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15c; halibut, 10c; chicken halibut, —; spring salmon, 12½c; Monterey salmon, 11c; shad, 3c; codfish, 6c; red rock, 6c; black rock, 4c; yellow tail, —; barracuda, 7c; sand dabs, 6c; soles, 5@6c; kingfish, 6c; carp, 3c; smelts, 10c; silver smelts, —; tomcods, 8c; sea bass, 8c; perch, 4c; mullet, —; mackerel, 6c; Boccaccie, 4c; bonita, 4c; white bait, 8c; herrings, —; pike, 4c; catfish, 10c; chili peppers, 4c; crawfish, 25c; crabs, $2 per dozen.

The above quotations represent basis f. o. b. prices for cleaned fish, boxed and iced.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs

Receipts of butter were well over 100,000 pounds again yesterday, but the heavy deliveries had no effect on the market for strictly fine creamery goods, which closed very firm with receivers of such stock reporting a steady and continuous demand for local use. On the exchange the quotation was bid for extras, but sellers would not part with their holdings except at an advance over the quoted rate, and, as a consequence, there were no sales recorded. There was no trading in cheese.

In the egg department extras were half a cent lower, and although all grades were officially declared firm on the exchange, the willingness with which sellers parted with their surplus lots indicated that the market was rather weak than otherwise. In the street the feeling was one of easiness because of the continued large production and the competition of eastern stock. Eastern eggs are offering at 22@24½c a dozen.

On the exchange 100 cases of extra eggs were sold at 25½c and 20 went at 25c a dozen. There were no other sales.

Receipts were 119,000 pounds of butter, 50,000 pounds of cheese and 1,500 cases of eggs.

The following are official quotations, established by sales, bids and offers on the floor of the Dairy exchange. Prices in the street, while governed by the exchange quotations, generally range from 1½c to 2½c higher, owing to the various charges to be added:

BUTTER, PER POUND

GRADES	July 29	July 30	July 31	Aug. 1	Aug. 2	Aug. 3
Extras	29c	29c	29c	29c	29c	29c
Prime firsts	27½c	27½c	27½c	27½c	27½c	27½c
Firsts	27c	27c	27c	27c	27c	27c
Seconds	25c	25c	25c	25c	25c	25c

Extra butter was quoted at 29c a pound every day of the week ending Saturday, August 3.

Cheese—Fancy California flats, 14c per lb, steady; do firsts, 13½c, steady; do seconds, 12½c, steady; fancy young Americas, 15½c; steady; do firsts, 15c, steady; Oregon flats, 16c, steady; do Young Americas, 19c, steady; New York twins, 18c, steady; do triplets, 18½c, steady; Wisconsin twins, 17c, steady; do triplets, 18c, steady.

Eggs—California fresh, per dozen, cases included:

GRADES	July 29	July 30	July 31	Aug. 1	Aug. 2	Aug. 3
Extras	24½c	25c	25½c	25½c	25½c	25c
Firsts	23c	23c	23c	23c	23c	23c
Seconds	21c	21c	21c	21c	21c	21c
Sel'ted pullets	21c	21½c	21½c	21½c	21½c	21½c

Egg Market in Nearby Counties

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

PETALUMA, August 3.—The week closed with a drop of a half cent in the prices paid for eggs today after receipt of transactions of the San Francisco Dairy and Egg exchange. The drop was not entirely unexpected, owing to the condition of cold storage eggs and the competition of eastern eggs. Independent dealers and speculators paid 24 cents for first grade eggs and 19 cents for seconds and pullets. As usual in this market, the week end delivery was light, as producers have come to look for a weak market on Saturday. Grains showed a slight but general drop in prices today, affording a little relief to producers.

SANTA CRUZ, Aug. 3.—The Saturday egg market was the best experienced for some time, buyers finding the supply large and the grade above the average. Extras were mostly sought and brought poultrymen 24c a dozen. Firsts reached as high as 22c, while seconds brought 21c a dozen.

Portland Butter Market

PORTLAND, Aug. 3.—Butter—City and country creamery extras, solid pack, 30c; prints, 31c.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables

Receipts of all descriptions of miscellaneous vegetables were heavy yesterday, as usual, and although there was a brisk weekend buying movement, the market remained weak at about previous prices. Supplies of tomatoes came to hand late and missed the early trade, but the carry over from the preceding day was sufficient to supply the first comers, and prices were merely steady at the opening. As the result of the tardy deliveries, the market was easy to weak along toward noon. An attempt to boost prices for the best selections of green corn failed, the market being too heavily stocked. The usual large surplus of other vegetables had to be held over. Potatoes and onions were quiet and unchanged as to values.

Potatoes (per ctl)—River whites, 75c@$1 for fancy and 40@65c for ordinary; sweet potatoes, 4c per lb.

Onions—New yellow, 60@70c per ctl; red, nominal.

Vegetables—Green peas, $1.25@2 per sack; tomatoes, river 50@75c per box, do bay 75c@$1; cucumbers, 25@40c per box; garlic, 2@3c per lb; eggplant, 50@75c per box; cabbage, 40@50c per ctl; cauliflower, 65@75c per dozen; green peppers, 35@50c per box for bell and 25@40c for chili; carrots, 50c per sack; string beans, 1@3c per lb; lima beans, 4@5c per lb; summer squash, 35@50c per box; green corn, 50c@$1 per sack; green okra, 65@75c per box.

Deciduous and Citrus Fruits

Although there was a good shipping demand for fresh fruits in addition to the usual brisk weekend buying for local needs, the market was in poor shape for sellers and prices for everything in the orchard line except figs were weak and not well sustained. Peaches in bulk and in small packages continued to come forward in carload lots, and as sellers were expecting big arrivals after Monday, they were shading prices to clean the market up. Plums in bulk were piled high on the wharf, and as the canners were unwilling to pay what receivers considered a fair price, large lines had to be held over. Wrapped Bartlett pears were easy in the street with $1 a box a top price everywhere, but bulk fruit was steadier on light delveries. The canners paid $25@30 a ton for No. 1 fruit and $36@40 a box for No. 2. Apples remained weak with $1 a high figure for the best four tier Gravensteins and sales were slow at that. Crabapples were offering freely, but there was very little call for them. Choice apricots were in good demand among the canners, while general offerings dragged in the regular trade, as the quality was not up to standard. Turlock nutmeg melons were in over supply and lower and the decline weakened prices for other melons. Grapes continued to drag badly at unsustained prices, offerings of all varieties being too green and sour to attract trade. Only a few small lots of figs came in and they were quickly disposed of at an advance. Loganberry department blackberries were easier on account of the canners being out of the market, while the other varieties were steady on the usual extra weekend buying.

Strawberries—Longworths, — per chest; banners, $5@7; large varieties, $4@6.

Other Berries—Loganberries, $5@6 per chest for red and $3.50@4 for black; blackberries, $2.50@4.50 per chest; raspberries, $8@15 per chest; huckleberries, 10@14c per lb.

Cherries—6@10c per lb.

Apricots—60@75c per crate; lug boxes, 60c@$1; canning prices, $20@30 per ton.

Peaches—Small boxes, 30@50c; some fancy 50@60c; lug boxes, 50c@$1; baskets, 35@50c.

Nectarines—Red, $1@1.25 per crate; white, 65@75c.

Plums—50@75c per crate; boxes, 25@50c; Tragedy prunes, 60@75c per crate; boxes, 35@60c; damsons, 75c@$1 per box.

Figs—$1.50@1.75 per box.

Melons—Turlock nutmegs, $1.15@1.50 for standard and 75c@85c for pony crates; river do 75c@$1.25 per box; watermelons, $1@2.50 per dozen.

Apples (per box)—Gravensteins, 90c@$1 for four tier and 65@75c for 4½ tier boxes; four tier red Astrachans, 75@85c; common to choice fruit, 40@75c; old crop, 50c@$1.25.

Grapes—Seedless, 50@75c per crate; other kinds, 40@65c.

Pears (per box)—Bartletts, 85c@$1 for choice wrapped and 30@50c for culls and windfalls; other varieties, 40@75c.

Citrus Fruits (per box)—Valencia oranges, $2.25@3.25; grapefruit, $2.50@4.50; lemons, $5.50@6.75 for fancy, $2@3 for choice and $1@1.50 for standard; Mexican limes, $5@5.50.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, 3@3½c per lb for Mexican, $1.50@1.75 per bunch for Hawaiian and 4½@4½c per lb for Central American; pineapples, $2@3 per dozen.

Dried Fruits, Raisins, Nuts and Honey

Fruit—Spot prices for old crop. Evaporated apples, 6½@7c; pears, 6@8c; peaches, 5@6c; prunes, 4@4½c bulk basis; figs, 3½@5c.

Raisins—Fancy seeded, 5c; choice, 4½c; loose, 3¾c, 3½c and 4c for 2, 3 and 4 crown respectively; seedless muscatels, 4c; Thompson's, 6c; sultanas, 4½c; layers, $1.05 for 2 crown, $1.20 for 3 crown and $1.40 and $2.40 for 4, 5 and 6 crown, respectively; sweatbox prices, 2¾c.

Futures—Fall shipment: Prunes, bulk basis, 4@4¼c, with 50s and 60s ¼c, 40s 1c and 30s 1½@2c higher; evaporated apples, 6¾c for choice and 7c for extra choice; peaches, 50 lb boxes, 4¾c for standard, 5c for choice, 5½c for extra choice and 6c for fancy; apricots, 50 lb boxes, 8c for standard, 8½c for choice, 9c for extra choice and 9½c for fancy raisins, loose muscatels, 3¼c, 3¾c and 4¼c for 2, 3 and 4 crown, respectively; fancy seeded, 5½c; choice, do, 5c.

Nuts—Almonds, Nonpareils, 18@18½c; IXL, 18½c; ne plus ultra, 17½c; Drake, 15c; Languedocs, 14½c; hardshell, 8c; shelled almonds, 35@40c; walnuts, 12½@13½c per lb for No. 1 soft-shell and 12½@13c for hardshell; No. 2 standards, 11c; pecans, 15@17c; filberts, 13@15c; peanuts, 5@6c; pinenuts, 14@16c.

Honey—Comb, nominal; water white extracted, 8@8½c per lb; light amber, 7½@8c; amber, 6½@7c; lower grades, 5@6½c per lb.

Beeswax—27½@30c per lb for light and 23@26c for dark.

Poultry and Game

The poultry market closed the week steady with very little of anything in the chicken line lying around unsold, and the outlook was generally considered promising for continued steadiness during the coming week. Three cars of western chickens were marketed during the week. Only one car is expected to arrive for tomorrow's market.

Poultry (per dozen)—Hens, $4@5 for small, $5.50@6.50 for large and $8@10 for extra; young roosters, $7@7.50; do extra, $8@9; old roosters, $4; fryers, $4.50@5.50; broilers, $3.50@4 for large and $2.50@3 for small; ducks, $3@4 for old and $5@6 for young; pigeons, $1.25@1.50; squabs, $1.50@2; geese, $2@2.50 per pair; Belgian hare, $4@6.

Game (per dozen)—Cottontail rabbits, $2.50; hare, $1.50@2.

Beans and Seeds

Beans closed the week with the market firm for colored kinds and large operators reported a fair movement of mixed carloads to the east. Pinks are 5c a cental higher on the inside quotation.

Beans (per ctl)—Lims, $5.20@5.30; bayos, $3.30@3.50; large white, $4.40@4.50; small white, $4.50@4.60; pink, $3.40@3.50; cranberry, $4.35@4.45; blackeye, $3.40@3.50; red, $3.75@4; red kidney, $4.50@4.75; garvanzas, $3@3.25; horse beans, $2.40@2.60 per ctl.

Seeds—Mustard, —; flaxseed, nominal; canary, 3¾c; alfalfa, 16@18c; rape, 1½@2½c; timothy, nominal; hemp, 3½c; millet, 2¼@2½c per lb.

Dried Peas—Green, $4.75 per ctl.

Flour and Farinaceous Goods

Flour—California family extras, $5.60@6 net without discount; bakers' extras, $4.70@5.50; superfine, $3.80; Oregon and Washington, per bbl, $5.10 for family, bakers' and patents; do cutoff, $4.50; Kansas patents, $6.35@6.55; do straights, $5.70@5.90; Dakota patents, $6.50@7.20; do straights, $5.45@7; do clear, $5.65@6.25.

Farinaceous Goods—In 10 lb sacks are quoted as follows, per 100 lbs: Graham flour, $3.20; entire wheat flour, $3.30; buckwheat flour, $5.30; self-rising buckwheat flour, $6.10; wheat meal, $4; rice flour, $6.50; rye flour, $3.90; rye meal, $3.50; corn meal, yellow and white, $3.20; extra do, $3.30; at stores, $4.50; buckwheat grits, $8.80; hominy, $3.70; cracked wheat, $4.10; farina, $4.30; pearl barley, $6@6.50; split peas, $6 for yellow and $7.50 for green. In 25 lb sacks, 10c lower for all, and 20c lower for 50 lbs sacks.

Hay and Feedstuffs

Scott, Magner & Miller's weekly hay circular says:

"Arrivals of hay for the week have amounted to 5,150 tons. Considerable of this quantity arrived by water and was taken care of upon arrival without affecting the market to any extent. The large amount received this week on the railroads has not moved off readily. Considerable of this hay showed somewhat of stain and damage and moved off slowly.

"Many of the consumers and retail dealers are strongly adverse to handling or using any hay except that which is in perfect order and free from any evidence of rain. This condition caused our damaged hay to move off slowly, and only under strong effort, and even when sold caused dissatisfaction, complaint and unsatisfactory settlements. It looks as though these conditions will continue until the consumers become thoroughly convinced that much of our crop was injured by the late rain, and that such hay will have to be used and fed under prevailing conditions on account of our limited crop. However, it becomes plainer every day that the damaged hay must be offered for use at a much lower figure than at present prevails in the country to induce the large feeders to take hold of these large lots that have been put out of order by the rain.

"The asking prices in the country on damaged stock is so near to the price of sound, merchantable hay that the large dealers who have had trouble in disposing of the former have become adverse to taking hold of much more.

"Strictly first class hay in good condition finds ready sale.

The situation in alfalfa remains about as heretofore. A fleet of boats is now actively engaged in moving the second cutting from the river banks into the hands of the dairymen, and from all the close lines is being done satisfactorily.

"There has been no hay from surrounding states shipped into our markets as yet, but continual inquiry is being directed this way, tending toward entering our markets with timothy hay, cheat hay and other varieties for later shipments.

"There has not been much straw shipped into the market recently, and the demand for this article has also been quite moderate."

Oilcake meal is $1 a ton lower.

Bran—$27.50@28.50 per ton.

Shorts—$31@32 per ton.

Middlings—$35@37 per ton.

Feedstuffs—Rolled barley, $28.50@29.50; rolled oats for feed, $41@42; chopped feed, $19@23; evergreen chopfeed, $21 per ton for car lots and $23 for jobbing; oilcake meal, 20 ton lots, $41, 10 ton lots $41.50, 5 ton lots $42, small lots $43.50; cocoanut cake or meal at mills, $27 in 20 and 10 and $27.50 in 5 ton lots, jobbing $28; corn meal, $42.50@43.50; cracked corn, $42.50@43.50; alfalfa meal, carload lots $17.50, jobbing $18.50, red star alfalfa meal $18.50 in car lots and $19.50 jobbing; Stockton mealfalfa, $17.50 in car lots and $18.50 jobbing; Modesto alfalfa meal, $17.50 in car lots and $18.50 jobbing; capreca oilcake meal, $16.50 per ton; vigorator, per ton, $22.

Hay—Ordinary wheat hay, $12@18; choice, $19.50@20.50; wheat and oat, $12@18.50; tame oat, $12@18.50; barley and oat, $14@17; volunteer wild oat, $12.50@15; alfalfa, $11@13.50; stock hay, $9.50@11 per ton.

Straw—35@70c per bale.

Hides, Tallow, Wool and Hops

Hides—Culls and brands sell about ½@1c under quotations. Heavy and medium salted steers, 13@13½c; light, 12½@13c; cowhides, 12½@13c; stags, 8½@9c; salted kip, 14½@15c; salted veal and salted calf, 18@19c; dry hides, 22½@23c; murrain, 21½@22c; dry salted hides, 16c; dry calf and veal, 28@29c; dry kip, 22@24c; dry stags, 15½c; sheepskins, shearlings, 20@40c each; short wool, 40@60c; medium, 60@90c; long wool, $1@1.25; lambs, 70@85c for long and 30@60c for short wool; horsehides, salt, $2.75@3 for large and $2@2.50 for medium; 75c@$1.25 for small and 25@50c for colts; horsehides, dry, $2@2.25 for large and $1.50@2 for medium, 50c@$1 for small and 25@50c for colts; goatskins, prime angoras, 75c@$1; medium, 35@50c; long hair goats, 25c; medium, 20c; small, 5@10c.

Tallow—No. 1 rendered, bbls, 5@5½c; cans and drums, 3½@5c.

Grease—2½@3½c per lb.

Wool—Spring clip, Mendocino and Humboldt, 17@20c; Siskiyou, 16@18c; California northern, 13@16c; San Joaquin, 10@14c; mohair, good quality, 20@30c per lb.

Hops—California crop of 1911, 37½@42c per lb to growers; 1912 contracts, 23@26½c; Oregon held at 38@42c and upward.

Horses and Mules

The following quotations for horses and mules are furnished by the Butchers' and Stock Growers' Journal:

HORSES

Desirable drafters, 1,700 lbs and over	$300@350
Light drafters, 1,550 to 1,650 lbs	225@250
Chunks, 1,350 to 1,500 lbs	195@230
Wagon horses, 1,250 to 1,350 lbs	150@180
Delivery wagon horses, 1,050 to 1,250	110@125
Desirable farm mares	100@125
Farm workers	75@100

MULES—MEDIUM TO EXTRA

950 lbs, 4 to 7 years	$75@125
1,000 lbs, 4 to 7 years	125@175
1,100 lbs, 4 to 7 years	150@200
1,200 lbs, 4 to 7 years	200@250

Over 7 years old range from $15 to $25 lower.

Note—Shippers to this market must have horses close to type, with sage, bone conformation and style, to command extreme quotations.

General Merchandise

Another decline in linseed oil was announced yesterday and turpentine was marked down 2c a gallon.

Grain Bags—Standard Calcutta easy at 12c; San Quentin closed out; wool bags, 45c for 4 and 42c for 3½ lbs; fleece twine, 8½c per lb; bean bags, 8½c for August-September delivery.

Coal—Pennsylvania anthracite egg, $16 per ton; Wellington, $8; New Wellington, $8; Australian house, Richmond, etc., $8; Pelaw Main, $8; Stanford Richmond, $6; Cumberland, $15 in bulk and $16.50 in sacks; coke, $16 per ton in bulk and $17 in sacks.

Oils—Linseed is 10c a gallon lower. Quotations are for barrels. Linseed, 78c per gallon for boiled and 76c for raw, cases 5c more; Baker's AA castor, cases, 3 gallons $1.11, 10 gallons $1.09; commercial castor, in cases, 90c; China nut, cases, 75@85c per gallon; cocoanut oil, in barrels, 77½@81c for XXX, 75@78½c for No. 1 and 72½@76c for No. 2, according to quantity; extra bleached winter sperm oil, 80c; natural winter sperm oil, 80c; natural whale oil, 53c; pure lard oil, 85c; winter strained lard oil, 75c; pure neatsfoot oil, 85c; No. 1 neatsfoot oil, 65c; herring oil, 50c; salmon oil, 50c; boiled fish oil, 50c; paint oil, 45c.

Coal Oil, Gasoline, etc.—Water white, iron barrels or drums, 8c; 150 degree oil, iron barrels or drums, 9c; special do, 10c; pearl oil, in cases, 15c; astral, 15c; star, 15c; extra star, 18c; Elaine, 25½c; eocene, 18c; red crown and motor gasoline, in bulk 18½c, in cases 25½c; engine distillate, in drums 6c, in cases 7c more; gas machine gasoline, in bulk 32½c, in cases 40c; varnish makers' and painters' naphtha, in bulk 17½c, in cases 24½c.

Turpentine—In cases 71c, 10 case lots 1c less; drums and iron barrels, 64c; Aroturps, cases 30c, iron barrels or drums, 23c per gallon.

Rosin—F, $10.50; G, $10.55; H, $10.60; I, $10.70; M, $10.80; WG, $11.30 per barrel of 280 lbs.

Red and White Lead—Red, 8¼@8¾c; white, 8@8½c per lb.

REFINED SUGAR MARKET

The Western Sugar Refining company quotes as follows, net cash: Fine granulated, 5.40c; coarse granulated, 5.40c; fruit granulated, 5.40c; H. & E. crystal dominos, 5 lb cartons, in cases, 9.20c; do 2 lb cartons, in cases, 9.70c; monarch bar, 5.75c; tablets, in half bbls, 5.90c; do in 25 lb boxes, 6.15c; cubes, 5.65c; monarch powdered, 5.50c; XXXX powdered, 5.50c; candy granulated, 5.50c; confectioners' A, 5.40c; best granulated, 5.20c; extra C, 4.90c; golden C, 4.80c; D, 4.70c. Barrels and 50 lb bags 10c, half bbls 25c, boxes 50c more per 100 lbs than for bags of 100 lbs net. Bar in 35 and 40 lb tins $1.70 more, in 8 and 10 lb tins $2.35 more per 100 lbs than price for this grade in 100 lb bags.

The California and Hawaiian Sugar Refining company quotes as follows: Granulated basis, 5.40c; C. & H. fine standard, 5.40c; coarse dry granulated, 5.40c; confectioners' A, 5.40c; berry, 5.40c; powdered, 5.50c; cubes, 5.65c; "Higrade" bar, 5.75c; bricks (in half bbls), 5.90c; bricks (in 25 lb boxes), 6.15c; H. & E. crystal dominos (5 lb cartons in cases), 9.20c; H. & E. crystal dominos (2 lb cartons in cases), 9.70c; extra fine dry granulated (100 lb bags only), 5.20c; extra C, 4.90c; golden C, 4.80c; yellow D, 4.70c. Additional per 100 lbs: In bbls and 50 lb bags, 10c more; half bbls, 25c more; boxes, 50c more for all grades. Bar in 35 and 40 lb tins, $1.70 more; in 10 lb tins, $2.35 more. Minimum order, carload weight.

New York Produce

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Hops—Dull. State common to choice, 1911, 25@30c; old olds, 10@18c; Pacific coast, 1911, 25@30c; old olds, 10@20c.

Hides—Steady. Central America, 24¾c; Bogota, 24@25c.

Petroleum—Steady. Refined New York barrels, $8.35; refined New York bulk, $3.75; Philadelphia barrels, $8.35; Philadelphia bulk, $4.75.

Wool—Steady. Domestic fleece XX, Ohio, 31@32c.

Raw Sugar—Steady. Muscovado, 89 test, 3.55c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.05c; molasses, 89 test, 3.30c; refined sugar, quiet.

DRIED FRUIT

Evaporated Apples—Firmer. Fancy, 9½@10½c; choice, 8½@9¼c; prime, 7¾@8c.

Prunes—Quiet.

Apricots—Quiet.

Peaches—Dull.

Raisins—Firm.

Chicago Dairy Produce Market

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Butter—No market. Eggs—No market; receipts, 10,539 cases. Cheese—Steady; daisies, 15¼@15½c; twins, 14¾@15c; Young Americas, 15¼@15½c; longhorns, 15¼@15½c. Potatoes—Irregular; receipts, 45 cars; Illinois, 68@72c; Kansas and Missouri, 75@77c.

Los Angeles Produce Market

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

LOS ANGELES, August 2.—Receipts of produce in Los Angeles today were:

Eggs, 258 cases; butter, 2,150 pounds; cheese, 1,150 pounds; potatoes, 540 sacks; onions, 4 boxes.

With no call on the exchange prices in the produce market remained comparatively steady today.

Butter and eggs underwent no change and continued an unchanged steadiness, which they have exhibited all year.

Trading was quiet among the jobbers. Board prices are at present a good indication of the state of the market.

Butter—Prices to trade 3c above quotations: California creamery extras, 29½c; creamery firsts, 29c.

Eggs—Local ranch candled, 29c; case count, 25c; seconds, 21c; pullets, 21c; outside, 24@26c; eastern, 24@25c.

Cheese—Northern fresh, 17½c; eastern single, 19c; twins, 19c; cheddars, 21c; eastern horns, 20c; eastern daisies, 19½@20c; Tillamook daisies, 18½@19c; swiss imported, 23c; swiss domestic, block, 22c; cream brick, 22; limburger, 20@21c; Roquefort, 45c; Edam, $8.50@10.50.

Beans—No. 1 pinks, $4; No. 1 lims $5.75@6; Lady Washington No. 1, $5.10@5.25; small whites, $5.25@5.50 a ctl; garvanzas, $4.50; lentils, $6.50@7; bayos, $4.50@5; Mexican reds, $4.50; black eyes, $4.25@4.50.

Potatoes—Highland, cold storage, $1.25@1.40; sweets, new yellow, 3½@4½c lb.; new potatoes, 60@90c a ctl.

Eastern Livestock Market

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Cattle—Receipts 400. Market steady. Beeves, $5.80@9.85; Texas steers, $4.85@6.85; western steers, $5.80@7.80; stockers and feeders, $4@6.90; cows and heifers, $2.70@8.40; calves, $6.75@10.25.

Hogs—Receipts 8,000. Market 5c higher. Light, $7.80@8.45; mixed, $7.35@8.40; heavy, $7.20@8.25; rough, $7.20@7.40; pigs, $6.70@8.10; bulk of sales, $7.65@8.20.

Sheep—Receipts 4,000. Market steady. Natives, $3.30@5.75; western, $3.50@4.65; yearlings, $4.80@5.65; lambs, native, $4.50@7.65; western, $4.50@7.80.

KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 3.—Cattle—Receipts 100, including 50 southern steers. Market strong. Native steers, $6.50@9.75; southern steers, $4.75@6.75; southern cows and heifers, $3.50@5.50; native cows and heifers, $3.25@8.50; stockers and feeders, $4.25@7.40; bulls, $3.75@5; calves, $5@8.75; western steers, $5.50@8.00; western cows, $3.25@6.

Hogs—Receipts 1,500. Market strong. Bulk of sales, $8.05@8.20; heavy, $7.90@8; packers and butchers, $8@8.25; lights, $8@8.25; pigs, $6@7.

Sheep—Receipts, none. Market steady. Muttons, $3.50@4.50; lambs, $6@7.50; range wethers and yearlings, $3.50@5; range ewes, $2.50@4.

SOUTH OMAHA

SOUTH OMAHA, Aug. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 100. Market steady. Native steers, $5.75@9.75; cows and heifers, $3.30@7.25; western steers, $5.25@8.25; Texas steers, $4.50@6.50; range cows and heifers, $3@6.50; canners, $2.75@4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.75@7; calves, $4@8; bulls, stags, etc., $3.75@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,800. Market 10c higher. Heavy, $7.60@8.10; mixed, $7.80@8; light, $7.75@8.20; pigs, $6.50@7.50; bulk of sales, $7.80@8.10.

Sheep—Receipts, 100. Market steady. Yearlings, $4.50@5.25; wethers, $3.60@4.40; ewes, $3.10@4.10; lambs, $6.25@7.50.

Portland Livestock Market

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, none; market firm; choice steers, $6.75@7; good steers, $6@6.50; medium steers, $5.75@6; choice cows, $5.50@5.75; medium cows, $5@5.50; choice calves, $7@8.25; good heavy calves, $6@6.50; bulls, $3.50@5.10; stags, $4.75@6.

Hogs—Receipts, 100; market firm; light, $8@8.65; heavy, $6.50@7.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 100; market firm; yearlings, $3@4.25; wethers, $3@4.50; ewes, $3@3.75; lambs, $4@5.30.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—E. F. Hutton & Co.'s wire says:

"Cotton futures opened from 10 to 25 points below yesterday's closing levels, the decline being due to reports of further precipitation in Texas. The opening decline was followed by a rally in the late months, but liberal selling carried the market down again, and at the close prices showed net losses on the day from 22 to 26 points."

Spot closed quiet, 20 points lower. Middling uplands, 12.90c; do gulf, 13.15. Sales, 47 bales.

COTTON FUTURES

Option—	Open	High	Low	Close	Aug. 2	Year Ago
Aug.	12.42	12.42	12.27	12.30	12.52	12.54
Sept.	12.46	12.46	12.37	12.36	12.60	11.42
Oct.	12.61	12.61	12.48	12.51	12.74	11.24
Nov.	....	....	....	12.49	12.75	....
Dec.	12.61	12.64	12.50	12.55	12.80	11.26
Jan.	12.50	12.60	12.48	12.52	12.74	11.20
Feb.	....	....	....	12.56	12.78	....
March	12.57	12.65	12.55	12.60	12.82	11.33
May	12.70	12.73	12.62	12.67	12.90	11.40

HUTTON'S COTTON REVIEW

(From E. F. Hutton & Co.'s private wire)

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 3.—The following is the result of replies received from our 700 paid correspondents from every state in the cotton belt and covers the condition of the crop to August 2:

Cotton appears to have done well during the week in the states of Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Missouri, Arkansas and Louisiana, which territory last year produced 30 per cent of the total crop. In Oklahoma and Texas, which produced about 35 per cent of last year's crop, deterioration was rapid and marked. In the states of the southeast reports are mixed, but on the whole are of a rather satisfactory tenor, rain being needed to promote continued growth and fruiting in a plant that has been rendered sappy by an excess of moisture in the past. Light rains fell toward the close of the week in the Atlantic states, affording some measure of relief, but it is evident that unless there are further showers complaints of plants stopping growth and shedding fruit will become numerous if not general. Up to this date no important decline has been sustained, the last two weeks having been a period of improvement in these states, but apparently the maximum of good has been received from dry weather, and the fact that the turning point was reached. There is much small late cotton in every part of the belt, and where in some instances the better cotton is doing nicely, the young plant is not making progress. The rains in Texas were limited both in area and in quantity and the relief was inconsequential. The deterioration that has set in is being checked in a few sections only. The crop needs moisture from North Carolina to Texas.

New York Coffee Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—E. F. Hutton & Co.'s wire says: "Trading was much quieter this morning with prices slightly steadier. The liquidating pressure was less in evidence and there was some buying due to the relative steadiness of the European and Brazilian markets. The decline abroad was not quite as much as feared and the Brazilian markets continue relatively steady."

COFFEE FUTURES

Option—	Open	High	Low	Close
August	.....	.....	.....	12.58c
September	12.77c	12.77c	12.73c	12.66c
October	.....	.....	.....	12.74c
November	.....	.....	.....	12.81c
December	12.99c	12.99c	12.84c	12.86c
January	13.00c	13.00c	12.98c	12.88c
February	.....	.....	.....	12.87c
March	13.06c	13.06c	12.92c	12.97c
April	.....	.....	.....	12.99c
May	13.10c	13.10c	13.00c	13.02c

Sales, 34,250 bags.

Naval Stores—Turpentine and Rosin

SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 3.—Turpentine—Firm, 42¾c; sales, 700; receipts, 1,000; shipments, 2,550; stocks, 33,900.

Rosin—Firm; sales, 2,700; receipts, 3,800; shipments, 1,000; stocks, 109,400. Quote: B, $6.35@6.40; D, $6.45@6.52½; E, $6.50@6.65; F, $6.67½@6.75; G, $6.72½@6.80; H, $6.80@6.82½; I, $6.80@6.85; K, $6.90@6.95; M, $6.90@7.05; N, $7@7.15; WG, $7.25@7.35; WW, $7.80.

St. Louis Wool Market

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—Wool—Steady. Medium grades combing and clothing, 23½@26c; light fine, 19@21c; heavy fine, 13@18c; tub washed, 26@35c.

New York Metal Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The metal markets were dull and nominal. Lake copper, 17¾c; electrolytic, 17¾c; casting, 17⅛@17¼c.

Iron—Quiet, unchanged.

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California Mining Shows Development

Interest in the California gold mining industry increases as the summer season progresses and rich strikes, new development work and important leasing or bonding arrangements are reported from various parts of the state every week. Deep and shallow quartz mines are being operated to capacity in many districts, and with the other branches of the industry coming in for their full share of attention, there is every reason to believe that the production this year will equal if not surpass the records of past seasons.

A big tonnage of ore is being piled up and crushed on the properties along the mother lode in the northern mineral belt, and districts, of which little has been heard until recently, are coming to the front as ore producers. Two big strikes that were reported recently were made in widely separated parts of the state, one being in San Diego and the other in Calaveras county. In the southern county two prospectors located a claim in the Campo district that had been abandoned years ago and encountered ore that ran high in value. The Calaveras find was made in the Ford mine, a property that had been sold for taxes some time back, and the prospect is said to be a promising one.

Advices from Inyo county say that the Loretta copper property, situated in the hills on the west side of Eureka valley and in which Charles M. Schwab holds an interest, is a mine of great promise. The mine is not shipping as yet, but development work is being carried forward rapidly, and the property is expected to be on a producing basis before long.

The gold and silver producers of Nevada are making the usual excellent showing and the copper industry in that state continues to boom. The Northern Nevada railroad recently made a new record in the amount of copper ore transported from the Nevada Consolidated and Giroux works and put through the concentrator at McGill. In one day a total of 15,185 tons of ore were loaded, hauled, unloaded and treated at the mill. This was the largest amount of ore handled by the railroad in one day, and a new record was also made for the concentrator, the amount being about 2,000 tons in excess of any previous day's report.

CALIFORNIA

Strike in Campo District

A discovery of gold and silver bearing ore, running in values as high as $412 a ton, has been made three-quarters of a mile from Campo by Lee Morris and George Hornak, two well known prospectors of that section.

The vein where the rich values have been found has been developed to a depth of only six or seven feet, but it carries many encouraging signs. It is a perfect contact vein, with granite hanging walls and a porphyry footwall, and the presence of silver in the ore is another thing arguing permanency at depth.

The present strike is not the first that has been made in that neighborhood. Lee Morris, one of the discoverers of this prospect, made the original strike three miles north of Campo. He there took up three claims which he sold recently to Utah capitalists for $5,000. The values there ran about $20 a ton.

The first mining was not done on the scene of the richer find by Morris and Hornak. About 20 years ago a prospector named William Hill, attracted by the flattering surface indications, located the same ground and sank a shaft, following a stringer which is said to have given fair assays. Apparently believing the stringer had pinched out, Hill ceased to work at the depth of 30 feet.

In January last Morris and Hornak discovered that this land had reverted to the public domain, being embraced in the national forest reserve, and, therefore, was open to filing. Having located the ground, they cleaned out the old shaft and, with a little excavating, rediscovered the stringer and followed it until it had developed into a vein four feet in width.

From the place where the recent rich strike was made, Morris and Hornak shipped to the Selby smelter, up the bay from San Francisco, 80 tons of ore which averaged $143 in gold and $5.45 in silver. Picked samples, assayed by various firms in Los Angeles, Bisbee and El Paso, ran all the way from $247 to $412 a ton in gold and silver. The silver values are small, but the presence of silver is an encouraging sign, since in the estimation of mining men it is regarded as an evidence that the ore will persist at depth—that it will not "pinch out."—San Diego Union.

Plumas Mine Bonded

The old Bullion ledge, first quartz property discovered in Plumas county and one of three responsible for the mining and agricultural development of Indian valley, has been bonded for 20 years from the government by the Greenville Bullion Mining company, composed of Greenville residents. The mine, on an Indian allotment, was secured after negotiations recently closed. Development work done on the property has disclosed high grade ore lying under the abandoned surface workings. This ore runs from $10 to $45 per ton and is of three varieties, with hematite predominating. Ore that proves rich in the larger nuggets of gold lies along the surface of the vein. This was the class largely found in the surface workings of the fifties and sixties.

In the old days a tunnel was run, as near as can be determined by present indications, about 200 feet into the mountain. The tunnel at the face was about 50 feet under the surface and the ore was stoped out to the grass roots. An adjoining vein has since been worked by Indians,