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FINANCE AND TRADE. OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, August 17, 1869. Gold seems to have touched its lowest point for the present...

Stocks are dull but steady. Money in sufficient supply during the dull season, but an active money market is anticipated, and banks are preparing for it.

Quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 133 1/4; Silver, 128 1/2; Eighty-one, 121 1/4; Twenty-fives, 122; 122; do 1854, 7; 20; do 1855, 120; do 1855, 119; do 1857, 119 1/2; do 1858, 119 1/2; do 1859, 119 1/2; do 1860, 119 1/2; do 1861, 119 1/2; do 1862, 119 1/2; do 1863, 119 1/2; do 1864, 119 1/2; do 1865, 119 1/2; do 1866, 119 1/2; do 1867, 119 1/2; do 1868, 119 1/2; do 1869, 119 1/2.

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Stock market steady during the forenoon with fair dealing. Washab being exceptionally strong and active. The opening sale was at 7 1/2 which was followed by a rapid advance to 7 3/4, at which figure large amounts were purchased under the impression that the conference which has recently taken place between officials of this company, the Lake Shore, M. & St. P., and Erie, will ultimately result in the consolidation of Washab and M. & St. P., and that this consolidation will be in the interest of the Erie company. Prices subsequently returned to 7 1/2. The market soon after the second call became strong with North Western and Michigan Southern as special features, the first named advanced to 80 1/2 for common, and 90 1/2 for preferred and Michigan Southern to 100 1/4; the Vanderbilt shares were however, weak and lower. Pacific Mail was active and touched 85. The market finally closed dull but steady. Five-Thirty Prices: Canton, 88; Cumberland, 87; Western Union Telegraph, 88 1/2; Quicksilver, 8; Mariopolis, 8; do preferred, 12; Pacific Mail, 84 1/2; Adams Express, 88 1/2; Wells, 13 1/4; American Express, 88 1/2; Merchants Union, 11 N. Y. Central, 210; Harlem, 182; Hudson, 188 1/2; Reading, 49 1/4; Erie, 23 1/2; do preferred, 50 1/2; Michigan Central, 106 1/2; do preferred, 110 1/2; Illinois Central, 130; Southern, 106 1/2.

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Northwestern, 85 1/2; do preferred, 95 1/2; Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, 82 1/2; Rock Island, 115 1/2; St. Paul, 81 1/2; do preferred, 89 1/2; Washab, 78 1/2; do preferred, 79; Fort Wayne, 151 1/2; Terre Haute, 34; do preferred, 58; Chicago and Alton, 156; Ohio and Mississippi, 53; Dubuque, 110; St. Joe, 128. Mining shares dull. Copper Stocks at Boston: Copper Falls, 7; Franklin, 13 1/2; Quincy, 23. Sub-Treasury bonds, \$52,111,546.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS. OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, August 17, 1869. The most important feature we have to notice to-day is a material decline in Wheat at Chicago, under the influence of the news from the West. The It is said, season is now sufficiently advanced to demonstrate almost beyond a doubt that a very large crop has been safely secured, and unless there is a stiff foreign demand, it seems almost as certain as anything can be, that prices must go lower. Speculation may keep it in check for the time being, but once the crop commences to move freely, unless Europe is prepared to take our surplus, a decline seems almost inevitable. It is to be hoped that there will be a good export demand for breadstuffs, as in that event the farmer will get a fair price for his product, business generally would be strengthened and improved thereby, and, besides, nothing could do more to forward a resumption of specie payments.

The markets in a general way, present nothing really new or important. Flour is quiet but firm, and while the demand is confined entirely to supplying immediate wants, prices are unchanged. Grain is unsettled and irregular, while provisions are in steady demand and prices well sustained. We do not remember of ever seeing more than at present. Commission houses are nearly all full and overflowing, and much of it that comes from the east does not more than pay freight and commission, if it does that. Potatoes, apples, tomatoes, peaches, pears and other articles in season here are being sold almost for a song, and while this is all very comforting for the consumer, it is hard on the shipper and producer. Apples—Continue very dull with a supply largely in excess of the demand; we continue to quote at \$1.50 @ 2.00 per bushel.

BUTTER—is quiet and unchanged; we continue to quote at 20 @ 25, for fair to cho. CHEESE—Sales of Blackberries at 90 @ \$1 per bushel. BEANS—Sales at \$1.75 @ 2. BEANS—Quoted as follows: No. 5 \$6.50; No. 4 \$6; No. 3 \$5; No. 2 plain, \$4.50, and market firm. CHEESE—is firm but unchanged; Western Reserve \$14 @ 14 1/2; Ohio Factory 14 1/2 @ 15; Ohio Goods 15 1/2; and York Goshen 16 1/2. CEMENT—Johnston Hydraulic Cement is quoted at \$2.25 per barrel. CARBON OIL—Standard brands may be quoted at \$2.50 for 50 or 100 lbs and 30 in a retail way. EGGS—Dull but unchanged; sales at 14 @ 15. FEATHERS—Dull; quoted at 80 @ 85 cents to the trade, and the usual advance for small lots in store.

POULTRY—Sales of spring chickens at 80 @ 85 per pair. PROVISIONS—Firm but unchanged. Shoulders, 16 1/2 @ 18; Ribbed and Clear Sides, 18 @ 19 1/2; Cincinnati Sugar Cured Hams 23 1/2 and fancy 24. Lard, 20 1/2 in tierces, and 20 1/2 @ 21 in half barrels and kegs. Dried Beef 21 1/2. Mess Pork at \$3.75 @ 3.80. POTATOES—Offered at 75 cts to \$1.00 per bushel in store. PEACHES—Sales eastern at \$1.50 @ 2.00 per box—mostly at \$1.50 @ 2.00. LIME—White Lime is quoted at \$1.00, and Cleveland at \$2.50 per bushel. LARD OIL—By Sellers A. Co. quote Extra No. 1, at \$1.40 @ 1.43, and No. 2 at \$1.05. FLOUR—Wheat is in steady milling demand with sales of prime near \$1.40, and of extra old at \$1.45. New Oats, if anything, ashade firmer, but unchanged; we continue to quote at 50 @ 52 on what and truck; 50 @ 52 for small lots in store and 45 @ 48 for future delivery. Sales of prime old reported at 65, to go east. Corn is quiet; sales on what at \$1.00, and in store at \$1.05 @ 1.08. Rye is in demand at \$1.15 @ 1.20. Barley nominal at \$1.25 @ 1.30. HAY—Sales 49 loads at Allegheny Central, 200 1/4; Erie, 25 1/2; Reading, 80 1/2; Railroad, 18 1/4; Ohio & Mississippi, 32; Michigan Southern, 16 1/4; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 10 1/4; Chicago & Rock Island, 11 1/4; Chicago & North Western, 8 1/4; Chicago & North Western Western, 8 1/4; Adams Express Company, 8 1/4; Merchants Union Express, 3 1/4; Pacific Mail, 8 1/4; Western Union Telegraph Company, 3 1/4; Western Union Exchange, Large Small London, per £ \$6.88 \$6.63 Paris, per franc 95 3/4 97 1/4 Berlin, thaler 99 3/4 97 1/4 Frankfurt, florin 56 1/2 57 1/2 Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co. Gold, 133 1/4; Silver, 128 1/2; Eighty-one, 121 1/4; Twenty-fives, 122; 122; do 1854, 7; 20; do 1855, 120; do 1855, 119; do 1857, 119 1/2; do 1858, 119 1/2; do 1859, 119 1/2; do 1860, 119 1/2; do 1861, 119 1/2; do 1862, 119 1/2; do 1863, 119 1/2; do 1864, 119 1/2; do 1865, 119 1/2; do 1866, 119 1/2; do 1867, 119 1/2; do 1868, 119 1/2; do 1869, 119 1/2.

Wool Market. NEW YORK, August 17.—The Dry Goods market is more active and prices are generally firm for all staple goods.

TOLDO, August 17.—Flour steady. Wheat 45 1/2; lower, sales white Michigan at \$1.52; regular \$1.42; No. 2 Washab \$1.50 @ 1.54; amber Michigan \$1.45; No. 1 red \$1.45; No. 2 do \$1.44; No. 3 do \$1.30. Corn a shade better at 68c for No. 1; No. 2 80c. Oats 1c lower; sales No. 1 at \$1.65. Receipts were 3,500 bush. flour, 123,000 bush. wheat, 50,000 bush. corn, 22,000 bush. oats, 740 bush. rye. Shipments were 8,700 bush flour, 58,700 bush. wheat, 21,200 bush. corn, 880 bush. rye.

CHICAGO, August 17.—Cattle dull and cheap, \$5.25 @ 4 for stockers, \$4 @ 4.50 for hogs, \$5.25 for good cows, \$7 @ 7.25 for good milking steers. Pork steady and firm, \$8 @ 8.50 for common, \$8.50 @ 9 for fair to medium, \$9 @ 9.50 for good to choice, and \$10, 12 1/2 @ 10.50 for extra assorted lots. St. Louis, August 17.—Cattle in good supply and small demand; sheep for country butcher stock prices for choice. Hogs active and firm at \$6 1/2 for light to heavy.