BY TELEGRAPH.

TO THE PRESS AND TRIBUNE.

XXXVth CONGRESS.—SECOND SESSION.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—SENATE—Mr. Slidell took objection to Mr. Pugh's amendment, which was on Saturday added to the Diplomatic appropriation, and showed that its effect would be to prevent the President from sending any envoy on special business which he might deem necessary in the case of Mexico and elsewhere.

Mr. Gwin moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, as he considered the practice of moving to reconsider the appropriation bill would be productive of serious embarrassments to the legitimate course of business.

The Vice President explained that Mr. Gwin's motion was in order, but the effect would be really to lay the motion on the table, liable to be called up at any time during the session, and would, therefore, virtually suspend the operation of the bill.

Mr. Gwin withdrew his motion.

Mr. Simmons again went at length into the question of exchanges.

The Vice President and Mr. Green presented memorials from the citizens of St. Louis, praying for an assay office there. Referred.

Mr. Hunter wished the motion of Mr. Simmons, to reconsider the vote by which the Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill passed, considered at once, so that the bill might be finally passed.

The Diplomatic Appropriation bill was taken up, when Mr. Simmons again went at length into the question of exchanges.

Mr. Trumbull followed on the same side, and was succeeded by Mr. Toombs on the opposite side.

Mr. Simmons' amendment, limiting the rate of exchange, was stricken out and the bill passed, 25 to 23.

The House Army Appropriation bill was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

The Cuba proposition was then taken up, when Mr. Mason offered an amendment by way of substitute, to the effect that Congress concedes the propriety and ultimate necessity of acquiring Cuba; that without committing itself to future measures, Congress at present confines itself to a declaration that the United States is prepared to receive the Island, whenever Spain is ready to transfer it for a fair equivalent, and that this country can never remain neutral under any policy which would sever Cuba from Spain in favor of any foreign power.

Mr. Collamer spoke against the Cuba proposition. He denied that the expansion of territory was a necessity of national growth, and contended that in our own case the acquisition of additional soil by conquest or otherwise was at variance with the whole framework of our government, and especially so, if such additional soil does not border on our own, and would require an army to defend it.

The House refused to strike out $110,000 from the Arsenal Appropriation, and then passed the bill.

Mr. Millson made an ineffectual attempt to report the bill repealing the Fishing Bounties.

A Speaker's warrant was granted for the arrest of Jas. Conolly, a witness before the Printing Investigating Committee, who left the city.

The House refused to suspend the rules to enable Mr. Phillips to introduce his bill providing for the payment of outstanding Treasury notes, &c., when it went into Committee on the Post Office Appropriation bill.

Mr. Blair offered an amendment authorizing Butterfield & Co. to carry the Overland Mail by any route they may select. He wanted to compel the Postmaster-General to execute the law as it stands. He had been informed that the Postmaster-General owned a large tract of land in Arkansas, and this was the reason why the mail was sent over that route. Besides this there were considerations connected with the Pacific Railroad which induced the movement in that direction.

Mr. Reagan opposed that amendment and defended the Postmaster-General from the charge of selfish motives in the selection of the route.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Sherman, of Ohio, offered an amendment providing that the advertisement of the mail routes in each State and Territory shall be published in two newspapers only, of the largest circulation, in each.

Adopted with an additional proviso that they shall be selected in the same city or town.

Mr. Colfax, of Ind., offered an amendment, which was adopted, giving the contract for printing the Post Office blanks to the lowest bidder.

Mr. Olin, of New York, offered an amendment, which was adopted, that the contract for wrapping paper be given to the lowest bidder.

Without coming to a conclusion, the Committee arose.

[Recess till 7 o'clock, for general debate.]

EVENING SESSION.—Mr. Abbott condemned the extravagance of the Administration, and the Dred Scott decision.

Mr. Lovejoy opposed the acquisition of Cuba. He spoke of the despotism of Slavery in the South, and said that if free discussion and a free press were permitted there, in twelve months there would be more Republican votes in the Slave States than Democratic votes in the Northern States.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—About twelve Democrats from the Northwestern States, together with those from Pennsylvania, voted with the majority on Mr. Phillips unsuccessful motion to suspend the rules to enable him to introduce his loan and tariff bill.

The negative vote was composed of Democrats in company with your Republicans and two Americans.

Rumors have been circulated and believed that the President would transmit to Congress a message in case of non-action on the tariff question, reminding them that an extra session would be necessary, but there is no truth in the report.

General Renau of Cuban notoriety has returned to Washington.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The Washington correspondent of the *Evening Post* says the Committee on Ways and Means have changed their position and decline to report the Morrill bill, but agree to report Phillips' bill to amend the Treasury notes without the proposed modification of the tariff. The vote stood—for Morrill's bill, 3; for Phillips's, 6.

It will be seen in the Congressional proceedings that the House refused to suspend the rules to enable Phillips to introduce his bill. The vote stood 122 yeas to 91 nays—not two-thirds.

Congressional Proceedings.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—HOUSE—The House proceeded to take action on the amendments to the Army Appropriation bill as reported from the Committee of the whole on the State of the Union, by concurring in the amendments.

The appropriation for the erection of barracks, hire of janitors, etc., were reduced to the extent of $400,000; and as between four and five thousand animals are to be dispensed with, the transportation of the army, etc., $400,000; $183,000 for other objects, including $100,000 for the Springfield and Harper's Ferry armories, stricken out, making the total reduction $1,473,000, thus cutting down the appropriations for the army to $14,000,000.

The House refused to strike out $118,000 for the arsenals. The army bill passed by 116 against 92.

A Steamer Ashore with $208,000.

The Black Warrior, from Havana, 15th instant, went ashore on Rockway bar, while in charge of a pilot, Sunday morning. Her passengers and mails brought to this city last evening by a pilot boat. The steamer remains tight and has on board $208,000 in specie and a valuable cargo. Three tugs have gone to her assistance.

There is no news of interest from the city of Havana.

LATER.—The Black Warrior, ashore at Rockaway, has five feet of water round her at low tide and as yet remains tight. She has but little freight. Underwriters' agents have gone to her, and will probably discharge her specie on the beach. The wind is strong from the N.E., which is favorable for her getting off.

Bank Statement.

BY TELEGRAPH.] NEW YORK, Feb. 21.

The following is the New York bank statement for the week ending Feb. 21st:

Decrease in Loans	$1,622,822
Increase in Specie	925,857
Decrease in Circulation	103,843
Decrease in Deposits	319,461
Total Specie	26,344,955

Boston Items.

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—Rev. Joy H. Fairchild, a well known clergyman, died at his residence in South Boston, aged about 70 years.

Captain Phillips, of the bark Goldfinch, has arrived at this port from the coast of Africa. She reports the sloop of war Dale to have sailed from Loango on the 25th November, to cruise off the coast.

The fire inquest on the burning of Russell's mechanical bakery, after a lengthy investigation, find that the fire was kindled by an incendiary well acquainted with the premises, but the evidence fails to fasten the guilt on any party.

Court House Burnt.

MADISON, INDIANA, Feb. 21.—The Court House in this city was partially destroyed by fire about midnight of the 20th, damage estimated at $20,000. Records and papers saved. This Court House was the first in Indiana. The building was recently erected at a cost of $40,000. Workmen have already commenced clearing away the ruins preparatory to rebuilding it.

From New Mexico.

St. Louis, 19th.—The New Mexico mail, with dates to the 31st ult., reached Independence this evening. The Lower House of the Legislature has passed a stringent bill for the protection of slave property.

The Santa Fe *Gazette* severely censures the manner of conducting the treaty with the Navajoes, and the stipulations thereof.

Pine and Martin.

We learn by a private dispatch from Washington that D. B. Martin, who went there to serve as United States Marshal for this district out of office, in revenge (the says) for being discharged from the post of book-keeper, is probably under arrest for purloining papers from the Marshal's office here. The dispatch says a warrant for his arrest has been issued, and if Martin has not made his escape, he will very probably be escorted back to Chicago by a government officer.—*Evening Journal.*

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COMMERCIAL.

[☞ To-day (22d) there will be no meeting of the Board of Trade, and of course, there will be no market reports in Wednesday's paper.]

Weekly Review of Commercial and Money Matters.

MONDAY EVENING, Feb. 21, 1859.

MONEY, &c.—The money market during the past week has been quiet. Eastern Exchange is steady at 1¼ per cent. prem. Discounts 10 per cent. Very little first class paper offering.

COMMERCIAL.—The movements of the principal staples of the market during the past week and since the 1st of January, compared with last year, were as follows:

COMPARATIVE EXPORTS AT CHICAGO.

	Week ending Feb 19.	Previous Week.	Since Jan. 1, 1859.	Same time in 1858.
Flour, bbls	2,934	7,295	42,053	63,838
Wheat, bu	84,284	51,295	230,160	933,591
Corn, bu	33,026	32,910	2 0,654	54,529
Oats, bu	2,965	6,340	43,185	57,781
Rye, bu	2,9 5	861	6,246	5,100
Barley, bu	10,281	6,000	56,268	46,267
Grass Seed, lbs	103,768	77,146	878,157	241,763
Hides, lbs	52,340	237,862	2,127,664	1,072,704
Lead, lbs	31,440	91,365	604,024	....
Tallow, bbls	9	9	57	....
Lard, bbls	67	74	366	....
Pork, bbls	1,745	32	1,942	....
Live Hogs, No	868	1,308	8,911	66,382
Dressed Hogs, No	1,223	2,232	23,433	51,320
Cattle, No	1,080	920	7,977	7,164
Coal, tons	490	1,320	2,903	....
Shingles, bbls	657	527	3,894	....
Wool, lbs	2,570	20,540	46,720	....

COMPARATIVE EXPORTS FROM CHICAGO TO THE EAST.

	Week ending Feb. 19.	Previous Week.	Since Jan. 1, 1859.	Same time in 1858.
Flour, bbls	1,406	2,657	8 608	20,222
Wheat, bu	2,956	4,917	15,754	2,554
Corn, bu	12,792	32,292	92,292	736
Oats, bu	....	577	4,736	....
Grass Seeds, lbs	48,600	19,860	224,865	977,753
Hides, lbs	221,870	171,372	1,945,738	1,455,300
Lard, bbls	1,772	417	5,984	4,213
Pork, bbls	2,729	873	19,910	8,255
Beef, bbls	200	36	2,094	1,497
Tallow, bbls	144	56	1,123	920
Live Hogs, No	1,813	1,146	6,117	22,100
Dressed Hogs, No	110	276	4,836	17,290
Cattle, No	225	496	3,441	2,167
Hides, bbls	231	257	1,081	83
Wool, lbs	11,969	7,893	28,992	37,490
Cut Meats, lbs	618,100	77,770	....	....

The following table shows the receipts of Breadstuffs during the past week, compared with the same week in 1858, and the sources of supply:

RECEIPTS OF FLOUR AND GRAIN AT CHICAGO, WEEK ENDING FEB. 19, 1859.

	Flour. Wh't. bbls. bu.	Corn. bu.	Oats. bu.	Rye. bu.	B'ley. bu.
G. & C. U. R. R.	1,161	17,464	11,029	4 924	700
Rock. Island R.R.	574	8,354	....	....	740
Ill Cent'l R. R.	941	21,527	2,168	....	110
C. B. & Q. R. R.	2,014	14,187	17,095	857	1,521
R.P.F.W.&C.R.R.	1,578	2,954	1,478	3,669	214
C. A. & St. L. R.	774	17,560	1,107	....	710
Mich. Cen. R. R.	220	189	....	....	....
Mich. S. R. R.	183	1,234	....	459	....
C. P. & P. W. R. R.	155	2,125	....	....	....
Total	7,834	84,594	32,698	9,995	2,965
Cor. w'k last year	8,301	106,584	15,336	10,561	139
Increase	....	....	17,362	....	2,826
Decrease	467	22,000	....	566	....

The following table shows the Grain and Flour in store on Saturday last, compared with the amount in store the corresponding date last year:

FLOUR AND GRAIN IN STORE IN CHICAGO.

	Feb 19, 1859.	Feb. 20, 1858.
Flour, bbls	28,231	28,227
Wheat, bu.	174,432	1 062,735
" Red, bu	195,567	2,559
" White, bu	38,997	316
Corn, bu	25,810	4,557
Oats, bu	108,517	59,820
Rye, bu	1,767	....
Barley, bu	63,877	41,610

Weekly Review of Chicago Wholesale Markets.

MONDAY EVENING, Feb. 21.

FREIGHTS.—The present rates are as follows:—PROVISIONS—To New York, 65c per 100 lbs; to Boston, by Michigan Southern and Michigan Central R. Roads, 7c; to Boston, by Grand Trunk Railway, to Portland, and thence by water, 70c; to Boston, by rail to Philadelphia and Baltimore, and thence by water, 67c; to Philadelphia and Baltimore, 56c. Freights to Buffalo and New York, 41c; to Boston, via Albany, 41c; to Boston, by rail to Philadelphia and Baltimore, and thence by steamer, 41.38; to Albany, 41.38; to Baltimore and Philadelphia, 41.25. FLOUR—To New York, 41.20; to Boston, via Albany, 41.34; to Boston by rail to Philadelphia and Baltimore, and thence by steamer, 41.34; to Albany, 41.04; to Philadelphia and Baltimore, 41.05; to Montreal, 90c; to Toronto and Hamilton, 64c.

FLOUR—Receipts during the past week 7,934 bbls, against 7,295 bbls the preceding week. The shipments by eastern railways were 1,705 bbls, against 2,657 bbls the week previous. The market during the past week has been very firm but inactive—the principal sales being of fair to medium Spring Extras, at an advance of 10@15c per bbl. Winter and fine Spring Flours have been held above the market, and the transactions in these have been very limited. Sales of the week have been as follows:—On the 16th, 650 bbls. at 45 25@5.62½, for good to choice Spring Extra, and 45.75 for Red Winter. On the 8th, 600 bbls at 44.50@5.25 for low grade to fair Spring Extra; and 46.25 for White Winter. On the 19th:—500 bbls at 45.25 for fair grade Spring Extra, and 45.75 for fine Winter. Today the market was rather easier. Sales were: 90 bbls "Parish" White Winter at 46.25; 60 bbls "Railroad Mills" do. at 46.12½; 100 bbls "Western Mills" Spring Extra at 45 00; 115 bbls Spring Superfine at 44.50; 50 bbls Winter do at 44.75.

WHEAT—Receipts last week, 84,284 bu against 51,295 bu the preceding week, and 106,584 bu the corresponding week in 1858. The shipments by eastern railroads were 2,236 bu against 4,917 the preceding week. The market during the first part of the week was buoyant, but on Thursday last it declined, since which it has been dull and drooping—owing principally to heavier receipts. Tee transactions of the week were as follows:—On the 16th—2,000 bu were at sold at 82@81.28 for No 2 Red; 1,300 bu at 81.34@1.36 Standard Spring 98c; No 2 Spring 85c@90c; Rejected Spring 75@78. On the 17th—10,000 bu at the following rates: No. 1 Red at 81.26@1.28; No. 2 Red 41.14; Standard Spring 97@98c; No 2 Spring 87@90c; Rejected 76@78. On the 18th: 12,000 bu as follows: No. 1 Red 81.24@1.25; No. 2 Red 41.12; Standard Spring 96c@98c; No. 2 Spring 85@87c. On the 19th: 12,000 bu changed hands: No. 1 Red 41 22@1.24; No. 2 Red 41.10@1.11; Standard Spring 92@93c; No. 2 Spring, 83c@85; Rejected 75c.

TO-DAY—The market opened weak at Saturday's quotations, and in some instances a decline was experienced; but before the close the prices were generally speaking firmer. Sales we.: 3,000 bu No 1 Red at 41.23 in store, 2,000 bu do at 41.24 in store; 4,600 bu No. 2 Red at 41.10 in store, 300 bu Rejected Red at 90c in store; 300 bu do at 85c on track; 1400 bu Standard Spring at 93c in store; 1,600 bu do at 93½c in store; 300 bu do at 94c on track; 1,000 bu do at Spring at 81c in store; 3,500 bu do at 83c in store—closing firm.

CORN—Receipts last week, 32,698 bu against 33,230 bu the preceding week, and 15,336 bus the corresponding week in 1858. The shipments by Eastern railways during the week were 11,181 bushels against 13,792 bu the preceding week. The market during the past week has advanced 3@4c, under a good demand by distillers and shippers, and some speculative purchases. Receipts were more during the past week having been taking No. 1 Corn in o store.

TO-DAY—The sales were: 300 bu No. 1 at 60c per 56 bu in store; 1200 bu shelled at 65c per 60 bu on track; 1,000 bu do at 66c on track; 700 bu do at 66½c on track; 300 bu Ear Corn at 65c per 70 bu on track.

OATS—Receipts last week 9,995 bu against 6,340 bus the preceding week, and 10,560 the corresponding week in 1858. The market during the week has been more active and prices have been firm, with an advance of 1@2c on prime qualities.

TO-DAY—The sales were: 300 bu common new crop at 50c on track; 700 bu choice do at 56c delivered.

RYE—Receipts last week, 2,969 bushels, against 861 bushels the preceding week. The market during the past week has been more active; but owing to larger receipts prices have been a shade lower. Sales today were:—300 bushels prime at 90c per 56 lbs delivered.

BARLEY—Receipts last week, 10,761 bushels, against 6,053 bushels the week preceding, and 5,760 bu the corresponding week in 1858. The market for Prime Barley has been firm and active; but inferior qualities, and nearly all that has been in store during the winter have been dull. Sales TO-DAY were:—300 bu good State at 85c on track; 150 bu do at 90c delivered; 150 bags inferior at 50c on track.

CORN MEAL—Firm and in good demand at 42.50@2.62 for Unbolted, and 43.50@2.75 for Bolted.

RYE FLOUR—41.50@3.00 ⅌ bbl.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Common, 42@2.25. Dixon Mills, 43.25.

ALCOHOL—Market steady at 55@56 ⅌ gal.

BROOM CORN—Very scarce and nominal at 5¼@6¼ ⅌ ton.

BEANS—Market not so buoyant. Sales during the week have been made at 41.50 for extra Navy Beans; but the bulk of the sales of choice white have been at 41.30@1.35. To day 150 bu choice white sold at 41.35

BUTTER—Common 12@13c; choice 14@17c.

RECEIPTS AT MILWAUKEE.

	Last week.	Since Jan.
Flour, bbls	3,315	9,132
Wheat, bus	46,413	374,205
Oats, "	6,566	47,793
Corn, "	10,122	18,847
Barley, "	1,767	19,348
Rye, "	99	2,206

RECEIPTS AT DETROIT LAST WEEK.

Flour, bbls	6,481	Barley, bu	1,579
Wheat, bu	7,719	Rye, bu	1,000
Corn, bu	11,439	Hogs on foot	1,812
Oats, bu	2,816	Pork, bbls	1,440
Rye, bu	1,763		

COFFEE—Active and very firm at the following quotations:—Rio, 13¼@13c; Maracaibo, 13¼@14c; Laguayra, 13¼@14c; O. G. Java 17@17½c; Mocha, 18c.

COOPERAGE.—Very dull. Pork Barrels, dull and nominal at 30@35c; Flour barrels, 34@36c.

COAL.—The receipts of Illinois Coal by the railways during the past week were:—450 tons, against 320 tons the previous week. Prices are unchanged. The following are the quotations delivered:—BITUMINOUS—Illinois, 45@5.50 ⅌ ton; Chippewa, 46.50; Briar Hill, Erie, and Mineral Rise 47; Blossburgh 48. ANTHRACITE—Lackawanna, cap, 48.50; Lehigh, cap, 49 00.

COTTAGE—Manilla rope, 12½c; Hard Rope, 12½c; Jute, 62½c.

CANDLES—Tallow, 11@11½c; Stearine, 17c; Star, 19c.

CHEESE—New York, 13c ⅌ lb. No Western Reserve or State in market.

EGGS—Receipts during the week heavier, and market declined 2@3c—closing at 12@13c for Fresh.

FRUIT—GREEN—Apples, common, 41.50@45.50 ⅌ bbl; Oranges, 43.50 ⅌ box; Lemons, 43.50 ⅌ box; Cranberries, 43@5.50 ⅌ bbl. DRIED—Market active and buoyant. Apples, 10½@11½c; Pared Peaches, 18½@20c; Unpared do. 11@12c; Blackberries, 17½@18c; Raspberries, 30; Plums, M. 8 @27½@29 box; Do. Layer, 43@3.50 ⅌ box.

FISH—Market very firm, but quotations the same as last week. Whitefish, No. 1, bf bbls, 44 ⅌ No. No. 2, 43.75, Trout, No. 1, 45.75; Do. No. 2, 43.37½; Mackerel, Boston, No. 1, bbls, 416; Do. No. 2, 415; Do. No. 3, 413; Do. No. 1, hf bbls, 43.50; No. 2, hf bbls, 48; No. 3, hf bbls, 46.50. Codfish, Georgian Bank, 45.25; St. George, 45.50. Herring, Eastport, 46 ⅌ bbl; No. 1, 40@50c ⅌ box. Scaled herring, 62@65c ⅌ box.

FURS AND SKINS—The shipments of Pelts and skins during the past week amount to 51,822 lbs, against 15,984 as the week previous. The closing quotations are as follows:—Mink 41.00@2.00; Coon 35@60c; Rat, winter, 142@18c; Wild Cat, 50c; House Cat, 10c; skunk, 50c; Gray Fox, 62@40c; Red Fox, 41.50. Beef, 40@4.; Opossum, 15@20c; Marten, 41.75@2.25; Fisher, 43@4.; Badger, 35c.; Lynx, 41.50c.; Deer Skins 15@15c per lb.; Otter, 43@4.

GLASS—The following are the wholesale cash rates:

8x10 glass cyl. by box.	42.00	9x18 glass cyl. by box.	43.30
9x12 " "	2.55	12x12 " "	3.00
9x14 " "	2.60	10x18 " "	3.00
9x16 " "	2.60	11x16 " "	3.00
10x12 " "	2.60	12x16 " "	3.00
10x13 " "	2.55	12x20 " "	3.50
10x14 " "	2.60	12x22 " "	3.50

GUNPOWDER—Rifle Powder, in kegs, 43@5.37; Blasting, do do, 43.50@4.00; cases of 1 lb flasks, 46@8.50; do. half do, 46.50@6.00.

HIGHWINES—Receipts during the past week, 657 bbls, against 427 bbls the preceding week The shipments were 221 bbls. The market during the week has been firm but inactive at 24½@25c., closing with sales of 50 bbls at 25½c

HIDES—Receipts last week, 259,340 lbs against 237,862 lbs the preceding week. The shipments were 215,378 lbs against 171,372 lbs the preceding week. The market during the past week has been firm, with a slight advance on extra Dry Flint—closing as follows:—Green City, 6¼@7c; Green Country, 7½@8c; Green Salted, 8¼@8½c; Dry Flint, 16@17c. Pelts—City, 41.13¼@1.50; Country, 75@41.35.

HOPS—Firm at 15@19c.

HOGS—Receipts, live and dressed, 2,026, against 3,601 the week previous. The shipments were 2,122 against 1,974 the week previous. The market for Dressed Hogs during the past week has been dull, and a decline of 10c has been experienced. Sales TO-DAY were:

5 Hogs, averaging	250 lbs;	at	46.00
18 " "	210 lbs;	at	46.50
7 " "	230 lbs;	at	46.55
4 " "	250 lbs;	at	46.75

LEATHER—Tending upward. The closing quotations are: Oak Sole, 30@33c ⅌ lb; Spanish middle weights, 28@32c ⅌ lb; Bridle Leather, 33c ⅌ lb; Collar Leather, 36@40c ⅌ doz; Harness, 36c ⅌ lb; Hemlock Rip, 30@35c ⅌ lb; Hemlock Cal. 75@85c ⅌ lb; French Rip, 80@90c ⅌ lb; French Calf, 95@1.15 ⅌ lb; Female Calf, 39@42 ⅌ doz; Hemlock Upper at 40@42 per doz. Oak Upper Leather 35@45 ⅌ doz.

LIME AND PLASTER—Lime in bbls, 41@1.25; Lime in bulk, 75@41.00; Stucco, common, 42.50@2.75; Extra, do at 43.50@3.50; Plaster, 41.50@1.62½; Cement, 41.50@2.00; Plastering Hair, 40c.

LUMBER, LATH AND SHINGLES—The Lumber market during the past week has increased in activity, and prices of some kinds have advanced materially. Fencing, which we quoted last week at 40, can scarcely be bought now at that figure, unless it be in connection with large bills of other qualities. Indeed, but few of the merchants will sell fencing alone to any but their regular country customers, at any reasonable price. We have therefore quoted it at 40@42.00. Some are holding at 410. There are some kinds of common boards which are scarce, and command 50c higher, such as twelve feet lengths. There is a fair demand for Shingles; but the prices are not materially changed. The following are the quotations current at most of the yards:

First Clear Dry	40.00@ —
Second Clear dry	38.00@38.00
Third Clear dry	18.00@22.00
Common Boards, Green	8.00@ 8.50
do do 15 feet	9.00@ —
do do Dry	— @ 9.00
do do 12 feet	10.00@ —
Clear Flooring, dressed	42.00@42.00
Common Flooring, Dressed	16.00@18.00
Siding, Clear Dressed	18.00@ —
Fencing	2.00@ 2.50
Short Stuff and Joists	8.00@ 9.50
Shingles, ⅌ M	2.75@ 3.25
Lath, ⅌ M	1.50@ 1.75
Posts (common to good) ⅌ 100	7.00@10.00

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—Market steady. The following are the closing quotations:—New Orleans in barrels 40@44c; New York S. H. Molasses, 35@40c; Cuba, in hhds, 30@35c; N. Y. Syrups, 35@40c; N. Y. Golden, 50@54c. Belcher's prices are:—Golden Syrup, 67c in bbls, and 72c in kegs; Extra S. H. Syrup 47@52c; Syrup Molasses, 40@45c.

NAVAL STORES—Rosin, 43.50@3.75 ⅌ bbl; Tar 44@5 ⅌ bbl; Pitch, 44.50@5.00.

NAILS—Assorted, 43.70@3.75 ⅌ 100 lbs.

OILS—Linseed firm. The closing quotations are:—No. 1 Lard 41.00; No 2 95c; Linseed 87½c; Elephant 65c; Whale 80c; Sperm 41.60; Neatsfoot 85c; Tanners' 75; Bank 75c.

PROVISIONS AND LARD.—The shipments during the past week were—700 bbls Beef; 3,729 bbls Pork; 519,100 lbs Cut Meats; 354,525 lbs Lard. The market during the past week has been very dull.

IN MESS BEEF there has been nothing done—holders shipping their stock to New York. We quote it nominal at 45@50.

IN MESS PORK there have been very few sales. A few days since a lot of 300 bbls city sold at 417.25, since which the market has been quiet.

IN CUT MEATS there has been nothing done, although Shoulders have been freely offered at a decline of ¼@¾c on last week's figures. Some Green Meats have been sold at 4¾@5¼c for shoulders and 7¼c for hams.

LARD has been more active than Provisions; but sales have been principally in small lots at 11¼@11¾c for bbl and tierce, and 12c for keg—at which the market closes nominal.

POULTRY.—The mild weather has rendered the Poultry market dull—closing at 41.00@1.75 per dozen for Dressed Chickens and 42@2.50 for Turkeys.

POTATOES—Choice 60@70c; Common, 50@55c.

SUGARS—Market easier. The following are the closing quotations: New ORLEANS—Common, 6¼@7c; good common, 7¾c; fair to fairly fair, 7¾@7¾c; prime 7¾@8c; clarified and coffee in bbls, 8¾@10¼c. Cuba, 72¾c. Porto Rico, 7¾@8c; N. Y. refined white coffee, 10¼@11c. N. Y. standard crushed, powdered and granulated, 12c.

The following are Betscher's latest prices:

Loaf Sugar Double Refined	12¼c
Small Loaf Sugar	12¼c
Crushed Sugar, Double Refined	11¼c
Crushed Sugar	11¼c
Crushed Sugar	11¼c
Powdered Sugar, Double Refined	11¼c
Powdered Sugar	11¼c
Refined Yellow Sugar	10¼c
Refined Yellow Sugar	9¾c
Refined Yellow Sugar	9¾c
SALERATUS—Babbitts, 6¼@7¾c; Potash in cases, 7¾@13c.

SOAP—No. 1 Family, 4c; Extra, 5¾c; Erasive, 8c.

SPIRITS—Burning Fluid 60c; Camphene, 70c; Turpentine, 60c.

SPICES—Pepper, 11¼c; Pimento, 10c; Nutmegs, 70@80c; Indigo, 60c@41.12; Cloves, 12¼@15c; Cinnamon, 30@33c; Ginger, 8c.

SALT—Course, 42.12½ ⅌ bbl; Fine, 41.60 by the car load; Dairy, 42.50 ⅌ bbl of 220 lbs, with 25 empty bags.

FEEDS—Receipts last week 103,758 lbs, against 77,105 the preceding week. The shipments were 48,680 lbs—7,000 of which went to St. Louis. THEORY—The market for the week has been dullers and prices have the decided tendency towards the close. Sales TO-DAY: 500 bu prime at 41.90; 22 bags good at 41.75½. CLOVER—Market steady, with sales to-day of 45 bu prime at 6.12½; 60 bu good at 46.

TALLOW—Received during the week, 1,990 lbs, and shipped 28,869. The market has been very bare, and but few lots have been picked up at 10½c, at which it can be readily sold.

WOOL—Receipts during the week, 2840 lbs, and shipments 11,960 lbs. The market is quiet but firm. The following are the closing quotations:—FLEECE—Merino and Saxony, 40@45c. PULLED—Extra, 45c; Super, 33c; No. 1, 33 cents.

WOODEN WARE—PAILS—Three-hooped Pails, 42.00 ⅌ doz; Two-hooped do, 41.75. TUBS—Trade tubs, 41.75 per nest; No. 1 do ⅌ doz; No. 2, 47.50; Extra sized, 48. CHURNS—Four sizes, 49@18.50 ⅌ doz. BUCKETS—Hingham, 41.50 ⅌ doz. WASHBOARDS—Zinc, 42.37½@2.50 per doz; Wooden, 41.50. BROOMS—Extra, Wire, 43@2.50 per doz; Twine, 41.50@1.87½c. CLOTHES PINS—Headed, 41.25; Common, 41.00; Patent, 41.50.

WOOD—Beach and Maple, 43.50@4.50; Hickory, 46@6.50.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

LAKE SHORE SALE AND SHIPPING YARDS.
February 21st, 1859.

[Markets reported by Walker Sherman expressly for the Press and Tribune, by the week ending at date.]

Stock received for week.....540 Cattle.
.....174 Sheep.
.....1434 Hogs.
Total.....2148

SHIPPED BY M. C. R. R.

Rankin & Gallaspie	42 Cattle
W B Wright	67 "
Drummond & Co	26 "
Wm Simpson	23 "
Hume & Van Dyck	27 "
F Fenton	21 "
Van Brunt & W	212 "
Crasin & Co	453 Hogs
	145 "
Total	1445 "

Sales of 8 0 ordinary Cattle from 2¾@3c.
Sales of 240 better quality from 3¼@3½c.
Sales of few extra good shipping Cattle at 4c.
Sales of 1432 Hogs from 4¾@4¾c.
Sales of 174 Sheep from 2¾@4c ⅌ cwt.

Of the Stock of Cows and Calves from 420@34 ⅌ head.

Below we give a few of the sales of Cattle, &c.:

Upton to Henry—16 cattle; 19,310, at 43 25.
Bemor to Hancock—28 cattle; 31,570, at 43 10.
Bly to Curtis—4 cattle; 6,010, at 44.
Burr to Bly—15 cattle; 17,100, at 43.
Gregory to Crake—143 sheep; 11,635, at 44.
Stratton to Hancock—271 hogs; 19,030, at 44 03¾.

RAVE to Tabor—15 hogs; 1,140, at 44 05.
Thomas to Shaffer—198 hogs; 18,365, at 46 40.

Below we give the names of Drovers on the market for the week:

CATTLE.

S Fling	7	Huntington Bros	11
T W Wood	7	P Hobler	13
S S Hawley	15	D Burr	15
Marshall & Co	21	L H Parkhurst	12
H K owles	17	J Mondle	11
J D Upton	16	John Reilly	16
J Wilson	16	J Sullivan	11
L Templeton	15	J A Sherman	11
Hall Bros & W	27	Rankin & Gallaspie	42
F Hunter	28	G W Burton	13
E Butts	13	J B Williams	42
L Hamilton	23	J C Parker & Co	13
H Henson	23		
Lowell & Co	20	Total	540
H Reid	46		

SHEEP.

D Rankin	92		
W Mellott	82		
Total	174		

Chicago Weekly Live Stock Market.

Ulich's Sale and Shipping Stock Yards. Reported expressly for the Press and Tribune by THOS. NICOLLS, for the week ending Feb. 21st.

Total No of Cattle received for week	549
" " Hogs " "	1,161
" " Sheep " "	95
" " Cows & calves " "	98
Total of all kinds	1,853
Shipped east via M. S. & N. I. R. R.	383 cattle,
	575 hogs.

Sales of 160 head good cattle at 4¼@4¾ to 4¼ for cows.

Sales of 275 medium do., at 3¾@3¾.

Sales of 114 inferior do. at 3@3½@2.75.

Sales of 349 good Hogs, 150 lbs and upward at 5.35@5.75.

Sales of 95 Sheep at 4.25@4.50 per 100 lbs.

Sales of 15 Cows and Calves at 420 to 430@440 per head for good.

The Market for all kinds of good stock is active. There is a good demand for Shipping and Packing Cattle. Good Hogs are ready sale at 5¼c and upward. Sheep are very scarce.

THOS. NICOLLS.

Movement of Breadstuffs—Feb. 19.

RECEIPTS BY RAILWAYS.

	Flour bbls.	Wh't bu.	Corn bu.	Oats bu.	Rye bu.	B'ley bu.
By Lake	857	6775	837	777	273	....
By Rock I. R.R.	1,161	17,464	11,029	4,924	700	2,195
By Ill Central	298	3832	....	....	1109	22
By B. & Q.	1,016	8,285	2990	....	....	....
By R.P.F.&C.	100	971	....	617	88	135
By C. A. & St. L.	59	470	67	....	....	47
Total	3,163	19,589	3801	1412	2091	184

New York Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.] NEW YORK, Feb. 21, 1859.

Flour without important change. Inferior grades are dull and 5@10c lower, while good to fancy brands are firmer. Sales 10,000 bbls. at 45.30@45.50 for Super State; 45.90@46.10