TARIFF LAW'S EFFECT.

Heavy Decrease In Goods In Bonded Warehouses.

CONSUMPTION ALSO INCREASED.

But the Main Cause For the Unusual Withdrawals Was In Anticipation of a Change In the Duties—An Interesting Statement Issued.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The following statement has been issued from the treasury department:

"The advance sheets of the monthly summary of finance and commerce for the month of June, 1897, about to be issued by the bureau of statistics, shows a heavy decrease as to goods held in bonded warehouses as compared with preceding years. The causes for unusual withdrawals have been mainly in anticipation of a change in the tariff and also an increasing demand for consumption. The value of goods remaining in bond June 30 was $18,135,723. As compared with the same day of the preceding year there is a decrease of $34,318,619. The lowest point to which bonds in warehouses fell was in February, 1895, and, since July, 1893, the highest point to which the value of goods in warehouse has reached was in July, 1896, $52,041,108. In anticipation of the Wilson tariff act the value of goods in warehouse rose from $40,100,000 in April, 1894, to $51,292,000 in June of that year.

"The value of goods under the head of chemicals remaining in bonded warehouse June 30, 1896, was $571,450, as against $839,225 same date 1895. The great increase in this list is in opium, which increased from 10,728 pounds, valued at $80,136, to 43,696 pounds, valued at $308,113. There were heavy withdrawals of cotton manufactures in anticipation of tariff changes. On June 30, 1896, the value of cotton manufactures in bond was $1,262,398, as against $584,811 the same day this year. In cotton cloth the decrease was almost $400,000, in earthen, stone and china ware the decrease was $168,476; in the manufactures of hemp, flax and jute the decrease is heavy in the higher grades, amounting to about $900,000. The value of fish remains about the same. The total value of fruits held was $230,206 last year, against $79,115 this year. The decrease in plums and prunes was 4,800,000 pounds. There was a falling off of about 40 per cent in the holdings of currants, and only 38,669 pounds of dates as against 245,368 pounds on the same day last year. The holdings of almonds decreased from 1,051,587 pounds to 516,231 pounds. In glass and glassware there has been no marked decrease except cylinder, crown and common window glass, from 3,000,202 pounds to 1,762,813 pounds. Plate glass, however, has increased from 39,972 to 74,992 square feet. There has been but a slight decrease in the manufactures of iron and steel.

"Some particular items under this head, however, show a marked decrease, as, for instance, tinplates, terneplates and taggers tin from 23,842,680 pounds to 5,286,015 pounds. There is a small increase as to bar iron, rolled or hammered, and ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, etc., of steel.

"In lead of all kinds, except manufactures thereof, there is a decrease from 11,632,456 pounds to 6,684,661 pounds. The value of leather not manufactured decreased from $673,102 to $240,434. In the manufactures of leather the decrease in gloves furnished the heaviest items from $410,086 to $176,783. Malt liquors decreased from $50,068 to $10,535. In the oil schedule the only decrease of importance is that of salad oil (olive) from 33,789 gallons to 14,028 gallons. Under the head of provisions, comprising meat and dairy products, there is an increase in the value of meat and meat extracts from $66,837 to $159,847. The item of cheese under the head of dairy products remains about the same.

"The quantity of rice decreased from 15,554,259 pounds to 11,870,459 pounds. The salt in warehouses about doubled. There is a heavy decrease in silk and manufactures thereof, from $8,311,774 to $719,981. There is substantially no change in the quantity or value of spirits in warehouses. The decrease as to sugar is particularly marked. On June 30, 1896, the value of all sugar in warehouses was $14,557,175 and on June 30, 1897, $1,896,402. In the raw beet sugars not above No. 16 Dutch standard there is a decrease from 40,884,945 pounds of the value of $912,505 to 26,960,095 pounds of the value of $469,319. The heavy decrease is of cane sugars not above 16 Dutch standard from 542,919,492 pounds valued at $13,003,173 to 68,751,851 pounds valued at $1,273,094.

"Sugars above No. 16 Dutch standard decreased from 24,659,833 pounds to 5,172,451 pounds. The quantity of tobacco in warehouses June 30, 1896, in the leaf, decreased from 30,184,856 pounds ($15,280,179) to 9,229,798 pounds ($6,418,798). No material decrease is shown in the holdings of manufactured tobaccos, such as cigars, cigarettes, etc. Under the wool schedule there is another marked falling off particularly in the item of cloths. The value of wool in bond on the last day of the fiscal year is shown to have been decreased from $6,993,283 to $1,470,908.

"Dutiable goods have decreased from $50,015,180 to $16,883,790 and free goods from $1,489,862 to $1,251,933.

"Two causes have combined to lower the stock of goods in bond, namely, an awakening demand for consumption and changes either actual or anticipated, in the new tariff which is now a law."

Powderly Takes His Place.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Mr. Terrence V. Powderly of Pennsylvania, formerly master workman of the Knights of Labor, has taken the prescribed oath and received his commission as commissioner general of immigration, succeeding Mr. Herman Stump of Maryland.

Savage Tramps In South Dakota.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Aug. 4.—Over 100 tramps and harvesters took possession of a freight train on the Northwestern and sidetracked it. After an hour's delay the tramps were dislodged and the train proceeded. Sheriff Ritter was called to Groton to arrest tramps who were terrorizing the town.

Miners Sue Their Employers.

ALTOONA, Pa., Aug. 4.—Although the Mitchell coal operators of Hastings supposed they had made satisfactory terms with their miners, the men are still out, because of a rumor that the mines are about to pass into other hands. The trouble at the Sterling mine No. 8 is still on. Thirty-two men have taken a new step by suing the officials of the mine for the value of the "fifth ton" taken off them. The suits average $10 each.

Free Silver Resolutions Adopted.

YORK, Pa., Aug. 4.—At the Democratic county convention resolutions of the most pronounced free silver character, drafted by Chauncey F. Black, were adopted. They also arraign the Republican administration of state affairs and denounce the tariff legislation of congress.

Franklin County Democrats.

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., Aug. 4.—The Franklin county Democratic convention adopted resolutions which indorse the Chicago platform, saying that William J. Bryan is the logical candidate of the Democracy in 1900, and closes with a strong denunciation of the legislature of 1897.

Killed by Kerosene Explosion.

EASTON, Pa., Aug. 4.—Mrs. George Stentake of East Bangor has been burned to death at her home by a kerosene explosion.

FLAG NOT ORDERED RAISED.

A Denial of a Protectorate Over the Hawaiian Islands.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—It is declared positively at the state department that there has been no change in the instructions given either to Minister Sewall or to Admiral Beardslee touching their attitude toward the Hawaiian question. The admiral's instructions were to protect American interests at all points and to establish a protectorate only in the event of serious disturbance or the commission of some overt act.

It is not understood that the execution of this order was at all dependent upon the action or non-action of congress upon the annexation.

At the navy department an even more explicit denial of the story that the flag was to be hoisted was obtained. It was said that Admiral Beardslee's orders only contemplated a landing in an emergency to preserve the status quo, and that the landing in that case would not be for a longer period of time than was necessary to restore conditions to their former shape. It was said that as President McKinley had referred the whole matter to congress along with the annexation treaty it would not be courteous to that body for the executive to act of its own volition until congress had expressed its will. It was further said that there was no truth in the oft-repeated story that the battleship Oregon was under orders to go to Honolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—The news received from Hawaii here was that if word was received that congress had not taken favorable action Minister Sewall was to raise the American flag and declare a protectorate, owing to the attitude of Japan.

MINERS' SECRET CONFERENCE.

Rea Much Pleased With the Outlook In West Virginia.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Aug. 4.—An open meeting has been addressed in Palatine by J. W. Rea and James Woods, vice president of the Cigarmakers' union. There was a good attendance. Rea speaks of a secret conference of the miners as very important, but refuses to give an account of the reports rendered. All of the mines were represented, and it is learned that the expenses of all the men were paid to this city and they were given their dinners and suppers. The following mines were represented:

West Fairmont, Montana, Luther, Aurora, O'Donnell, Glen Falls, Pinnickinnick, Noaland, New England, Gaston, Monongah Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Hites, Double X, Hutchinson, Pritchard, Despard, Fleminson, Wilsonburg and Opekiska.

Today Rae and Woods left here for Clarksburg, and all the men near there will meet in a monster massmeeting tomorrow. Rea says: "I am greatly encouraged. The conference today makes it evident that the Fairmont men will come out, and as Clarksburg is already tied up it looks like the strike is nearly over, if it depends on the men of this district.

GUARANTEED FREE SPEECH.

Atkinson Says If Miners Don't Trespass He Will Protect Them.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Aug. 4.—Governor Atkinson has written a letter to Messrs. Gompers, Sovereign and Ratchford, a committee on behalf of the striking miners who called on him to inquire concerning the injunction against them and to ask what were their rights in connection with addressing miners. The governor reminds them that his office is executive, and he cannot therefore interfere with the action of the courts, but he goes on to say that in his opinion there is the utmost freedom allowed in the discussion in public places of any subject.

The only restrictions being that there must not be trespass upon the property of others nor incitement to rioters or unlawful violence. He assures them that he will protect all citizens in the exercise of the right of free speech, warning them at the same time that if they abuse that right by interfering with the rights or property of others he will just as energetically use the power of the state to repress all lawlessness and preserve the peace.

CORBETT AND FITZ MAY MEET.

Dan Stuart Will Try to Bring Them Together Again.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Representatives of Peter Maher and Tom Sharkey have again met in this city and made a second deposit of $2,500 of the $10,000 for a fight between the pugilists. The offer of Dick Abraham of the Knickerbocker Athletic club of San Francisco of $20,000 for the fight to be pulled off in San Francisco was taken up. An answer was returned, saying that the offer would be accepted if the conditions of the articles were satisfactory. In the message the club expressed the desire for Oct. 12 as the day for the fight, but Maher's manager wants the time extended two weeks.

Dan Stuart said that he would not offer even $15 for the Maher-Sharkey fight, for he did not think it would be a good drawing card. He said: "I have an idea of giving another boxing carnival at Carson City, at which I expect to pull off three fights.

"One, I hope, will be between Corbett and Fitzsimmons, another between Maher and Goddard and one between Dan Creedon and Kid McCoy.

Countess of Craven a Mother.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 4.—News is received here of the birth in England of a son and heir to the Earland Countess of Craven. The countess was formerly Miss Cornelia Martin, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Martin.

Man and Wife Suicide.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—A supposed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas has occurred at 456 Lincoln street, Jersey City. The victims were Henry Aubert and Mina, his wife. Business reverses the supposed cause.

PENNSYLVANIA BRIEFS.

By Marrying Amelia C. Steel, Morris Cooper, against whom she had preferred a charge, secured a capias and was released from jail at West Chester.

Joseph Vanness, arrested as a tramp, refused to leave jail at West Chester, and says he will sue the county when his term expires.

The campmeeting at Simpson grove, Trevose, closed after having been in session three weeks.

The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company's collieries have resumed and there are plenty of cars to transport the coal.

Ex-Treasurer Dechert of Schuylkill county has retured over $6,000 to the treasury, representing amount surcharged, including interest on commissions.

Young women ran the trolley cars of Stroudsburg for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid society attached to the Sons of Veterans.

Thomas Phillips was stabbed by Geo. Colbey while attempting to prevent the latter from teasing some small boys at Mount Carbon.

The York county court refuses to approve the new $14,000 bridge recently built in the city of York.

In an interview at Pittsburg Senator Magee denies having had a conference with Quay people, but says he is not opposed to harmony.

Captain Skinner and associates in the Chickamauga-Chattanooga battlefield commission are making preparations for the dedication of Pennsylvania monuments.

The new law relating to the payment of bonus on charters is proving to be a remarkably remunerative measure.

State Treasurer Haywood denies that he has, as reported, advanced money to legislators whose expense bills were killed by the governor.

DE ARMIT'S MEN QUIT

The Operator's Mines Almost Closed Down.

STRIKERS ARE VERY THANKFUL.

They Held a Prayer and Praise Meeting. Operators Go on the Bail of Mine Leaders Arrested Through Action of DeArmit—Strike Situation.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 4.—District President Patrick Dolan rested last night after his labors of the past few days and attended to his correspondence at headquarters during the morning. He is much encouraged by the situation at the mines of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company. Mr. Dolan said:

"Only three men are at work at Plum Creek, one man and four boys at Turtle Creek and the Sandy Creek mine is entirely closed. We will not abandon the camps, however, but will have a force of men at each mine until the fight is over. The miners are bound to win, but the strike may continue for a month or two. It certainly will not be ended this month. The situation in this district is in good shape now, and we will devote our attention to the central field. Cameron Miller and organizers from the United Labor League will be sent out in a few days to organize these men. We had a committee wait on us from the miners of the Westmoreland and the Penn Gas Coal companies at Irwin, asking that men be sent there to organize them.

"I received a telegram from President Ratchford, in which he says he will come to Pittsburg if his services are needed, but I told him it was not necessary, as he is busy at national headquarters. He counsels moderation. The reports are not as encouraging as I would like to see them. The organizers are making some progress, but as they are handicapped by injunctions the work of closing the mines is necessarily slow."

Turtle Creek merchants are doing all they can to feed the men, but to satisfy the hunger of 2,000 men is no easy task. The leaders are considering the question of thinning out the camp so it will not be a burden to their sympathizers.

The men were pleasantly surprised when a dozen women, half of them with children, walked into camp. They are the wives of miners, and when they said they had come to stay as long as their husbands and brothers were there and would cook, they were given three cheers. They are from the first pool.

District Secretary William Warner, who was included in the information made by T. B. DeArmit, went before 'Squire Semmens and furnished bail for his appearance at a hearing this afternoon. Captain J. J. Steytler of the Blyth Coal company became his bondsman. James W. Shields, who operates the Osceola mine, went on the bond of the other defendants, Cameron Miller, Charles Shaw, Edward McKay, Paul Trimmer and Jacob Affolter.

The marchers claim they have won a great victory, and in view of this fact a praise and prayer meeting was held in the gospel tent at Turtle Creek last night. Father Cunningham of the Roman Catholic church at Turtle Creek made the opening prayer, and the ministers of the Lutheran, Methodist Episcopal, Presbyterian and United Presbyterian churches took part. Four brass bands furnished the instrumental music and the choir consisted of about 5,000 persons.

CAPTURED BY PIRATES.

A British Vessel Taken by a Gang of Acheenese.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—The steamship Belgic arrived from Hongkong and Yokohama via Honolulu bringing the following Oriental advices:

"News has been received from Hongkong of the capture of the British steamer Pegu by Acheenese pirates. A gang of Acheenese took passage on the Pegu and, while at sea, murdered Captain Rose and seven of his crew and wounded 16 others. They then looted the ship and then fled to the Acheen coast.

L. A. W. STATE MEET.

Important Changes Made In the Constitution.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 4.—Considerable time was taken up in amending the constitution at the L. A. W. state meet. The most important changes were:

Changing the club representation to 1 for every 50 members instead of 20; district representation to 1 for every 300 league members instead of 200 and the abolition of voting by proxy.

A. D. Knapp, Williamsport, George H. Lakes, Philadelphia, and T. F. Myler of Pittsburg were appointed a committee to nominate officers of the division. The division then adjourned to meet in December.

PENNSYLVANIA PENSIONS.

Originals Issued and a Restoration and Reissue Granted.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The following Pennsylvania pensions have been issued: Original—George W. Meek, Natrona, Allegheny; Henry Wray, West Elizabeth, Allegheny; Robert A. Patterson, Enon Valley, Lawrence; Isaiah Warrick, Smith's Mills, Clearfield.

Restoration and reissue—George W. Blackney (dead), Bellevue, Allegheny.

Increase—John Lewis, Smicksburg, Indiana.

Original widows, etc.—Ellen Blackney, Bellevue, Allegheny; Barbara Auld, Homer City, Indiana; Charlotte L. Hendrickson, Graceton, Indiana.

TROOPS READY, IF NEEDED.

General Snowden Conferred With Adjutant General Stewart at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 4. — Governor Hastings, who is at his Bellefonte home, did not have a conference with Adjutant General Stewart regarding the strike in the western part of the state and the precautions to be taken to quell the riot should the sheriff of Allegheny county call for aid.

General Snowden was here and had a short conference with Adjutant General Stewart and returned to Philadelphia. It is not expected that there will be any call for troops, but if trouble comes it will be promptly met.

Chinese Destroyed a Mission.

SAN FRANCISBO, Aug. 4.—Word is brought here by the steamer Belgic that on June 9 the Chinese at Yuchen attacked and destroyed the mission of the Plymouth Bretnren and were about to attack the Catcholic mission when the soldiers interfered. The attack on the Plymouth mission was brought about by the report that the missionaries had killed a child.

Fatally Beaten by Strikers.

CORINTH, W. Va., Aug. 4.—Joseph Giozanni, an Italian coal miner, has been beaten so badly by a gang of striking Hungarian miners that he cannot live.

Driven Out by Strikers.

PETERSBURG, Ind., Aug. 4.—Marching strikers have driven the men out of the Wooley mine here and closed a mine at Rogers.

Dingley's Father Dead.

LEWISTON, Me., Aug. 4. — Nelson Dingley, father of Congressman Nelson Dingley, Jr., has died at his home in this city. He was 88 years of age. Death was due to a stroke of paralysis.

Quay Visiting His Son.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 4.—Senator Quay is visiting his son Dick in Sewickley.

REMARKABLE ANSWER TO PRAYER

A Sister Restored to Health After Being Given Up to Die.

DANVILLE, Ky., Aug. 4.—Sister Alfred of the Loretta academy, who had been given up to die of appendicitis, has entirely and suddenly recovered.

On the night of the recovery two sisters left her to take lunch and, on returning, she said the Blessed Virgin had appeared to her.

Later she said that the Virgin had appeared to her a second time, told her that she was cured and ordered her to offer up communion the following morning. From that moment she was cured.

Only a few days before a "novena" to "Our Lady" had been ended for the benefit of the sufferer, and, as a last resort, water of Lourdes had been applied.

PRESIDENT AT GOLF LINKS.

He Watched a Game, but Could Not Be Induced to Play.

HOTEL CHAMPLAIN, N. Y., Aug. 4.—The president has witnessed a golf match on the Hotel Champlain links. He was attended by Smith M. Weed. Mr. McKinley cannot be induced to try his hand. It is probable that the Twenty-first regiment of infantry, with the regimental band, will parade on the hotel ground every day that the president is here.

The presidential party, with the exception of Mrs. McKinley and Secretary Porter, took another long drive to Plattsburg and on the roads adjacent. Mrs. McKinley is not quite well enough to accompany them.

Vice President Hobart, Mrs. Hobart and Master Hobart arrived on a special train last night. They were greeted with a display of fireworks.

KLONDYKE VISITORS BARRED.

Insurance Companies Will Refuse Risks of Intended Goldseekers.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Inquiry develops that many of the principal life and accident insurance companies have issued positive instructions to their general agents in the United States and Canada against assuming any risks upon the lives of persons contemplating a visit to the Klondyke gold fields. These companies have found, so they say, that the business of this character is not a profitable one.

They fear that the great influx of prospectors and persons totally unaccustomed to the extreme cold of the Alaskan country would prove too great a burden for them. Many of the general agents representing eastern life and accident insurance companies in Chicago have received letters from the home office of a prohibitory nature against these risks.

SHERMAN SAYS IT'S ABSURD.

He Will Not Resign In Favor of Whitelaw Reid.

AMAGANSETT, L. I., Aug. 4.—Secretary of State Sherman was interviewed at his cottage here. He would not discuss the report from Hawaii that United States Minister Sewall had been instructed to declare a protectorate over the island.

Referring to Whitelaw Reid's visit Mr. Sherman stated that it was only in regard to the submitting of Mr. Reid's report as special ambassador to England.

"The question of my resignation," said Mr. Sherman, "was not mentioned. I get tired of denying these absurd rumors that arise from time to time."

Mr. Sherman declared his friendship for Mr. Reid in vigorous terms. Mr. Sherman will leave Amagansett for Washington on Friday next.

Two Swindlers Arrested.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The police have locked up at headquarters two men wanted in New Orleans for swidling a wealthy saloonkeeper out of $7,000 and also suspected of being members of a gang who operated extensively in South American countries and the large cities of this country. The prisoners are Ivan Antonio Magan, 55 years old, and Rifelio Guiterriaz, 26 years old.

L. A. W. Meet Opened.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 4.—The L. A. W. national meet opened today when the tours and runs committee conducted runs to a number of picturesque spots near the city. In the meantime all the visitors are enjoying open house at all the local clubs. Tomorrow will be the banner day for runs and the racing will begin on Friday morning.

Found Dead In Her Home.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Mrs. Lizzie Schurman has been found dead in bed in the cottage where she lived with her husband, near Secaucus, N. J. There was a bullet in her head. The cottage is in a very lonely spot. Frederick Schurman says he slept in another room. He declares he heard no shot. There had been domestic differences.

Convention of King's Daughters.

OCEAN GROVE, N. J., Aug. 4.—The King's Daughters are holding their tenth annual summer convention on camp grounds with the president, Mrs. Margaret Bottome, in charge.

Reckless Bathers Saved.

CAPE MAY, Aug. 4.—Dr. Von Lindgren of Washington has heroically saved two reckless bathers from drowning, Miss L. E. Sears of Harrisburg and Irving Martin of Philadelphia.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 3.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 75@76c; No. 2 red, 73@74c; spring wheat, 68@74.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 33@34c; No. 2 shelled, 32½@33c; high mixed shelled, 31½@32c.

OATS—No. 1 white, 25@25½c; No. 2 do, 24@24½c; extra No. 3 white, 23½@23½c; light mixed, 22@22c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $12.25@12.50; No. 2, $10.50@11.00; No. 1 clover, mixed, $8.00@8.50; packing, $6.00@6.50; No. 1 feeding prairie, $7.00@7.50; wagon hay, $11.00@12.00 for timothy; new No. 1 timothy, $9.50@10.50.

POULTRY—Live—Large spring chickens, 45@50c per pair; small, 20@30c; large old chickens, 35@65c per pair; small, 35@45c; ducks, 40@60c per pair; turkeys, 7@8 per pound. Dressed—Spring chickens, 10@18c per pound; old chickens, 9@10c; ducks, 15@16c; turkeys, 13@14c.

BUTTER—Elgin prints, 16½@17c; extra creamery, 16@16½c; Ohio fancy creamery, 15@14½c; country roll, 8@9c; low grade and cooking, 5@6c.

CHEESE — New York full cream, new make, 8½@9c; Ohios, full cream, new make, 7½@8c; Wisconsin Swiss, in tubs, 11½@12c; limburger, new, 8@8½c; Ohio Swiss, in tubs, 10½@11c; Swiss, in bricks, 5-pound average, 9½@11 c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio, in cases, large lots, 10@10½c; in a jobbing way, 11@11½c; selected fancy stock, 11½@12c.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 3.

CATTLE — Receipts light; market unchanged. We quote: Extra, $4.90@5.10, prime, $4.80@4.90; good, $4.60@4.75; tidy, $4.40@4.60; good butchers', $4.10@4.25; fair, $3.90@4.10; common, $3.50@3.75; heifers, $3.00@4.20; bulls, stags and cows, $2.00@3.50; common to good fat oxen, $2.00@3.75; bologna cows, $25.00@35.00; fresh cows and springers, $20.00@40.00.

HOGS—Run light; market slow. Best light Yorkers and pigs, $4.20@4.30; best medium, $4.15@4.20; common to fair, $4.00@4.10; heavy, $3.90@4.00; roughs, $2.50@3.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply light; market slow on sheep; steady on lambs. We quote: Choice, $4.10@4.20; good, $4.00@4.10; fair, $3.50@4.00; common, $2.00@3.25; spring lambs, $4.75@5.00; veal calves, $3.50@5.75; heavy and thin calves, $3.00@4.00.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 3.

HOGS—Market lower at $3.20@4.05.

CATTLE—Market steady at $1.25@4.65.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market for sheep active and higher at $2.25@3.75. Lambs—Market higher at $3.50@5.35.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.

WHEAT—Spot market stronger; No. 2 red, 85¼c.

CORN—Spot market stronger; No. 2, 34c.

OATS—Spot market strong; No. 2, 22c.

CATTLE—European cables quote American steers at 10@10½c per pound dressed weight refrigerator beef, 8@8½c per pound.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market for sheep weak; lambs active; good grades firmer. Sheep, $3.00@4.00; lambs, $5.00@6.00.

HOGS—Market lower at $3.25@4.65.

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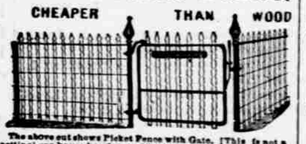

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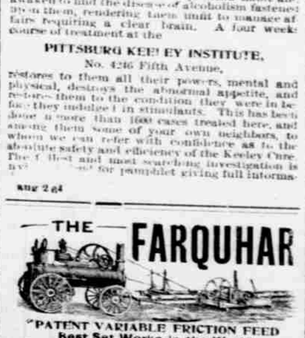

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