The Commercial Advertiser's London cablegram says:

Realizations on the eve of the settlement caused a dullness in trading. The American department was much quieter. The reaction in New York is bringing local speculators to a sudden halt. Prices opened around parities and hardened on Wall street buying of the coalers. Denver and Rio Grande and Southern Railway. In the street prices sagged again. Consols sold at 95¼, Rio Tintos slumped to 42⅞ on the poor dividend outlook. Of the one year treasury bills £1,000,000 have been allotted to an average of just over 2⅞ per cent.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Close: Money on call, steady at 3½@4 per cent; closing bid and asked, 3@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4¾@5 per cent. Sterling exchange, easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87.15 for demand and at $4 84.30 for sixty days. Posted rates, $4 85@4 85½ and $4 88. Commercial bills, $4 83¾@4 84¼. Bar silver, 52⅝. Mexican dollars, 41¼. Government bonds, strong; State bonds, inactive; railroad bonds, firm.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—To-day's statement of the Treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $204,852,894; gold, $106,121,553.

Bradstreet's on Trade.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will says:

"Trade developments are still largely favorable, fall jobbing activity being widespread and reports as to collections being more uniformly encouraging than for a long time past. Weather conditions have not been altogether favorable to corn at the North or cotton at the South, but decadence in crop prospects is largely a matter of trade sentiment reflecting unanimous reaction from earlier buoyant agricultural prospects. Industrial activity has never been surpassed, and what checks are noted are either, as in the case of anthracite coal stoppage, of an ancient date, or, as in the case of furnace shut-downs in the iron and steel trades, the results of superabundant railroad traffic curtailing fuel supplies. Harvesting, except of corn, has been completed, except in the more northern sections, and results in these latter respects are more or less secure. The high prices of cattle, sheep, hogs and produce are tempting and inducing large shipments, which seem destined to cause a natural downward drift in prices.

"Fall trade is now in full swing at most of the leading centers. Buying of dry goods, shoes, clothing and millinery is liberal. Some sections, particularly the Southwest, report the best trade in years. But withal there is a tone of conservatism which tends to prevent speculation and any excess which may result in overloading.

"Almost uniformly good reports as to collections come not only from the West and Northwest, but from many parts of the South, where trade is picking up.

"Some shading of the rosy crop conditions noted for some time past is reported in telegrams to Bradstreet's. Spring wheat harvesting has been interfered with in some cases by rain, but final promise has not been materially impaired.

"Raw wool is rather firmer on the whole, based on moderate stocks, the activity of the mills on fall trade account and the freedom with which buyers of men's wear material for spring delivery are taking hold.

"Lack of fuel threatens to make the shortage in the pigiron acute, hardware is in exceptional demand as heretofore, and machinery manufacturers are very generally crowded to keep up with orders.

"Wheat and flour exports for the week ending August 21 aggregate 5,954,759 bushels, against 4,391,805 bushels last week and 6,606,989 in this week last year. Wheat exports since July 1 aggregate 32,944,767 bushels, against 50,608,987 bushels last season.

"Business failures for the week ending August 21 number 181, as against 181 last week, and 181 in this week last year. Canadian failures number 26 this week, as against 23 last year."

Dun's Review of Trade.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade to-morrow will say:

Fuel scarcity is still the one serious industrial handicap. Protracted idleness at anthracite mines increased the pressure for soft coal and coke, and despite the new records of output deliveries are utterly inadequate, owing to the lack of motor power. Freight blockade of coke trains has closed many furnaces, while the increasing call for transporting facilities on crop account gives little prospect of early relief. Notwithstanding the congestion, railway earnings thus far reported for August show gains of 3.4 per cent over last year, and 17 per cent over 1900. Weather conditions have been less uniformly favorable for agricultural products, yet no severe loss is reported. Current trade is of good volume for the season, while the outlook for the future is bright. Buyers are more numerous in all the leading markets, placing orders liberally at well sustained quotations.

As the active blast furnace capacity of this country decreases through want of fuel, foreign pig iron is purchased more freely, and Scotch warrants have advanced by reason of the steady demand.

Textile mills are well occupied, business gradually increasing in the cotton goods division and demand for quick delivery shows that stocks are low.

New lines of lightweight woolens and worsteds for spring wear are now fully opened, and buyers are placing much business. Footwear shops at the East have assurance of full operation for two months, although there is much complaint of quotations in connection with the sensational movement of the material. Packer hides at Chicago have attained new high record prices, and oak sole leather has advanced.

Staple products average somewhat higher in prices, owing to less uniformly good news from the agricultural sections. No serious disaster occurred, but excessive rain retarded the development of grain and interrupted harvesting. In many cases where the date of maturity has been postponed there is always a possibility of injury from earlier frosts. The other extreme of weather caused complaint at the South, drouth being in evidence at many points. On the other hand, there were good reports of early cotton picking, especially in Oklahoma. Coffee recovered from within an eighth of the lowest point on record, rumors of frost in Brazil proving more potent than overwhelming supplies.

Failures for the week numbered 207 in the United States, against 205 last year, and 30 in Canada, against 37 a year ago.

New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—FLOUR—Receipts, 12,700 barrels; exports, 19,021 barrels. Fairly active and firm on spring wheat grades.

WHEAT—Receipts, 48,500 bushels; exports, 163,900 bushels. Spot, quiet. No. 2 red, 76c elevator; No. 2 red, 77@77⅛c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 83c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 87¼c f. o. b. afloat. After an early spurt in September, owing to higher cables and unfavorable grading West, wheat declined under general realizing. In the last hour it rallied again, influenced by predictions of showers in the Dakotas and on late covering, but finally gave way and closed at ⅛@¼c lower. May, 74 7-16@74⅞c, closed 74⅝c; September, 75@75 15-16c, closed 75¼c; December, 72⅝@75¼c, closed 72⅞c.

HOPS—Firm.
WOOL—Quiet.
HIDES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio, firm; No. 7 invoice, 5⅞c; mild, steady; Cordova, 8@11½c. Futures closed 15@20 points higher. Total sales, 187,000 bags, including: August, 5.30@5.40c; September, 5.30@5.40c; October, 5.30@5.40c; November, 5.40@5.55c; December, 5.55@5.60c; January, 5.55@5.60c; March, 5.70@5.80c; April, 5.80@5.85c; May, 5.80@5.90c; June, 5.85@6c; July, 5.95@6c.

SUGAR—Raw, steady. Fair refining, 2⅞c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅜c; molasses sugar, 2⅝c; refined, steady.

DRIED FRUITS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—New crop supplies of evaporated apples are arriving in small quantities, but little business is reported and values are not yet established. Old apples are quiet and nominal at 9@10c for common to good; prime, 10¼@10¾c; choice, 11@11¼c; fancy, 11½@12c.

Spot prunes strong and in demand with prices hardening, 3⅞@7½c for all grades.

Apricots unchanged, 7@9½c in boxes; 6¾@7½c in bags.

Peaches quiet; peeled 12@16c; unpeeled, 9½@10½c.

Chicago Grain Market.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—St. Louis shorts had sent orders for heavy covering at the opening of corn to-day. Prices would have gone easily to 60 cents or more had it not been that the big longs were competing with each other to unload on the unfortunate outsiders. This willingness on the part of the bulls to sell at fancy figures, however, did not prevent an excited and much higher opening. September corn started ¼@1c up at 57¼@58c and with wide fluctuations jumped to 59⅜c. Here big quantities came out and soon 1,000,000 bushels or more had been turned over to the shorts. This broke prices badly and as soon as it was thought the short interest had been eliminated September touched 55½c. Every bid or sale made a quick change of from ¼@1c in the market price. September trading throughout the entire session was sensational. Influential houses had December for sale, but the early advances in September sustained the latter month. Conditions that usually rule the pit were hardly considered. Near the close September rallied and December fell off, September closing steady and unchanged at 57c, and December ⅞c down at 42⅛c. Receipts were only 28 cars, six of contract grade. Except that the weather map was almost perfect, most of the early news in wheat favored buyers. Cables were strong on the reports of frosts and dry weather in Argentina. Receipts were lighter and contract grading was very small. Above all shorts were frightened, both at the advance in wheat and the tumult in the corn pit. St. Louis was heavily short and wanted over 1,000,000 bushels. The result was an excited opening with September ¼@⅜c to ⅞@1c higher at 71⅞@72½c. After the rush of buying orders was over brokers let go freely, the crowd followed, and prices broke to 70⅞c. One of the factors was the falling off in the cash demand with Minneapolis and cash premiums off 2½c from yesterday's figures. Much of the early heavy selling was by a prominent elevator concern that has had September options congested for some time. After the whipsawing process had shaken out many of the tailers there was a fair rally. September, however, closed rather weak, ⅛@¼c down at 71⅜c.

Selling for a leading bull caused weakness in oats. Even the great strength early in wheat and corn had little effect and after a little spurt prices fell back. September closed weak, 1@1⅛c down at 33⅜c.

Provisions advanced early on a better hog market and outside buying. Later longs unloaded generally and the liquidation caused declines in all the list. September pork and lard closed 20c down, ribs 10c off.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat No. 2—				
September	72½	72½	70⅞	71⅜
December	68⅛	68⅛	67¼	67½
May	70	70	69⅜	69⅝
Corn No. 2—				
September	59	59⅜	55½	57
December	43¼	43¼	41½	42⅛
May	40⅜	40⅞	39¼	39⅝
Oats No. 2—				
September, old.	28	28	27	27⅜
September, new	34¾	34¾	33	33⅜
December, new.	31	31⅛	30	30½
May	31⅛	31⅛	30⅝	30½
Mess pork, per barrel—				
September	16 95	16 97½	16 65	16 65
October	17 02½	17 10	16 80	16 80
January	14 80	14 87½	14 52½	14 52½
Lard, per 100 pounds—				
September	11 00	11 00	10 77½	10 77½
October	9 95	9 97½	9 65	9 70
January	8 45	8 52½	8 32½	8 35
Short ribs, per 100 pounds—				
September	10 12½	10 17½	9 97½	10 02½
October	9 75	9 82½	9 67½	9 75
January	7 72½	7 72½	7 60	7 60

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, steady: No. 2 spring wheat, 73@74c; No. 3, 69c; No. 2 red, 70⅞@72½c; No. 2 oats, 29c; No. 3 white, 34@37c; No. 2 rye, 51c; fair to choice malting barley, 50@63c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 40; No. 1 Northwestern, $1 45; prime timothy seed, $4 50@4 65; mess pork, per barrel, $16 55@16 60; lard, per 100 pounds, $10 65@10 67½; short ribs sides (loose), $9 85@9 90; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 8¾@8⅞c; short clear sides (boxed), 10⅜@10⅞c; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 31; clover, contract grade, $9 10.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	15,000	19,000
Wheat, bushels	286,000	320,000
Corn, bushels	56,000	52,400
Oats, bushels	312,000	310,000
Rye, bushels	28,000	....
Barley, bushels	43,000	....

On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was weak; creameries, 14@18½c; dairies, 13½@17c. Cheese, easy, 10@10¾c. Eggs, easier; fresh, 17¼c.

Foreign Futures.

LIVERPOOL.

Wheat—	Sept.	Dec.
Opening	6 ½	5 11¼
Closing	6 1	5 11⅛

PARIS.

Wheat—	Aug.	Nov.-Feb.
Opening	22 15	20 30
Closing	22 15	20 30
Flour—		
Opening	30 50	26 35
Closing	3045	26 45

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Domestic metal markets were quiet and in the case of tin and copper easy. Tin declined 20 points on the inside price, spot at the close being quoted at $28 30@28 50; the English markets suffered a break of 15s, spot closing at £125 and futures at £122.

In copper there was little doing locally and prices showed no important changes. Standard spot closed $10 85@11 25; lake, $11 50@11 70; electrolytic, $11 35@11 45, and casting $11 35@11 40.

The foreign price was dropped 2s 6d to £51 13s 9d for spot and to £52 for futures.

Dullness ruled the lead market both domestic and foreign, neither showing a change. The local price was $4 12½ and London quoted at £11 2s 6d.

Spelter was firm with moderate business reported. Spot closed at $5 50.

The English market was steady and unchanged at £18 17s 6d.

Iron prices remained as last quoted for domestic supplies, the market having a firm undertone. Warrants were still nominal. No. 1 foundry Northern, $23@25; No. 2 foundry Northern, $22@23; No. 1 foundry Southern, $22@23; No. 1 foundry Southern soft, $22@23.

English iron markets were quiet. Glasgow closed at 57s 7d and Middlesboro at 53s 1½d.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Cotton futures opened steady with prices 10@15 points lower and closed steady with prices net unchanged to 11 points higher.

Eastern Livestock Market.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2000. Slow, steady. Good to prime steers nominal, $8@8 75; poor to medium, $4 75@7 50; stockers and feeders, $2 50@5 25; cows, $1 50@5 50; heifers, $2 25@6; canners, $1 50@2 50; bulls, $2 25@5; calves, $2 50@7; Texas fed steers, $3@5; Western steers, $4 50@6.

HOGS—Receipts to-day, 18,000; to-morrow, 10,000; left over, 2000. Excited and 10@15c higher. Mixed and butchers, $6 75@7 50; good to choice heavy, $7 15@7 55; rough heavy, $6 50@7 10; light, $6 75@7 40; bulk of sales, $7@7 35.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7000. Sheep steady; lambs steady. Good to choice wethers, $3 50@4; fair to choice mixed, $2 50@3 50; Western sheep, $2 25@3 85; natives, $3 25@6; Western lambs, $4 50@6.

ST. JOSEPH.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1790. Steady to strong. Natives, $4 50@8 35; cows and heifers, $1 75@6; veals, $3@6; bulls and stags, $2 50@6; stockers and feeders, $3@5 50.

HOGS—Receipts, 3200. 10c higher. Light and light mixed, $7@7 20; medium and heavy, $7 07½@7 30; pigs, $3 75@6 75; bulk of sales, $7 12½@7 25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2900. Market 5@10c lower. Slow, steady.

Northern Business.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 22.—Clearings, $553,497; balances, $152,210.

PORTLAND, Or., Aug. 22.—Clearings, $378,806; balances, $54,548.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 22.—Clearings, $240,510; balances, $37,182.

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 22.—Clearings, $216,062; balances, $17,984.

Northern Wheat Market.

OREGON.

PORTLAND, Aug. 22.—WHEAT—Nominal; Walla Walla, 61c; blue stem, 63c.

WASHINGTON.

TACOMA, Aug. 22.—WHEAT—Unchanged; blue stem, 62c; club, 60c.

Foreign Markets.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—Consols, 95; silver, 24 3-16d; French rentes, 100f 90c; wheat cargoes on passage, quiet and steady; English country markets, firm.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 22.—Wheat, strong; No. 1 standard California, 6s 5d@6s 5½d; French country markets, firm.

COTTON—Uplands, 4 27-32d.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Exchange and Bullion.

Sterling Exchange, 60 days	—	$4 85
Sterling Exchange, sight	—	4 87¾
Sterling Cables	—	4 88¾
New York Exchange, sight	—	5
New York Exchange, telegraphic	—	7½
Silver, per ounce	—	52⅝
Mexican Dollars, nominal	—	45½

Wheat and Other Grains.

WHEAT—The foreign markets remained quiet, with no changes worthy of note. Broomhall cabled that rains had broken the drought in Russia and that better reports of the Roumanian crop were being received.

Chicago advanced ½c, but fell back again. St. Louis reported the market firm, with a good cash demand and the crowd all short. Minneapolis wired that receipts at country elevators were almost nothing. Bradstreet's gave the exports of Wheat and Flour for the week at 6,000,000 bushels, which is larger than the movement has been of late.

This market continued quiet and unchanged.

Spot Wheat—Shipping, $1 12½@1 15; milling, $1 17½@1 20 per ctl.

CALL BOARD SALES.

Informal Session—9:15 o'clock—No sales.
Second Session—December — 14,000 ctls, $1 13⅛; 16,000, $1 13¼.
Regular Morning Session—No sales.
Regular Afternoon Session—May—2000 ctls, $1 15½.

BARLEY—There is no further decline, but the market rules dull and featureless.

Feed, 92½@95c; brewing and shipping grades, 97½c@$1 02½; Chevalier, $1 20 for standard.

CALL BOARD SALES.

Informal Session—9:15 o'clock—No sales.
Second Session—December—2000 ctls, 93c.
Regular Morning Session—No sales.
Regular Afternoon Session—December—2000 ctls, 93½c.

OATS—Dealers continue to quote a dull and featureless market. Black, to arrive, 95c@$1 10 per ctl; Oregon White, $1 30; Red, $1@1 12½ for common to choice and $1 15@1 17½ for fancy.

CORN—Chicago continued to fluctuate violently, September rising from 57c to 59c, falling back to 55¾c and recovering to 57c.

In this market large yellow was held rather more firmly, but other descriptions were unchanged. Large Yellow, $1 35@1 42½; small round do, $1 37½@1 42½; White, $1 45@1 50.

RYE—85@90c per ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—Nominal at $1 75@2 per ctl.

Flour and Millstuffs.

FLOUR—California Family Extras, $3 50@3 75, usual terms; Bakers' Extras, $3 40@3 50; Oregon, $2 75@3 25 per barrel for family and $3@3 50 for Bakers'; Washington Bakers', $3@3 50.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows, usual discount to the trade; Graham Flour, $3 per 100 lbs; Rye Flour, $3; Rye Meal, $2 75; Rice Flour, $7; Corn Meal, $3 25; extra cream do, $4; Oat Groats, $5 25; Hominy, $4@4 25; Buckwheat Flour, $4 50@4 75; Cracked Wheat, $3 50; Farina, $4 50; Whole Wheat Flour, $3 25; Rolled Oats, barrels, $7 35@9; in sacks, $6 85@8 50; Pearl Barley, $5 50; Split Peas, $5 50; Green Peas, $6 50 per 100 pounds.

Hay and Feedstuffs.

Bran is lower again. Middlings are unchanged. Hay is firm and for a car or so of extra choice wheat $12 50 was refused. Receipts yesterday were light.

BRAN—$19@20 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—$23 50@25 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled Barley, $20 50@21 50 per ton; Oilcake Meal at the mill, $25@26; jobbing, $26 50@27; Cocoanut Cake, $20@21; Corn Meal, $30 50@31 50; Cracked Corn, $31@32; Mixed Feed, $17@18; Cottonseed Meal, $26 50.

HAY—Wheat, $9@12; Wheat and Oat, $8 50@11 50; Oat, $8@10; Barley, $7 50@9; Volunteer Wild Oat, $6 50@8; Alfalfa, $10@11.

STRAW—40@50c per bale.

Beans and Seeds.

Previous quotations rule for everything under this head.

BEANS—Bayos, $3@3 15; small White, $2 60@2 75; large White, $2 50@2 65; Pink, $2 15@2 30; Red, $2 50; Lima, $3 75@3 90; Red Kidneys, $3 25 per ctl.

SEEDS—Trieste Mustard, $2 50@2 65; Yellow Mustard, $3 25@3 50; Flax, $2 25@2 50; Canary, 3½c for Eastern; Alfalfa, nominal; Rape, 1¾@2¼c; Hemp, 3½c per lb.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1 60@1 80; Green, $1 40@1 75; Blackeye, $1 60@1 80.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

Prices of Potatoes and Onions were unchanged. Receipts were light, but the demand was limited.

Vegetables were offering freely and the market was generally easier. Prices of Tomatoes showed a decline and there was a heavy accumulation of overripe stock on the street.

POTATOES—Early Rose, 30@40c per ctl; Burbanks from the river, from 25c per bag to 50c per ctl; Salinas Burbanks, 75c@$1 per ctl; Garnet Chiles, 50@60c; Sweet Potatoes, 2¼@2½c for Stockton and —— for Merced.

ONIONS—50@60c per ctl; Pickle Onions, 50c per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Green Corn, 50@85c per sack; crates from Alameda, $1@1 25; from Berkeley, 85@90c, Green Peas, 3½@4c; String Beans, 1½@3c per lb, including Wax; Lima, 3½@4c; Cabbage, 75c per ctl; Tomatoes, 35@50c per box for river and 65@75c for bay; dried Peppers, 10c per lb; Carrots, $1 per sack; Cucumbers, 20@35c per box and 25@40c per sack; Pickle Cucumbers, 1¾@2c per lb for No. 1 and 1c for No. 2; Garlic, 2c; Chile Peppers, 25@50c per box; Bell, 25@50c; Egg Plant, 40@50c; Green Okra, 50@75c per box; Summer Squash, 30@40c per box; Marrowfat Squash, $10 per ton.

Poultry and Game.

The Poultry market had a firmer tone and all descriptions cleaned up readily at previous prices except Hens, which were in light supply and higher.

There were no changes in Game. Twenty-four sacks came in.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, old, 14@15c for Gobblers and 14@15c for Hens; Young Turkeys, 18@20c; Geese, per pair, $1 25@1 50; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Ducks, $2 50@3 for old and $3@4 50 for young; Hens, $4@5 50; young Roosters, $3 50@4 50; old Roosters, $4@5; Fryers, $3@3 50; Broilers, $2 50@3 for large and $1 75@2 25 for small; Pigeons, $1 50@1 75 per dozen for old and $1 25@1 50 for Squabs.

GAME—Doves, 75c per dozen; Hare, $1@1 25 per dozen; Cottontail Rabbits, $1 50 per dozen.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

There was not much feature to the markets under this head yesterday. Butter was rather easier, if anything, with two steamers due from the North to-day. Owing to conditions already stated fancy sweet creamery is scarce and firm, while everything not strictly fancy is weak and dragging. Cheese is meeting with less demand. Eggs remain as previously quoted and no scarcity is reported.

Receipts were 14,900 lbs Butter, 591 cases Eggs and 10,175 lbs Cheese.

BUTTER—Creamery, 25½@26½c per lb for fancy, 25c for firsts and 24@24½c for seconds; dairy, 20@24c; store Butter, 17@20c per lb.

CHEESE—New, 11½@12c; old, nominal; Young America, 12@12½c; Eastern, 14½@15c per lb.

EGGS—Ranch, 28@29c for fancy, 27@27½c for good and 25@26c for fair; store, 20@24c per dozen; cold storage, 21@22c; Western Eggs, 20@23c.

Deciduous and Citrus Fruits.

Trading in deciduous fruits was of small volume and prices showed little variation. Apricots were scarce and firmly held. Choice Figs sold readily, but Grapes and orchard fruits in small packages were easier with supplies plentiful. Quinces appeared from Stockton and were offering at 50c per box, 3 boxes being received.

Receipts of fruit in bulk from the river are steadily decreasing and the market is gradually cleaning up. The canners bought some Peaches and Plums and a few lots of choice Pears. There are a lot of overripe Pears lying around the street and wharf that cannot be sold.

Raspberries were in light supply and firmly held at an advance. The other varieties stood about the same. There was a better movement in Melons, owing to the warm weather, but prices showed little change. Fancy Oranges and Lemons were steady and readily commanded full figures, but the poor grades were dull. The market has been practically bare of Mexican Limes for the past week, but the steamer that arrived from Panama yesterday brought up 608 boxes. Another consignment of Zinfandel Wine Grapes came in from Antioch and sold at $22 per ton.

RASPBERRIES—$10@12 per chest.

STRAWBERRIES—40c per drawer for Longworths and $3@4 per chest for Malindas.

BLACKBERRIES—$2@3 50 per chest.

HUCKLEBERRIES—6@7c per lb.

PLUMS—15@25c per box and 30@50c per crate; baskets, 10@25c; canning Plums $6 per ton.

PRUNES—25@50c per box or crate; baskets, 25@35c.

APRICOTS—50@60c per box.

APPLES—35@50c per box for common, 60@75c for choice and 85c@$1 10 for fancy; Crab Apples, 25@40c for small boxes and 50@75c for large.

PEARS—Bartletts, 50@75c for wrapped and 25@50c for large, open boxes; to canners, $10@15 per ton.

NECTARINES—White, 30@50c per box or crate; large open boxes, 40c; Red, 35@50c per box and 65@75c per crate; large open boxes, 50c.

PEACHES—20@50c per ordinary box and 10@25c in baskets. To canners, $10@15 per ton for clings and $6@10 for freestones.

GRAPES—Seedless, 60@65c per box or crate; Tokay, 60@90c; Rose of Peru, 50@75c; Muscat, 50@85c; Sweetwater, 35@50c; Grapes in large open boxes, 75c@$1 25.

MELONS—Cantaloupes, 50@75c per crate; Nutmegs, 25@50c per box; Watermelons, $3@5 per hundred for small and $8@20 for medium and large; from Santa Rosa, $1 75@2 25 per doz.

FIGS—Black, 75c@$1 25 per box; White, 75c@$1; Brown, 35@50c.

CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges, Valencia, $3 50@4 25; Lemons, $1@1 50 for common; $1 75@2 for choice and $2 50@3 for fancy; Mexican Limes, $5@5 50; Bananas, $1 50@2 50 per bunch for New Orleans and $1 25@2 for Hawaiian; Pineapples, $1 50@3 per dozen.

Dried Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.

The situation shows no change whatever. The market is quiet, and without especial feature.

FRUITS—New Apricots, 4½@6½c for royals and 6@8c for Moorparks; Evaporated Apples, 6@7c; sun dried, 3½@4½c; new Peaches, 5@6c spot and 4¾@6c future; new Pears nominal, at 6½@7c.

PRUNES—1901 crop are quoted as follows: 40-50s, 4¾@5c; 50-60s, 4¼@4½c; 60-70s, 3¾@4c; 70-80s, 3¼@3½c; 80-90s, 2¾@3c; 90-100s, 2¼@2½c per lb.

RAISINS—Seeded, 3-crown, 8c; 2-crown, 7¾c; Loose Muscatels, 5¾c for 4-crown and 5¼c for seedless; 3-crown, 6c; 2-crown, 5¾c per lb.

NUTS—Walnuts, No. 1 softshell, 11@12c; No. 2, 6@7c; No. 1 hardshell, 10@10½c; No. 2, 7c; 1902 Almonds, 10¾@11¾c for Nonpareils, 10@11c for I X L, 9½@10½c for Ne Plus Ultra and 7@8c for Languedoc; Peanuts, 5@7c for Eastern; Brazil Nuts, 12@12½c; Filberts, 12@12½c; Pecans, 11@13c; Cocoanuts, $3 50@5.

HONEY—Comb, 11½@12½c for bright and 10@11c for light amber; water white extracted, 5@6c; light amber extracted, 4½@5c; dark, 4c.

BEESWAX—27½@29c per lb.

Provisions.

Chicago was lower and without feature. This market was dull and easy at the familiar prices.

CURED MEATS—Bacon, 13c per lb for heavy, 14c for light medium, 15c for light, 16c for extra light, 16½c for sugar-cured and 17@18c for extra sugar-cured; Eastern sugar-cured Hams, 16c; California Hams, 15c; Mess Beef, $10 per bbl; extra Mess, $10 50@11; Family, $11 50@12; prime Mess Pork, $15; extra clear, $23; Mess, $18 50; Dry Salt Pork, 13c; Pig Pork, $25; Pigs' Feet, $4 75; Smoked Beef, 12½@14c per lb.

LARD—Tierces, quoted at 8¾c per lb for compound and 13@13½c for pure; half-barrels, pure, 13½c; 10-lb tins, 13¾c; 5-lb tins, 13⅞c; 3-lb tins, 14c.

COTTOLENE—One half-barrel, 10⅜c; three half-barrels, 10¼c; one tierce, 10⅛c; two tierces, 10c; five tierces, 9⅞c per lb.

Hides, Tallow, Wool and Hops.

Everything under this head remains as before.

HIDES AND SKINS—Culls and brands sell about 1½c under quotations. Heavy Salted Steers, 10½c; medium, 9½c; light, 8½c; Cow Hides, 9c for heavy and 8½c for light; stags, 7c; Salted Kip, 8½c; Salted Veal, 9½c; Salted Calf, 10c; Dry Hides, 16½@17c; Culls, 15c; Dry Kip, 11@13c; Dry Calf, 18c; Culls and Brands, 16c; Sheepskins, shearlings, 25@30c each; short wool, 40@60c each; medium, 65@70c; long wool, 80c@$1 20 each; Horse Hides, salt, $3 for large and $2 50 for medium, $1 50@2 for small and 50c for Colts; Horse Hides, dry, $1 75 for large, $1 50 for medium, $1@1 25 for small and 50c for Colts. Buck Skins—Dry Mexican, 32½c; dry salted Mexican, 25c; dry Central American, 32½c. Goat Skins—Prime Angoras, 75c; large and smooth, 50c; medium, 35c.

TALLOW—No. 1 rendered, 5½@6c per lb; No. 2, 4½@5c; grease, 2½@3½c.

WOOL—Spring, Humboldt and Mendocino, 17@19c; Northern free, 14@16c; do. defective, 13@14c; Middle County free, 13@15c; do. defective, 12@13c; Southern, 12 months, 9@10c; do. 7 months, 9@11c; Foothill, 11@13c; Nevada, 12@15c; Valley Oregon, fine, 16@17c; do. medium and coarse, 15@16c per lb.

Fall Clip—San Joaquin, 8@10c per lb; Northern free, 12c.

HOPS—Nominal, at 25@28c per lb.

San Francisco Meat Market.

There is nothing new to report. Supplies are ample for all current requirements.

DRESSED MEATS.

Wholesale rates from slaughterers to dealers are as follows:

BEEF—6@7c for Steers and 5½@6c per lb for Cows.

VEAL—Large, 7½@8½c; small, 8@9c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 7½@8½c; Ewes, 7@7½c per pound.

LAMB—9@9½c per lb for small and 8½@9c for heavy.

PORK—Dressed Hogs, 8½@9¾c per lb.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

The following quotations are for good, sound livestock delivered at San Francisco, less 50 per cent shrinkage for cattle:

CATTLE—Steers, 8½@9c; Cows and Heifers, 7@7½c; thin Cows, 4@5c per lb.

CALVES—4@5½c per lb (gross weight).

SHEEP—Wethers, 3½@3¾c; Ewes, 3¼@3½c per lb (gross weight).

LAMBS—Suckling Lambs, $2 50@2 75 per head, or 4@4½c per lb live weight; yearlings, 3½@4c per lb.

HOGS—Live Hogs, 250 lbs and under, 6⅝c; under 140 lbs, 6¼c; sows, 20 per cent off, boars 50 per cent off and stags 40 per cent off from above quotations.

General Merchandise.

BAGS—Grain Bags, 6@6¼c; San Quentin, 5.55c; Wool Bags, 32@35c; Fleece Twine, 7½@8c; Fruit Bags, 6c, 6¼c and 7c for the three sizes of Cotton.

COAL—Wellington, $8 per ton; Southfield Wellington, $8; Seattle, $6 50; Bryant, $6 50; Roslyn, $7; Coos Bay, $5 50; Greta, $7; Wallsend, $7; Co-operative Wallsend, $7; Pelaw Main, $7 50; Cumberland, $12 in bulk and 13 25 in sacks; Pennsylvania Anthracite Egg, ——; Welsh Anthracite Egg, $13; Cannel, —— per ton; Coke, $15 per ton in bulk and $17 in sacks; Rocky Mountain descriptions, $8 45 per 2000 lbs and $8 50 per ton, according to brand.

Harrison's Circular says:

"During the week there have been the following coal arrivals: Three from British Columbia, 11,196 tons; two from Oregon, 1070 tons; four from Washington, 5900 tons; one from Hull, England, 600 tons; total, 18,766 tons. The amount delivered during the week shows a falling off, still there is ample for all requirements. Wholesale dealers report sales fair, with quotations unchanged. The shipping list from Australia shows three or four new names added, but the selling price at this end shows but little improvement, whereas the actual cost landed here has been advanced about 5 per cent, on account of the increased rates of freight now ruling. The condition of affairs in British Columbia shows no improvement. Shipments from there are diminishing, and will continue to do so until they are enabled to deliver their output here at lower figures. This can only be done by a shrinkage in the rates of wages paid to laborers, and lower freights for transmission to the market. Seventy-five per cent of the larger consumers have already modified their power producing methods, from coal to oil, and the only chance of retaining the remaining 25 per cent will be by low priced coal."

OIL—Linseed is lower at 63c for boiled

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FAMILY RETAIL MARKET.

Changes this week are few. Butter, Cheese and Eggs are selling at previous prices, with plenty on hand. Meats and Poultry are also about as before quoted. Fish is rather cheaper, owing to increased supplies of large fish, which always has a tendency to cheapen the smaller kinds.

The Fruit and Vegetable markets continue liberally supplied and prices are about normal for this time of the year. The fruit this year seems to be running small in size, and all over the State there is general complaint on this score.

COAL, PER TON—

Wellington	—@10 00	Southfield Wellington	$—@10 00
Seattle	—@ 8 50	Coos Bay	—@ 7 50
Roslyn	—@ 9 00	Greta	—@ 9 00
Pelaw Main	—@ 9 50		

DAIRY PRODUCE, ETC.—

Butter, choice, sq.	50@55	Common Eggs	25@—
Do good	45@—	Ranch Eggs, per Dozen	30@35
Do common	35@40	Honey, comb, per pound	15@20
Do packed, lb.	25@—	Do extracted	8@10
Cheese, Cal	15@—		
Cheese, Eastern	17@20		
Cheese, Swiss	20@30		

MEATS, PER LB.—

Bacon	12½@20	Pork Sausages	12½@15
Hams	15@17½	Smoked Beef	17@20
Lard	15@—		

The San Francisco Butchers' Protective Association gives the following retail prices for meats:

Roast Beef	10@18	Lamb Chops	15@20
Tenderloin Stk.	15@18	Spring Lamb	12½@20
Porterhse do.	17½@22½	Roast Mutton	8@12½
Sirloin Steak	12½@15	Mutton Chops	10@18
Round Steak	10@12½	Mutton Stew	8@10
Beef Stew	8@10	Roast Veal	12@20
Corned Beef	8@10	Veal Cutlets	15@20
Soup Bones	4@—	Roast Pork	11@18
Soup Meat	8@10	Pork Chops	15@18
Roast Lamb	12½@18		

POULTRY AND GAME—

Hens, each	50@90	Geese, each	$1 50@2
Young Roosters, each	75c@$1	Goslings	$1 50@2 50
Old Roosters, ea.	50@75	Pigeons, pair	40@50
Fryers, each	50@75	Squabs, per pair	50@65
Broilers, each	30@50	Rabbits, each	15@20
Turkeys, per lb.	22@25	Hare, each	—@20
Ducks, each	50c@$1	Doves, per doz	$1 25

FRUITS AND NUTS—

Apricots, lb.	5@8	Dried Figs, per lb	—@10
Alligator pears, each	20@35	Huckleberries, pr lb	8@10
Almonds	15@20	Limes, dozen	10@15
Apples	3@5	Lemons, dozen	30@40
Blackberries, per drawer	20@30	Nectarines per lb	5@8
Crabapples, per lb	—@5	Oranges, dozen	30@75
Cantaloupes, ea.	10@15	Pears, per lb	3@5
Nutmeg Melons	5@10	Plums, per lb	3@5
Pecans	—@20	Peaches, per lb.	4@6
Brazil Nuts	20@—	Pineapples, each	30@40
Bananas, doz	20@30	Raspberries, per drawer	50@75
Coconuts, each	—@10	Raisins, per lb.	5@15
Fresh Figs, lb.	20@30	Strawberries, per drawer	25@40
Grapes, per lb.	4@8	Walnuts, per lb.	15@20
Grape Fruit, per dozen	$1@1 25	Watermelons, ea.	15@30

VEGETABLES—

Asparagus	15@—	Onions, per lb.	1@3
Artichokes, doz.	15@40	Green Corn, doz.	15@30
Beets, dozen	10@—	Mushrooms, lb.	—@—
Beans, white, lb.	6@—	Okra, Green, lb.	—@10
Colored, per lb.	5@—	Potatoes, per lb	¾@1½c
Dried Lima, lb.	6@8	Parsnips, per dz.	10@—
Green Lima, per lb	5@8	Radishes, dozen bunches	15@20
Cabbage, each	5@—	Sweet Potatoes, per lb	3@5
Celery, head	5@—	Sage, doz bnchs	25@30
Cress, dz bunchs	20@30	String Beans, per pound	[illegible]
Cucumbers, doz.	5@10	Summer Squash, per pound	3@6
Egg Plant, lb.	4@6	Sprouts, per lb.	—@8
Garlic	—@4	Spinach, per lb.	5@—
Green Peppers, per lb	4@6	Thyme, dz bchs	25@30
Green Peas, lb.	6@8	Turnips, per doz.	10@—
Lettuce, per doz.	15@20	Tomatoes, lb	4@6
Leeks, doz bnchs	15@20		
Green Onions, dz bunches	20@—		

FISH—

Carp	—@—	Sea Bass	—@15
Catfish	—@—	Smelts	—@15
Codfish	12½@—	Soles	10@—
Flounders	10@—	Skates	10@15
Halibut	12½@—	Squid	—@—
Herring	—@—	Tomcod	10@—
Mackerel	12½@—	Turbot	15@—
Do horse	10@—	Trout	35@50
Perch	—@—	Brook Trout	—@65
Pompino	50@—	Whitefish	10@—
Rockcod	—@12½	Clams, gallon	50@—
Rockfish	—@12½	Do hardshell, per pound	8@10
Salmon, fresh	—@12½	Crawfish	—@8
Do smoked	—@20	Crabs, each	12½@15
Sardines	—@—	Mussels, quart	—@—
Shrimps	—@—	Oysters, Cal, 100	40@50
Shad	10@12½	Do Eastern, dz	25@40
Striped Bass	—@15		

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