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FINANCE AND TRADE, OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1899.

The closing quotations last night and the opening price of to-day would indicate a strong and advancing market, but towards noon the quotations were lower, and the market was dull at one time.

Money is less stringent, and business gradually improving. Closing quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz Gold, 133 3/4; Eighty-one's, 127 3/4; United States, 115 1/2; do, 115 1/2; do, 115 1/2; do, 115 1/2; do, 115 1/2.

Money is inoperative but firm on all the different roads except the Erie connections. There is an indisposition to operate at present other way, but judging from experience a sharp advance is almost certain to come, providing the bank statement is in any way favorably interpreted.

Chicago and St. Louis are very quiet today. The market was moderately active and firm at the current rate of interest, 10 per cent per annum. The movement of currency was quite equal to the demand, so that those entitled to favors have no difficulty in obtaining all the accommodations desired.

The Chicago Republican, of Wednesday says: "There is a very fair inquiry for loans to-day, and the market was moderately active and firm at the current rate of interest, 10 per cent per annum. The movement of currency was quite equal to the demand, so that those entitled to favors have no difficulty in obtaining all the accommodations desired."

FEATHERS—Live Geese Feathers quoted at 75 to 80, to the trade, and the usual advance in a retail way. FLOUR—The flour market continues very dull and neglected but unchanged. The demand is entirely local, and buyers generally are taking hold very sparingly. We continue to quote at \$7.00 to \$8.00 for Spring and Winter Wheat, \$5.50 to \$6.00 for Rye Flour, \$7.50 to \$7.75 for the Pearl Mill quote their brands, made of the best wheat, as follows: Extra Family Flour, in barrels, \$9.50, and in sacks, \$8.50 per barrel; Double Extra Family, in barrels, \$9.25, and in sacks, \$8.25 per barrel; and Spring, \$8.00, in barrels, and \$7.00, in sacks, per barrel.

PETROLEUM MARKET, OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1899. The market seemed to be in a very comfortable condition to-day, at least, all the operators seemed to be easy, and there was an apparent absence of the sentimentality which has so long prevailed. It would also appear, from information deemed entirely trustworthy and reliable, that all, or nearly so, of the "shorts," for this month, have covered, so that there is no probability of a "corner" even if such a thing was contemplated.

New York, February 11.—Dry Goods.—The market has been firm, with a moderately increasing demand for all textiles, although the trade is still far apart from active as buyers are purchasing close. Woolen and printed spring shawls are just opening at \$3.50 for Thomes Dolan's; \$3.50 for Columbia; \$3.50 for the Best; \$3.50 for Grey Effects. The Merrimac Print Co. some magnificent "Cambria and Prints on fine cloth, which meet ready sale at \$20.

CINCINNATI, February 11.—Cattle Market.—Beef Cattle in light supply and good demand at \$14.00 to \$15.00 per cwt. Firm and in demand at \$34 per cwt. gross. Hogs are scarce and bring \$11 1/2 to 12 per cent gross from butchers.

The Crude market is quiet but steady, and without change in price. Spot oil is quoted at 18 to 18 1/2, according to gravity. It is said that there was a sale yesterday (41 gravity) at 19. Sellers option, all the year (40 to 46) was offered at 16 1/2, and buyers option, same delivery, may be quoted at 20. Sale, last evening, of 1,000 each March to September at 18 1/2.

Is steady with a continued fair demand, and while there is less excitement, prices are fully sustained. Sale 500 each May to August at 38; 500 each March to June at 38; 500 each April and May at 38. Last evening, 2,000 each March to June at 38; 500 each July to December at 38; and 1,000, buyers option, next six months at 38. February fluctuated during the day between 38 1/4 and 38 3/4, offered, with 39 asked, and there was an offer to buy February and March at 38 3/4. Buyers option, all year, nominal at 42.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1899. The fine weather has imparted a more cheerful feeling in commercial circles, and the markets, in a general way, are giving some slight evidence of improvement. There is a slightly improved local demand for most of the leading articles, and there is a fair volume of business in the aggregate, though there is still plenty of room for improvement. In values, there are no changes worthy of special notice.

APPLES—Continue to arrive freely and the market is dull but unchanged; we continue to quote at \$3 to \$5 per bushel. BUTTER—Continues very dull, and prices are barely sustained. Prime to choice Roll may be fairly quoted at 38 to 38 1/2.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Dull at \$3 1/2. BEANS—\$3.25 to \$3.75 per bushel. CARBON OIL—Has still further advanced and may now be quoted in a jobbing way at \$4 to \$4 1/4. CHEESE—Market is almost bare, and with considerable inquiry, prices are very firm and fully sustained. CORNMEAL—\$1.50 to \$1.75 per bushel. CRANBERRIES—Sales at \$18 to \$20. DRIED FRUIT—Peaches are firm with regular sales at 14 for quarters; 15 to 16 for half and 18 to 20 for halves. Apples, 11 to 12.

EGGS—Continued dull, and we now quote at 21 to 23 for fresh packed. HAY—Continues very dull, with liberal arrivals of baled by river. We continue to quote on wharf at \$20 to \$24, as to quality. HOMINY—\$6.25 to \$6.50 per barrel. HEMP—Sales at \$20 per ton. PROVISIONS— Bacon firm and tending upward; we now quote Shoulders at 16 to 18 1/2; Ribbed Sides, 18 to 18 1/2; Clear Sides, 19 to 19 1/2; and Sugar Cured Hams, 20 to 20 1/2. Prime kettle rendered Lard, 21 1/4; in tierces, and 22 1/2 to 23 1/2; in kegs. Dried Beef, 21 1/2. Mess Pork, \$3 1/2 to \$3 1/4. PITTSBURGH, PA.

POTATOES—Continue exceedingly dull; small sales in store at 80 to 85 per bushel. WHEAT—Wheat is dull and nominal. Oats dull but unchanged; small sales at 65 on track, and 67 to 68 in store. Corn is stable here, under the influence of diminished receipts, though prices are unchanged; 75 for mixed, and 78 to 80 for prime yellow. It is alleged that it cannot be brought here from any place below these quotations. Rye is in steady demand at \$1.45 to \$1.47. There is considerable inquiry for barley, and good to prime spring sells readily at \$2 to \$2.10.

SEEDS—Sales of Cloverseed at \$10.00, Timothy at \$9.50, and Flaxseed, \$2.40. SALT—Is quiet but steady, and is still quoted at \$2 by the car load. HOGHUM—\$2 to \$2 1/2. LARD OIL—Is firm, and may be quoted strong at \$1.40 for No. 2, and \$1.75 for No. 1.

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