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**COMMERCIAL COLUMN.**

**Weekly Review of Trade and Latest Market Reports.**

New York.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "A gratifying steadiness is noted in the iron and steel industry, mills receiving a volume of new business that readily sustains prices, yet there is little evidence of abnormal activity or speculative inflation of quotations. No change has occurred in standard steel rail prices, although the roads have placed further big tonnage, and numerous contracts are under negotiation.

"Attendance of shoe jobbers in the Boston market has decreased, and in another week the balance will probably conclude purchases. Supplementary spring business has continued heavy, assuring all prominent New England manufacturers of several months' full operation of machinery.

"Cereal prices advanced, especially wheat, the rise starting in a better speculative demand and finding support in some adverse reports regarding foreign crop conditions.

**Wholesale Markets.**  
Baltimore—Flour—Dull and unchanged; receipts, 1,028 barrels; exports, 168 barrels.  
Wheat—Firm; spot, contract, 75 1/2 @ 75 3/4; spot No. 2 red Western, 78 @ 78 1/2; January, 75 1/2 @ 75 3/4; February, 76 1/2 @ 76 3/4; May, 79 1/2 @ 79 3/4; steamer No. 2 red, 71 1/2 @ 71 3/4; receipts, 6,162 bushels; Southern by sample, 50 @ 71; Southern on grade, 70 1/4 @ 70.  
Corn—Firm; spot, 48 1/2 @ 48 3/4; January, 48 1/2 @ 48 3/4; February, 48 3/4 @ 48 1/2; March, 48 3/4 @ 48 1/2; May, 49; steamer mixed, 46 1/4 @ 46 3/4; receipts, 88,941 bushels; Southern white corn, 46 1/2 @ 49; Southern yellow corn, 45 1/2 @ 48.  
Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 43 bid; No. 3 white, 42 @ 42 1/2; No. 2 mixed, 40 1/2 @ 40 3/4; receipts, 13,102 bushels.  
Rye—Dull; No. 2 Western domestic, 75 @ 76; receipts, 2,532 bushels.  
Butter—Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 25 @ 27; fancy creamery, 32 @ 33; fancy ladle, 22 @ 23; store-packed, 17 @ 20.  
Eggs—Fair demand for choice fresh stock and market steady. We quote, per doz., loss off; Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 24c; Western firsts, 24; West Virginia firsts, 23; Southern firsts, 21 @ 22; guinea eggs, 11 @ 12.  
Cheese—Market steady. We quote, per lb., jobbing lots, 15 1/2 @ 15 3/4.  
New York—Wheat—Receipts, 68,000 bushels. Spot firm; No. 2 red, 79 1/2 elevator; No. 2, 81 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 90 1/4 f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, 85 1/2 f. o. b. afloat.  
Corn—Receipts, 103,200 bushels; exports, 123,512 bushels; spot strong, No. 2, 52 1/2 elevator and 50 1/2 f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 50 1/2; No. 2 white, 51.  
Oats—Receipts, 25,500 bushels; exports, 9,810 bushels. Spot strong. Mixed oats, 26 @ 32 lbs., 40; natural white, 30 @ 33 lbs., 42 @ 43 1/4; clipped white, 26 @ 40 lbs., 42 1/2.  
Poultry—Alive, easy; Western chickens, 11; fowls, 13 1/2; turkeys, 13; dressed, firm; Western chickens, 12 @ 17; turkeys, 14 @ 18; fowls, 8 @ 14.  
Butter—Firm; receipts, 5,782; street price, extra creamery, 29; official prices unchanged.  
Philadelphia—Wheat—Firm and 1/2c higher; contract grade, January, 74 1/2 @ 75c. Corn firm and 1/2c higher; January, 47 1/2 @ 48c. Oats firm and 1/2c higher; No. 2 white, natural, 42c.  
Butter steady; extra Western creamery (official price), 29c; street price, 30; extra nearby prints, 32.  
Eggs firm and in good demand; nearby fresh and Western fresh, 25c at mark.  
Cheese unchanged; New York full cream, fancy 14 1/2; do. choice, 14 1/2; do. fair to good, 13 1/2 @ 14.  
Potatoes quiet; Pennsylvania choice, per bu. 58 @ 60c; New York and Western, choice, per bu. 53 @ 55; do. fair to good, 48 @ 50.  
Live poultry firm; fowls, 12 1/2 @ 14c; old roosters, 9 1/2 @ 10; chickens, 10 @ 13 1/2; ducks, 14 @ 15; geese, 13 @ 14; turkeys, 16 @ 18.  
Live Stock.  
New York—Beef—Dressed beef quiet at 7 to 9c. per pound for native sides; fancy beef, 9 1/2 to 9 3/4c.  
Calves—Very little doing for lack of stock; feeling steady; prime veals sold at 10.00; no Western or barnyard calves; dressed calves steady; city-dressed veals, 8 to 14 1/2c per pound; extra carcasses, 15; country-dressed, 7 to 13c.  
Sheep—Sheep nominally steady; no sales; lambs 10c. lower; fair to prime lambs, 7.50 to 7.87 1/2; no very choice here.  
Hogs—Feeling steady; quoted at 7.00 @ 7.15; pigs at 7.15 to 7.25.  
Chicago—Cattle—Market for best steady; others weak; common to prime steers, 4.00 @ 7.30; cows, 2.75 @ 4.75; heifers, 2.40 @ 5.00; bulls, 2.75 @ 4.50; calves, 2.75 @ 4.75; stockers and feeders, 2.60 @ 4.60.  
Hogs—Market steady to 10c lower; prime shipping hogs, 6.35 @ 6.50; choice butchers' weights, 6.35 @ 6.57 1/2; packing, 6.50 @ 6.55; assorted light, 6.52 1/2 @ 6.57 1/2; bulk of sales, 6.50 @ 6.55.

**THE SLEEPING BABY'S "SMILE."**  
It is interesting to see how old is the material delusion about the smiling of babies in their sleep. All children, asleep, are taken with a catching of the corners of the mouth, which is as unlike as possible to the real and amusing nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CURRY & CO., Toledo, O.  
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**Country Press and Washington.**  
"The power of the country press in Washington surprises me," said a middle-west congressman last winter. "During my two terms I have been impressed with it constantly. I doubt if there is a single calm utterance in any paper in the United States that does not carry some weight in Washington among the members of Congress. You might think that what some little country seltor says does not amount to anything, but it means a great deal more than most people realize. When the country editor, who is looking after nothing but the county printing, gives expression to some national idea about a national question, the man off here in Congress knows that it comes from the grass roots. The lobby, the big railroad lawyers and that class of people realize the power of the press, but they hate it. I have heard them talk about it and shake their heads and say, 'Too much power there!' The press is more powerful than money."

**Some Means "Home."**  
It is said that the name of Nome was the result of an error made by some Englishman in writing a letter. He evidently intended to write the word "home," but the makers of the maps read it Nome, and thus the name of Nome belongs to history and the great district of Alaska. Some authorities claim that the word Nome is a corruption of the Indian phrase, or word known, meaning something like "I know it."

**Pipes From Potatoes.**  
Many persons will be surprised to learn that the potato is used in France in the manufacture of imitation meerschaum pipes and "marble" billiard balls. After the potatoes are peeled they are kept for 36 hours in an 8 per cent. solution of sulphuric acid. They are then dried and pressed hard enough for use in making pipes. Under strong pressure they become solid enough to be turned into billiard balls.

**MAY BE COFFEE**  
That Causes All the Trouble.  
When the house is afire, it's like a body when disease begins to show, it's no time to talk, but time to act—delay is dangerous—remove the cause of the trouble at once.  
"For a number of years," says a Kansas lady, "I felt sure that coffee was hurting me, and yet I was so fond of it I could not give it up. I paltered with my appetite, and of course yielded to the temptation to drink more. At last I got so bad that I made up my mind I must either quit the use of coffee or die.  
"Everything I ate distressed me, and I suffered severely almost all the time with palpitation of the heart. I frequently woke up in the night with the feeling that I was almost gone—my heart seemed so smothered and weak in its action that I feared it would stop beating. My breath grew short and the least exertion set me to panting. I slept but little and suffered from rheumatism.  
"Two years ago I stopped using the old kind of coffee and began to use Postum Food Coffee, and from the very first I began to improve. It worked a miracle! Now I can eat anything and digest it without trouble. I sleep like a baby, and my heart beats full, strong and easy. My breathing has become steady and normal, and my rheumatism has left me. I feel like another person, and it is all due to quitting coffee and using Postum Food Coffee, for I haven't used any medicine and none would have done my good as long as I kept drugging with coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. "There's a Reason." Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. All grocers.

**WORTH REMEMBERING**  
Polar seas are in every case shallower than tropical.  
In the matter of train speed Austria, Italy and Spain are at the bottom of the list.  
There are 200,000,000 people in India supported by agriculture, 50,000,000 supported by the industries, 5,000,000 supported by commerce, 5,000,000 supported by the professions and the balance are dependents.

**Paying Penwipers.**

It is said that the ingenious young woman who invented the frilly doll penwipers has made money out of her idea. A clothespin is the nucleus of each penwiper. With this as the anatomical frame she produces brides, actresses, nuns, nurses—ladies, in short, of every degree. In order to conceal the clothespin extremities long skirts in sumptuous folds characterize the gowns of Miss Penwiper, and the banker, the lawyer and author wipe their pens on her petticoats.  
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**Caution.**  
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