

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS

There was not very much activity in business yesterday, except in the produce and fruit houses. Receipts were again large, but the demand seems to hold up sufficiently to prevent anything like a violent slump in prices. Receipts from the coast during the week, and 15 cents is the top price for any kind of stock, with Eastern offering much lower. Butter is firm for creamery, with more butter out of the market.

Table with columns: Bank Clearances, Exchange Balances, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Spokane.

PORTLAND MARKETS. Grain, Flour, Etc. The wheat market is still drifting along in a lifeless kind of manner. There are a few small lots selling at about spot values, but the majority of holders are not ready to do business, many of them expecting better prices later on, while others have not yet progressed far enough with their harvesting to care about negotiating for the sale of the crop.

Table with columns: Wheat, Flour, Corn, Oats, Hay, etc. listing various grades and prices.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc. Butter - Fancy creamery, 45¢ per lb; store, 25¢ per lb. Eggs - Fancy, 25¢ per dozen. Poultry - Chickens, turkey, 25¢ per lb.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc. Vegetables - Parsnips, 1¢; carrots, 75¢; turnips, 75¢ per sack. Fruit - Apples, 15¢ per bushel; peaches, 10¢ per bushel.

Coffee, Tea, Etc. Coffee - Java, 25¢; Sumatra, 20¢. Tea - Java, 25¢; Assam, 20¢.

Stocks in London. LONDON, Aug. 9. - Auction, 27½; Canadian Pacific, 89½; Union Pacific, 17½; Grand Trunk, 65; American, 84; Rand Mines, 20½. Bar silver, 28 1/16 per ounce. Money, 5½ per cent.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. NEW YORK, Aug. 9. - Quotations were hardly more than nominal in the stock market today. There was not a single feature of striking interest in the day's trading, and the aggregate number of shares sold for the first time for the first time in a full trading day.

Chicago Grain and Produce. CHICAGO, Aug. 9. - Wheat started with a material advance, September at 74¢ per bushel, as compared with yesterday's closing price of 73¢. Liverpool quotations, always an important factor in the market, showed an unexpected advance of 1/8¢, and this strength was reflected in the opening here.

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HERE IS SOMETHING GOOD. The Latest Exploit of Yellow Journalism Adquately Treated. Brooklyn Eagle. When E. L. Godkin left the New York Evening Post, the Eagle was the only newspaper in Greater New York to publish an editorial upon his retirement. His paper did not print in other newspaper offices, and the reasons why, real or supposed, were not hard to find.

Since then, Mr. Godkin has been stricken with illness which should not make him the prey of ghoulish hunters, but which has rendered him almost helpless. His sympathy of decent men for his sufferings and of the respect of strong men for his power, courage and hard work in the past, has led to the fact that he has become the victim of false pretenses by the New York Journal, to which he was wont to refer as a pagan sheet, and has now become the game of rascals and monkeys by the New York Herald.

NEW YORK GRAIN AND PRODUCE. NEW YORK, Aug. 9. - Flour - Receipts, 7443 barrels; exports, 2439 barrels; market firm. Wheat - Receipts, 40,652 bushels; exports, 21,174; No. 2 red, 85¢; No. 3, 80¢. Corn - Receipts, 10,000 bushels; exports, 5,000; No. 2, 55¢; No. 3, 50¢.

EUROPEAN GRAIN MARKETS. LONDON, Aug. 9. - Wheat - Standard on passage, quiet and steady; cargo No. 1, 40s; No. 2, 38s; No. 3, 36s. Corn - Receipts, 10,000 bushels; exports, 5,000; No. 2, 55¢; No. 3, 50¢.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9. - Wool - Spring, Nevada, 130¢; Eastern Oregon, 140¢; Valley, Oregon, 150¢. Fall - Northern, 160¢; Central, 170¢; Southern, 180¢.

Money Exchange, Etc. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9. - Sterling on 90 days, 44 1/8; do sight, 44 1/8. LONDON, Aug. 9. - Consols, 87 1/16; silver, 25 1/16.

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THE METAL MARKETS. NEW YORK, Aug. 9. - There was little feature of importance to the metal market today. Tin showed some activity, in view of the advance of 1 1/2¢ abroad, closing steady in tone for spot at \$31.75 per ton.

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