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DOMESTIC DOINGS.

Hon. O. W. Clapp, of Chicago, Gains the Famous $200,000 Will Suit.

Nine Hundred Canadian Emigrants Snow-Bound in Chicago.

The Charley Ross Game Attempted on a Cincinnati Child.

Strike Threatened.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

CINCINNATI, March 21—10 p. m.—Journeymen tailors to the number of about 150 have made a demand for an advance of 25 per cent. in wages from the different stores in the city, and have given the bosses until Wednesday noon to answer, when a strike is threatened if they don't comply.

Roasted Horseflesh.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

PARIS, Ky., March 21—10 p. m.—Jas. Offutt's training stable burned Sunday, and seven valuable trotting horses were lost in the flames. Maj Henry Turner lost two, worth $1,400; O. D. Tipton, of New York, lost one worth $4,000; Wm. B. Smith, of this city, lost three worth $1,000, and Ed. Ford, a trotter, price unknown. The loss on the building is $4,000; no insurance. It is thought to be the work of an incendiary.

Played a Trum .

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

DETROIT, March 21—10 p. m.—David Plattner turned state's evidence in a justice's court this morning, and confessed to being one of the party who murdered Anthony Miller, at the village of Norris, in 1878. Plattner said his fellow prisoners, O'Brien, Girard, Graham and Clark, were his accomplices. Plattner, O'Brien and Girard were brought here from the state prison to give evidence in the cases of Graham and Clark, before Justice Borgman, where this tripple confession was made to-day.

Rome Inundated.

Special Dispatche to The Bee.

ROME, Ga., March 21—10 p. m.—This locality is suffering from unprecedented rains. The river is three feet higher than ever before known. Worley Bridge, fifteen miles above, was washed away, and coming down, tore away two others. The loss of property will reach $400,000. A negro was drowned by the capsizing of his boat while among the floating debris. Business is fairly suspended. No trains have been run on the Rome railroad for three days, and the publication of newspapers is suspended. People go about the city in boats.

Blind Infatuation.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

GREENVILLE, N. J., March 21—10 p. m.—John McGreston was arrested for breaking into a Roman Catholic convent, at an early hour this morning, for the purpose of visiting a nun, for whom he had conceived a passion. He was held for trial.

The Fall River Strike.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

FALL RIVER, Mass., March 21—10 p. m.—The American Printing Co. gave its help an opportunity to return to work at the old prices, this morning. They refused. The spinners at the Chase mill struck in consequence of the discharge of the treasurer of the Spinners' union.

Snow-Bound Emigrants.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

CHICAGO, March 21—10 p. m.—A colony of Canadians, numbering nine hundred souls, arrived in Chicago Saturday over the Grand Trunk and Michigan Central roads, and still remain here, the snow blockade preventing them from proceeding to their destinations in Minnesota, Dakota and Manitoba. About two hundred of them are from the vicinity of Ottawa, and the remainder are from western Ontario. They are nearly all thrifty farmers, with large families, and carry with them stock and agricultural implements. Their entire train from this point will number ninety-one cars, including freight. There has been one birth in the party since leaving Canada.

Something Rotten.

Special dispatch to The Bee.

DETROIT, March 21—10 p. m.—The NEWS to-day exposes a shocking case of rottenness at the county asylum. A female employe and former patient, Celia Wyncoop, is about to become a mother. An effort was made to investigate the case, which resulted in ugly charges against this institution.

Shot His Stepson.

Special dispatch to The Bee

COLUMBUS, Ga., March 22—1 a. m.—A terrible tragedy occurred at Collins' mill, in which Terry Collins shot and killed J. W. Skipper. She was a widow at the time of the marriage, and had a son. The difficulty was caused about this boy, who had run away from his stepfather, Skipper, and wanted to live with his grandmother.

New Steamboat Line

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

CHICAGO, March 22—1 a. m.—A Dubuque special says certain capitalists along the Mississippi river, backed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, have formed an organization to establish a new steamboat line on the Mississippi between that city and St. Louis, for passenger and freight boats.

A Big Prize.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

DIXON, Ill., March 22—1 a. m.—Judge Eustace decided the celebrated Clapp will case, involving over $200,000 in favor of O. W. Clapp, of Chicago, son of the legatee, who contested the case about a year since. Lewis Clapp bequeathed $150,000 for the establishment of an agricultural college, conditioned on the county raising $100,000. O. W. Clapp, who is an only son, contested the will and has now won the victory.

Child Kidnapped.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

CINCINNATI, O., March 21—10 p. m.—The disappearance of little Theodore Kelly has become an exciting topic, and is everywhere discussed. Last Thursday afternoon some children were playing on Race street, near Theodore's home, he being one of them. About two o'clock his elder brother ran into the house, saying a woman helped Theodore across the gutter and he went away with her. Search was at once instituted, and has been kept up since, but not the slightest trace of him has been obtained. The father and mother of the boy have not slept, and are almost frantic. He is two and a half years old.

LATER—Theodore Kelly, the little boy supposed to have been kidnapped by Gypsies, was found to-day in the possession of a woman named Kate Fitzgerald, living in Newport, Ky. The woman was placed in jail.

Chicago's Hero.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

CHICAGO, March 21—10 p. m.—Fred Bilderhauser, known as "Dutch Fritz," who, yesterday afternoon, made a hazardous attempt to reach the tug "O. B. Green," imprisoned in the ice three miles off shore, is the hero of to-day in Chicago. He reached the tug about 9 p. m., having dragged his boat, containing supplies of provisions over the mountains of ice, and paddled it through open spaces of water, frequently falling into the slush and ice up to his waist. He found the tug all right, but firmly imbedded in the ice. Captain Napier and crew were very hungry, having had nothing to eat since Saturday morning. Fritz returned to shore about daylight, and intends to make another trip with provisions.

1 a. m.—The captain and one of the crew of the tug "O. B. Green," which is imprisoned in the ice, three miles off Hyde Park, came ashore yesterday afternoon, walking over the ice with the aid of long poles. They went down a dozen times or more up to their necks in the slush, and would have drowned had it not been for the poles which kept their heads above water. They were nearly exhausted on reaching land, and reported that the remainder of the crew were huddled together and nearly famished for want of food. They proved the story of "Dutch Fritz," that he reached them Sunday night, to have been false. Fritz is supposed to have turned about and came ashore Sunday night. He, however, set out again yesterday, and was seen to reach the tug sometime after the captain and his companion left it. An order was issued by the city council last night, to have the people on the tug rescued at all hazards, and regardless of expense.

Under the Wheels.

Special Dispatch to the Bee.

ST. JOSEPH, MO., March 22—1 a. m.—Andrew Shackelford, aged 25, a brakeman on the K. C., St. Joe & C. B. railroad, was backed down upon by a freight train switching in the yard at Winthrop Sunday, while his foot was fastened in a frog, and had an arm and leg severed from his body, besides receiving other internal injuries. His young wife of scarcely a year is said to be in a critical condition.

A section hand, named Portney, attempted to jump from train No. 57, moving west at Gower, at five o'clock Sunday afternoon. His foot slipped, and he fell beneath the wheels. One leg and arm were crushed off, and he died at eleven o'clock the same evening.

Storm Notes.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

WAUKEGAN, Ia., March 22—1 a. m.—Saturday's was the worst snowstorm of the season, no trains getting through to Milwaukee for twenty-four hours. The streets were impassable Sunday, and the churches were closed and no services held. Yesterday the trains going south from here were able to get through, but no trains arrived from Milwaukee. This is the first time this winter that there has been serious delay on this division.

MADISON, Wis., March 22—1 a. m.—Railroads in this vicinity are badly blockaded by snow, and there is no prospect of getting a train from Chicago very soon. The "Arabian Nights" party, who were to begin an engagement in Chicago last night, are here, unable to get out.

DES MOINES, Ia., March 22—1 a. m.—Snow bound trains, which left Chicago Saturday noon, began to arrive here at noon yesterday.

ELECTRIC BRIEFS.

Special Dispatches to The Bee.

Murdock, the veteran actor, who has lived in Cincinnati since the days when he entertained Forest, the elder Booth, and others, has determined to remove east, and will make his home in Massachusetts.

Walter C. Mahond, a negro cook, who was delirious with the small-pox, rushed out of a New York hospital stark naked, yesterday morning, and ran three blocks up Broadway, followed by a large crowd. He was finally taken by the police.

Yesterday afternoon the passenger train on the Sioux City & St. Paul railroad, ran down a hand-car, near Mankato, Minn., on which were seven laborers. Six of them jumped and escaped injury, but the seventh was thrown under the cars and killed.

Ed. King was killed at Russellville, Ky., last night, while on his way home, by Ed. Clark, who shot him three times.

A ten-year-old son of John Schroder, of Russellville, Ky., accidentally swallowed a silver quarter Sunday night. He was stricken with paralysis an hour later, and died at 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

Amory Sullivan, lessee of the Standard theater, San Francisco, could not be found last night at the time for opening the theater. Emily Soldene, who was playing an engagement at the Standard, immediately went to the California theater. Sullivan has lost about $200 a night for the past month.

The Chicago republican city primaries were held yesterday afternoon, and indications are that John A. Clark, the candidate of the liquor interest, will be nominated for mayor in the convention to-day.

Military Matters.

A general court martial is hereby appointed to meet at Fort Robinson, Neb., on the 28th day of March, 1881, or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the trial of such prisoners as may be brought before it.

The court will be composed as follows:

Major William T. Gentry, Ninth infantry; Captain John M. Hamilton, Fifth cavalry; Captain Alfred Morton, Ninth infantry; First Lieutenant Charles D. Parkhurst, Fifth cavalry; Second Lieutenant Henry J. Goldman, Fifth cavalry; Second Lieutenant Frank L. Dodds, Ninth infantry; Second Lieutenant Christopher C. Miher, Ninth infantry.

First Lieutenant William B. Brewster, medical department, U. S. Army, judge advocate.

No other officers than those named can be assembled without manifest injury to the service.

FOREIGN EVENTS.

President Grevy Will Send a Deputation of French Soldiers to the Yorktown Centennial.

Nihilists Force the Czar to Quit the Russian Capital.

A Decisive Move in French Politics Thought to be Imminent.

CHANGE OF BASE.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 21—10 p. m.—The czar will make Moscow his residence for the present. This is supposed to be a precautionary move, intended to thwart a series of matured plans laid by nihilists for the destruction of the life of the czar.

GAMBETTA'S OPPOSITION.

Special Dispatch to the Bee

PARIS, March 21—10 p. m.—A secret vote will be taken on the Scraten de Liste bill, which will tempt many who have a grudge against Gambetta, to stab him in the dark. There is a strong coalition against him.

FRANCE LOSING HER GRIP ON EGYPT.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

LONDON, March 22—1 a. m.—Special dispatches from Alexandria, Egypt, announce the release of Baron Dering, French consul-general, and the recall of M. DeBligniereres, the French controller-general of Egyptian finances. This is considered a serious blow to the usefulness of French control over Egyptian affairs, and proof of the renewal of the old jealousy between France and England, M. DeBligniereres having worked loyally with the English controller and the khedive's minister, where Aaron Dering pursued a different policy.

IRISH SEVERALTY ALLOTMENT.

It is reported that the government will make a compulsory purchase of 1,000,000 acres of the reclaimable portion of the waste lands in Ireland. This will be reclaimed at the expense of a million and a half pounds, and will afterwards be apportioned among tenants in thirty acre farms. The project meets general approval. Measures for practically carrying out the plan will be taken up as early as possible. The proposition is one of the features of Gladstone's land bill, and is opposed by the conservatives.

CABLEGRAMS.

Special Dispatches to THE BEE.

In the court of the queen's bench, yesterday, an effort was made to stop Labouchere's cross-examination, on the ground of the impertinent and personal character of the questions. Chief Justice Coolidge would not sustain the motion.

The Oldham (Eng.) masters yesterday refused a demand of the power loom weavers for an advance of their wages.

Russian police have discovered the existence of a great international conspiracy, and numerous arrests have been made in consequence.

Dispatches from Newcastle say it is reported that the armistice has been prolonged fourteen days.

The political situation in Paris is declared to be very grave. The cabinet held a very lengthy consultation last night.

In replying to the letter of President Hayes, inviting France to send delegates to the centenary of the battle of Yorktown, President Grevy cordially accepts the invitation.

THE CROPS.

OPINIONS OF GRAIN DEALERS ON THE YIELD OF CEREALS THIS YEAR.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

NEW YORK, March 22—1 a. m.—There is great interest here in the reports from the west and northwest concerning the storms and effects upon the crops. All prominent brokers and bankers are in direct telegraphic communication with agents, not only in the west, but in Washington, where they are directed to watch carefully the special advices of the signal service bureau.

All local agents in the west have been especially instructed to report on the condition of crops and the effect upon railroad earnings, etc. In fact some of the more prominent grain dealers of the west and northwest are here now in consultation with the New York houses. Among the number is William Baker, of Chicago. He was met by an agent of the National Associated Press last evening, and who, in conversation, gave a general review of the situation, which confirms the tenor of the dispatches received the past few weeks. Mr. Baker said in substance: "It should be borne in mind that the season is now very far advanced and the whole northwest country, taken from the latitude of Chicago west and northwest, is still frost bound. Not only this, but the ground is covered with snow and ice, where a year ago at this time the fields were green with the new growth. Not only this, but it is an important fact that very little plowing was done last fall, on account of the early frost, and consequently the farmers have an extra amount to do this spring. At this time last year the crops had at least fifteen days good growth. Altogether farmers are three weeks behind, and still the ground is covered with snow and ice. On account of the continued snow throughout the winter, the great share of the corn crop has not been harvested, and still lies under the snow, and when the thaw comes it will be greatly damaged by the water."

Mr. Baker then gave some figures as to what the shortage of the crops for 1881 would be, and altogether took a very despondent view of the prospect.

ANOTHER VIEW.

Strong reports for the increasing short crops of spring and winter wheat, because of the length and severity of the winter, continued to come in all day yesterday from the most important points in the great northwest. Mr. Hoyt said: "I have no fears whatever of a short crop in spring or winter wheat. In fact I believe both crops will be above the average. I believe that the advantage of better preparations to begin work will more than compensate for any disadvantages caused by the late winter. It is a mistake to suppose it is too late to get in a full crop of spring wheat. If nothing keeps work later than the first of April, I think everything will be as usual, and even better. There is mischief in this scare; its the speculative mania. The coating of snow the ground has had all winter will be a great benefit to the crops. It keeps certain chemical properties in the earth, which will supply a greater yielding power than manure."

NOT PANICKY.

CHICAGO, March 22—1 a. m.—While there is some talk on 'change about the long and hard winter damaging the crops, and preventing the usual amount of spring seeding, it does not appear to cause much uneasiness on the part of the more intelligent class of operators. They look upon it as an ordinary rumor, set afloat for the purpose of influencing the market.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Special Dispatches to The Bee.

No caucus on either side was held yesterday. The republicans postponed their caucus on account of the indisposition of Senator Anthony.

Hon. A. M. Jones, of Chicago, will be nominated for marshal of the Northern district of Illinois, by President Garfield to-day.

NOMINATIONS.

The following nominations were sent to the senate yesterday: Thomas Wilson, of the District of Columbia, U. S. consul to Ghent; Mason Bane, of Utah, receiver of public moneys at Salt Lake City; W. H. H. Llewellyn, of Nebraska, agent for the Mescater Indians, New Mexico; Ronello W. Berry, of Idaho, collector of internal revenue for the Territory of Idaho; Chas. Eslinger, postmaster of Manitowoc, Wis.; Thos. Douglass, postmaster at Mansfield, O.

CONFIRMATIONS.

The senate in executive session confirmed the following nominations: Levi P. Morton, of New York, minister to France; D. Dana Horton, of Ohio, secretary of the international monetary conference; Henry Pease, of Vicksburg, receiver of public moneys at Watertown, Dakota; Henry Cousins, of Eau Claire, Wis., register of the land office, Florence, Arizona; Wm. H. Somers, receiver of public moneys at Beatrice, Neb.; H. H. Griffith, receiver of public moneys, Des Moines, Ia.; Henry W. Dwight, register of land office, LaGrange, Ore.

REFUNDING—TALK OF AN EXTRA SESSION.

Washington Special to The St. Louis Republican.

A prominent western republican representative called on the president to-day, and in the course of conversation said, in response to a question: "It appears to be true that a large number of republicans in both branches of congress desire an extra session called, but they do not seem to understand what its outcome will be."

"To what do you refer?" said the president.

"To the prospect of the passage of a refunding bill that will be satisfactory to the majority of republicans. Do you suppose it possible to pass a refunding bill that will differ materially from that vetoed by Mr. Hayes?"

"Yes, I think it is possible," said the president. "I am assured that it is."

"Well, it is not possible in my opinion," responded the congressmen. "The refunding bill passed, if one be passed, will be in all essentials like the one vetoed. The democrats will support such a bill and none other, and I can answer for a dozen republicans, besides myself, who will support no bill not containing the main provisions of the Carlisle section. Now, that's the reason I opposed an extra session; simply because I do not believe a refunding bill that will not be vetoed can be passed."

"Garfield," said the representative later, "seems to have some new light."

SENATE.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE

WASHINGTON, March 21—10 p. m.—Neither the galleries nor the members' seats were more than half full when the senate convened at 12 o'clock, but the latter filled up while the journal was being read.

A communication from the governor of Wisconsin submitted the state resolution in memory of the late Senator Carpenter. It was read and ordered spread on the journal. At 1 o'clock the senate went into executive session.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Money and Stocks

WALL STREET, March 21.

At 1 p.m. the prices were as follows:

MONEY—Four per cent. exchange, steady at $4.81@4.84½.

GOVERNMENTS.

Firm.			
U S 6's, '81	1 02½	U S 4's	1 13⅝
U S 5's	1 14	Currency 6's	1 30
U S 4½'s	1 11⅝		

STOCKS.

W U	114	T M	64⅛
C C & I C	24½	K & T	45⅝
N Y C	144	L S	127⅛
N J C	105⅝	L & N	92⅝
I C	138½	Northwestern	122¼
Ohio Cen.	34½	Pfd	134
M P	46⅞	O & W	36
Manhattan	39½	P M	57⅛
Metropolitan		Reading	63⅝
N Y Elevated		R I	133
Alton	128	San Fran	41½
C S	80⅝	St. Paul	111
C & O	24½	Wabash	46⅝
Del & H	110⅝	pfd	88½
Del & Lack	124½	N & C	100⅛
Erie	47⅞		

Baltimore Produce Market.

BALTIMORE, March 21.

Flour—Steady and firm. Western superfine, $3 25@4 00; extra, $4 25@5 00; family, $9 25@10 00.

Wheat—Unsteady. No. 2 western winter, red, spot and March, $1 20⅝@1 20½; April, $1 20⅞@1 20⅞; May, $1 21@1 21⅞; June, $1 19⅞@1 20⅛.

Corn—Western, shade higher and firm; western mixed, spot and March, 57⅛@57½c; April, 54⅞@56c; May, 55@55⅝c; steamer; 54⅞.

Oats—Easier and fairly active; western white, 49@47c; mixed, 44@45c.

Rye—Firm at $1 09@1 10.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, March 21.

Wheat—Spring. March, $1 02⅛@1 02½; April, $1 02⅛@1 02⅝; May, $1 07⅜@1 07⅞; June, $1 07⅞@1 08; July, $1 06⅛ bid and $1 06⅞ asked; year, 96½c bid and 97c asked, closing with seller at outside prices.

Corn—April 39⅛ bid, 39⅛ asked; May sold at 43⅜c, June at 43⅛@43⅜c; July, 44⅛@44½c; August, 44½c, closing quoted with inside prices bid.

Oats—April sold at 30⅛@30⅜; May at 34⅝@34⅞c; June 34⅜; bid, and 34⅝c asked; July, 33⅞ asked.

Rye—April 97⅞c asked and 97 bid; May sold at $1 01.

Mess Pork—April, $15 35@15 32½; May, $15 47½@15 50; June, $15 62½; closed steady; sales 5,250 bbls.

Lard—April, $10 55@10 57½; May, $10 70@10 72½; June, $10 60@10 82½; July, $10 92½@10 95; year, $10 55 closing, seller at outside prices. Sales 750 tierces.

Short Ribs—April $7 65⅞, May $7 70@7 72½, June $7 82½. Sales 500,000 pounds.

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, March 21.

Flour—Receipts 23,000 bbls. Sales 13,000 bbls, without decided change. Moderate export and jobbing trade demand.

Wheat—Market ⅛@½ cent better. Rather quiet. Sales 16,000 bu.; No. 1 white April at $1.21, 8,000 bu.; No. red, March, $1 25½, 40,000 bu.; April at $1 23½@$1 23⅝, 20,000 bu; May at $1 22⅝@1 22⅝.

Corn—Market ⅛@⅜ cent higher and moderately active. Mixed western spot 58@61½c; do, future, 55½@61c. Sales 150,000 bu.

Oats—Firm to quiet; western 44@48½c; sales 30,000 bu., including No. 2 June at 43c.

Beef—Firm; new plain mess, nominal; new extra $11 00@11 50.

Pork—Firm to quiet; old mess, $15 25@15 50 spot.

Lard—Higher and strong; steam, $11 15.

Butter—Steady, fair demand for choice Ohio 10@13c.

Cheese—Firm at 8@13½c.

Sugar—Uncharged.

Molasses—Quiet.

Petroleum—Unchanged.

Rice—In good demand and firm.

Coffee—Dull.

Freights—Heavy.

Spirits of Turpentine—Dull.

Rosin—Firm.

Tallow—Steady at 16@16⅜c.

Eggs—Western, firm at 20½c.

Cotton—Quiet; sales 1 151 bales; middling uplands, $10 00, 13 00@16 00; Orleans, $11 00, 14 00@16 00; futures, steady; March, $10 70; April, $10 73; May, $10 82; June, $10 92; July, $11 01; August, $11 07, closing.

Chicago Live Stock Market

CHICAGO, March 21.

Hogs—Market for hogs was active to the extent of the supply on packing and shipping account, and Saturday's advance was maintained. Sales ranged from $5 75 a 6 35 for good to choice smooth shipping heavy. At present writing the bulk of the offerings are sold. The fresh receipts were 1,500 head.

Cattle—Receipts of cattle were the lightest that have been received at the yard. Up to 11 o'clock they only numbered 90 head, and owing to the snow blockade on the different roads, the prospect is that but few, if any, will arrive during the day, and in the absence of sales we quote the market entirely nominal for all grades of stock.

St. Louis Produce Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 21.

Flour—Unchanged.

Wheat—Opened better but declined No. 2 red, $1 04⅝@1 04½ for cash; $1 05⅞@1 05⅞ for April; $1 07⅛@1 07⅜ for May; $1 05½ bid for June; $96½c bid for the year; No. 3 do, 93c; No. 4 do, 93⅛@94 bid.

Corn—Easier at 43c cash and March, 42½@42½c for April; 42⅝@42½c for May; 42⅞@42⅝c for July.

Oats—Cash options lower at 36@36½c cash, 35½@35⅞ for May.

Rye—Firm at $1 05.

Barley—Unchanged.

Lard—Quiet at 4½c.

Butter—Steady at 18a26c.

Eggs—Weak at 13½c.

Whisky—Steady at $1 06.

Provisions—Pork lower at $15 55 for April. Dry salt meats lower at $5 70a5 65.

Lard—Nominal.

Receipts, flour 7,000 bbls; wheat 17,000 bu.

Cincinnati Produce Market

CINCINNATI, March 21.

Flour—Firmer; family, $4 80a5 10; fancy, $5 25a6 00.

Wheat—Quiet; No. 2 red, $1 08a1 09.

Corn—Steady; mixed, 47c

Oats—Quiet and firm. No. 2 mixed, 38c.

Barley—Firm; $1 07.

Rye—Dull; No. 2, $1 14

Pork—Dull at $15 25.

Lard—Quiet at $10 55 a 10 57½

Bacon—Quiet and firm at $5 87½a8 70.

Whisky—Fair demand at $1 05.

Weekly Market Review.

WHOLESALE.

OMAHA, March 22, 1881.

The market remains about the same with very few changes, except in hogs and grain, which have advanced. The supply is good with only a fair demand.

GRAIN.

WHEAT—Higher; No. 2, 83c; No. 3, 72c; rejected, 58c.

BARLEY—Nominal.

RYE—No. 2, 82c.

CORN—Western mixed 27c.

OATS—No. 2, 30c.

PRODUCE.

Dull; butter, quiet and lower; good, 15c; choice, 18c; eggs, lower and quiet at 20c; cheese, Nebraska, 14c; New York, 14½c; potatoes, firm; peach blows, 90c; early rose, 75c; onions, nominal; hay, firm; baled, $9 50@11 50; in bulk, $7 25@8 00; cider, quiet and unchanged, $8 50 per cask of 40 gallons; hickory nuts, 65c@$1 10 per bu.; chestnuts, $3 00; walnuts, 65c; cranberries, $7 00@8 00 per bbl; fresh oysters, 25@35@40c per can; honey, comb, firm at 19@22c.

PORK AND LARD.

Quiet and unchanged; hams, smoked, $9 75; bacon, clear, $8 62½; breakfast, $9 50@10 00; dry salt sides, clear, $7 25@8 00; ribs, $7 75; shoulders, $5 50@4 75; lard, $10 00.

LIVE STOCK.

Dull; native fat steers, $3 50@4 25; western, nominal cows, native, $3 00@3 35; western, nominal; sheep, western, butchers stock, $3 25@350; natives, $3 75@4 00@4 25; veal is scarce and sells readily at $5 50@6 00; hogs, higher and active; fair stock $4 95; choice, carload lots, $5 25.

GROCERIES

Unchanged; sugars, cut loaf, 10½c per lb.; powdered 10⅛c; granulated, 10⅛c; standard "A," 9½c; off "A" 9⅛c; white extra "C," 9c; standard extra, "O," 8⅞c; yellow "C" 8c.

SYRUPS—Best barrels, 50c per gallon; best half barrels, 52c; best kegs, $2 30 per keg; standard bbls., 47c per gallon; standard half bbls., 49c; standard kegs, $2 00 per keg.

COFFEES—Costa Rica 18½c per lb., santos 18½c, Mexican 18c, fancy rio 16c, choice do. 15½c; prime do., 15c; good do. 14½c.

CANNED GOODS—3 lb. peaches $4 20 per case, 2 lb. peaches $3 15, 2 lb. blackberries $2 20, 2 lb. raspberries $3 00, 2 lb. gooseberries $3 50, 3 lb; pears $3 00, 3 lb. tomatoes $3 00, 2 lb. do. $2 50, 2 lb. corn $3 75, 2 lb. peas $5 00, 2 lb. do, $3 00, 2 lb string beans $2 50, 2lb Lima do. $2 25.

FISH—1 lb No. 1 mackerals half bbl., $7 50; mackeral, kits, $1 25; family do., half bbl., $4 75; do, do, kits, 85c; 1 lb. white fish, half bbl., $8 00; do, kits, $1 25; family do, half bbls., $5 00; do, do, kits, $1 00; Labrador herring, half bbl. $4 00; do, quarter bbl. $2 25; do, kits, 90c; scaled, per box, 50c.

DRIED FRUITS—Alden apples, per lb., 11c; sliced do 5½c, common do, 6c; peaches, per lb., 8; blackberries 10½c, prunes 8c.

POULTRY.

Firm and in good demand; live chickens, no demand; dressed, 11@12c; ducks, dressed, 10@11c; turkeys, 12@13c; geese, 10@12c.

GREEN FRUITS

Active and higher; apples, Michigan, $3 00@3 25; Missouri, $2 75@3 00; malaga lemons, $4 25; Messina, $5 00; oranges, Messina, $4 50 per box, Valencias, $8 00; malaga grapes, 7 00@7 50 per barrel.

LEATHER.

Quiet; shoemaker's stock, sole leather, oak tanned, 40@43c perlb.; hemlock tanned, 30@36; upper, common, 22@26; upper, domestic calf, $1 00@1 30; French calf, $1 50@2 10; domestic kip, 80@$1 00; French, $1 00@1 50.

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WOOD.

Active, with good demand; hickory and oak, $7 75@8 00; cottonwood, $5 50@6 00.

BRICK.

Dull; common in kiln, $8 50@10 00; pressed, $16 00@18 00.

LUMBER.

Steady; framing, 18 ft. and under, per M, $20; fencing No. 1, 12 to 20 ft., $22 00; No. 2, 12 to 20 ft., $20 00; common boards, dressed, $20 00; flooring, No. 1, $40 00; No. 2 do, $35 00; siding, No. 1, $25 00; No. 2 do, $22 00; No. 3 do, $20 00; finishing, $40 00@55 00; shiplap, plain, $23 00; ceiling, three-eighth beaded, 6 inch, No. 1, $25 00; shingles, $2 50@3 75; pickets, No. 1, per M, $32 50; No. 2, $25 00; posts, cedar, 16@18c; oak, 30@40c.

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Firm and active; car load lots, $3 15; less quantities, $3 20@3 35.

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PROPOSALS FOR MILITARY SUPPLIES.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE PLATTE, OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, FORT OMAHA, NEB., March 11, 1881.

Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, April 19, 1881, or at the same hour (allowing for the difference in time) at the offices of the quartermasters at the following named stations, at which places and time they will be opened in presence of bidders, for furnishing and delivery of Military Supplies during the year commencing July 1st, 1881, and ending June 30th, 1882, as follows: Wood, hay and charcoal, or such of said supplies as may be required at Omaha Depot, Fort Omaha, Fort Bridger, Fort Sidney, Cheyenne Depot, Fort Russell, Fort Sanders, Fort Steele, Fort Hall, Fort Douglas, Fort Cameron, Fort Robinson, Fort Reidner, Fort Laramie, Fort Fetterman, Fort McKinney and Fort Washakie.

Proposals will also be received at this office to the day and hour above name, for the delivery on the cars at the point nearest to the prairie on the line of the Union Pacific, of eight thousand tons of coal, of 2240 pounds to the ton. Also for the delivery at the Omaha Depot, or at stations on the Union Pacific railroad, east from Kearney Junction, of two million pounds corn, and one million pounds oats. Bids for grain should state the rate per 100 pounds—not per bushel.

Proposals for either class of the stores mentioned, or for quantities less than the whole required, will be received. Each proposal should be in triplicate, *separate for each article at each station*, and must be accompanied by a bond in the sum of one thousand dollars, ($1000), executed strictly in accordance with the printed instructions, and upon the blank form furnished under this advertisement, guaranteeing that the party making the proposal shall not withdraw the same within sixty days from the date announced for opening the same; and if the said proposal is accepted and a contract for the supplies bid for, awarded thereunder, he will, within ten days after being notified of the award, (provided such notification be made within the sixty days above mentioned), accept the same and furnish good and sufficient sureties, at once, for the faithful performance of the contract.

The government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

A preference will be given to articles of domestic production.

Blank proposals and printed circulars, stating the kind and estimated quantities of wood, hay and charcoal required at each station, and giving full instructions as to the manner of bidding, conditions to be observed by bidders and terms of contract, &c., will be furnished on application to this office or to the quartermasters at the various stations named.

Envelopes containing proposals should be marked: "Proposals for ....." and addressed to the undersigned or to the respective post and depot quartermasters.

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Chief Quartermaster.

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