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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

September wheat opened in Milwaukee today at 60½, sold to 59¾, and closed at 60 cents. Cash wheat closed at 59½, and December at 66½. Samples were fairly active, the close on track being as follows:

No 1 northern, 64c; No. 2 spring, 60c; No. 2 hard winter, 60c, and medium grades, from 58c to 60c.

Barley—The cash market was entirely nominal at 50 cents. Samples was dull.

Rye—Quiet. No. 1, 48 cents; No. 2, from 44 to 46 cents.

Oats—In good demand by both local buyers and shippers. Closing, No. 2 white, 31 cents; No. 2 white, from 28 to 30c.

Corn—Dull. No. 3, 38½ to 39c; No. 4, 36c.

Timothy Seed—Easy at from 1.20 to 1.50 for cash offerings.

Clover Seed—Prime country offerings, 4.50 to 6.50, according to quality. Market quiet.

Millstuffs—Quiet and unchanged.

R. C. Hill of Philadelphia was a visitor on 'change today.

Grain receipts at Milwaukee: Wheat, 40 cars; corn, 4; oats, 21; barley, 1; rye, 4; total, 70 cars.

Estimated stock of wheat at Milwaukee, 1,071,543 bu; for 1892, 387,247 bu; for 1891, 17,037 bu.

Alex. Berger of Minneapolis was a visitor on 'change today.

Grain.

Minneapolis flour shipments, 26,672 bbls.

St. Louis receipts of corn, 70,000 bus; oats, 30,000 bus.

Shipments: Corn, 75,000 bus; oats, 11,000.

Minneapolis—September wheat opened at 56⅝ to 55¾; close, 55¼. December opening, 65½ asked; close, 63⅝. Close on track: No. 1 hard, 61; No. 1 northern, 59; No. 2 northern, 57.

Estimated grain receipts at Chicago for tomorrow: Wheat, 65 cars; corn, 375; oats, 185.

Receipts at New York: Flour, 18,832 bbls; corn, 66,400 bus; oats, 142,800 bus. Shipments: Flour, 12,434 bbls; corn, 60,138 bus; oats, 100 bus.

Milwaukee Livestock Market.

Hogs—Receipts, 10 cars; market 10 to 15c higher; mixed packers, 4.90@5.50; good, heavy and choice, 4.90@5.40; light, 170 to 200

Cattle—Receipts, 8 cars; market slow; Canners, 1.25@1.50; fair to good bulls, 1.75@2.25; stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, 2.00@2.35; feeders, 750 to 950 lbs, 2.75; cows and heifers, fair, 1.75@2.00; cows and heifers, good choice, 2.10@2.50; common to fair butchers' steers, 900 to 1,000 lbs, 2.80@3.25; medium to good butchers' steers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, 3.30@3.75; choice butchers' steers, 1,200 to 1,300 pounds, 3.50@3.75, veals dull, 3.00@4.00, milkers and springers, good to choice, dull 20@25, common, 15@20.

Sheep—Receipts, 6 cars; market dull; good to choice, 2.50@3.25, common, unreliable. Lambs, 3.50@4.00.

Hog receipts at Chicago, 16,000; cattle, 17,000; sheep, 15,000.

Estimated hog receipts at Chicago for tomorrow, 18,000.

Local Grain Inspection.

The following grain was received and inspected at Milwaukee for the 24 hours ending today:

Spring Wheat—No. 2, 3 cars; No. 3, 9; total, 12 cars.
Winter Wheat—No. 3, 1 car.
Barley—No. 3, 1 car.
Oats—No. 2, 1 car; No. 2 white, 2; No. 3 white, 20; total, 23 cars.
Corn—No. 2, 1 car; No. 3, 5; total, 6 cars.
Rye—No. 1, 3 cars; No. 2, 5; No. 3, 1; total, 9 cars.

Besides the above, 4 cars of No. 2 hard winter and 3 No. 3 mixed wheat were inspected.

Milwaukee Dairy Markets.

Butter—Fresh-made creamery, choice to fancy, 20@21c; dairy, 15@17c for selections; dairy, good to choice, 12@15c; common dairy, 10@12c; good to common packing stock, nominally 10@12c; market steady on all grades. Receipts fair.

Cheese—Full cream twins, per lb, 8@8¾; cheddars, 7@7½c. Young Americas, 9c; brick cheese, new, for choice, 8½c; No. 2 brick, 6½@7½c; limberger, 9½c. Receipts fair and demand moderate. Inferior qualities sell lower than quotations and according to quality. Swiss, 11½@12c.

Eggs—Strictly fresh, 13@13½; cases returned. Market easy and receipts liberal.

Milwaukee Closing Prices.

The closing prices on wheat and coarse grains at Milwaukee today are as follows:

No. 1 northern wheat, o. t., 64.
No. 2 spring wheat, o. t., 60.
No. 2 hard winter, 60.
No. 2 spring wheat, i. s., 59½.
No. 2 barley, i. s., 50, nominal.
No. 1 rye, i. s., 48.
No. 3 corn, o. t., 38½.
No. 2 white oats, o. t., 31.
No. 3 white oats, o. t., 29.

Receipts and Shipments at Chicago.

Receipts—Flour, 13,276 bbls; wheat, 67,920 bu; corn, 365,872 bu; oats, 348,690 bu; barley, 25,350 bu; rye, 10,525 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 7,657 bbls; wheat, 59,305 bu; corn, 93,467 bu; oats, 130,347 bu.

Local Receipts and Shipments.

The local receipts and shipments for the articles named for the 24 hours ending Aug. 16, were as follows:

	Receipts. 1893.	Receipts. 1892.	Shipments. 1893.	Shipments. 1892.
Flour, bbls..	5,400	81,000	17,540	26,059
Wheat, bus.	37,700	69,850	17,450	3,000
Corn, bus..	2,900	1,740	.....	4,860
Oats, bus...	22,000	11,000	24,000	61,000
Rye, bu.....	3,600	3,800	.....	.....
Barley, bus.	.....	5,600	.....	.....
Malt, bu.....	5,800	1,259	20,994	25,506
Flaxs'd, bu	.....	.....	.....	.....
Feed, tons.	.....	56	662	722
Hops, bales	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hides, No...	703	807	.....	216
Butter, lbs	14,985	18,140	.....	.....
Eggs, pkgs...	654	311	.....	72
Cheese, lbs	10,520	68,465	71,110	36,065
Wool, lbs...	390	3,100	.....	.....
L. Hogs, No.	834	1,319	10	58
Cattle, No.	276	164	32	38
Sheep, No..	481	1,061	235	535
D. Hogs. No.	.....	.....	.....	.....

Receipts and Shipments.

Receipts and shipments of wheat for today and corresponding day in 1892 for the different points named below are as follows:

	Receipts. 1893.	Receipts. 1892.	Shipments. 1893.	Shipments. 1892
Milwaukee	37,700	69,850	17,450	3,000
Chicago	67,920	522,993	59,305	290,294
Duluth	62,230	62,558	15,127	1,315
Minneapolis ...	75,480	80,180	32,200	66,950
St. Louis.....	76,000	233,000	31,000	49,000
Toledo	49,664	283,491	55,600	79,600
Detroit	65,015	70,270	21,280	24,636
Total	434,009	1322,342	231,962	514,795
Eastern:				
New York.....	124,459	376,675	193,348	242,666
Baltmore	96,065	268,770	119,600	8,000
Philadelphia ...	58,236	176,239	3,010	25,948
Boston	56,700	1,315	15,889	.....
Total	335,460	822,999	331,847	276,614

Stocks.

Closing consols: Money, 98 1-16; account, 98 2-16.

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	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
A. Sug. Co com.	70¼	73	70	73½
Atchison.....	15	15½	14½	15½
C. B. & Q.....	75	75¼	75	75⅞
Canada Southern	42	42	40¾	40¾
Chicago Gas Trust	48	50	47¼	49
C. C. C. & St. L..	32	32	31½	32⅛
Cl. V.....	15	15	15	15
Del. L. & W.....	134½	135	134½	135
Erie.....	11½	11¾	11½	11¾
Lake Shore.....	113	113¼	111⅝	113½
Louis. & Nash...	53¼	53¾	53¼	.....
Lead Trust.....	23	23¾	23	23¾
Manhattan	111	111	110½	110½
Missouri Pacific..	20	21	19¾	21
N. Y. & N. E....	18¼	18½	17	18½
New York Cent.	97½	98	97¾	98
North Am. Co....	2¾	3⅛	2⅞	2⅛
Northwestern	94¼	95	92⅛	95
Omaha com.....	27⅞	28½	27⅞	27½
Pacific Mail.....	9½	....	....	9½
Reading	13¼	....	....	13¼
Rock Island.....	57	57½	56½	56½
St. Paul.....	51½	52½	50⅝	52½
Union Pacific...	17⅛	17⅛	16½	16¼
Wabash pfd.....	13⅞	....	....	13⅞
Western Union...	75½	76½	74½	76½
Wis. Central....	4¾	5	4¾	5
E. Gen. Electric..	37½	43⅝	37½	42½
D. C. F.....	16¼	17½	16¼	17⅝

Chicago Close.

The following table shows the opening, highest, lowest and closing prices of produce today at Chicago:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—				
August	.....	.....	.....	61⅜
September ..	62⅞	63	61⅝	62¼
December ...	70⅜	70¾	69⅞	70⅛
Corn—				
August	39	.....	.....	38¾
September ..	39⅛	39⅜	.....	39¼
Oats—				
August	24⅝	.....	.....	24½
September ..	25	.....	24⅞	25
Pork—				
August	.....	.....	.....	12.60
September ..	.....	.....	.....	12.75
October	13.00	.....	.....	12.90
Ribs—				
August	.....	.....	.....	7.65
September ..	7.75	.....	.....	7.65
October	7.75	.....	.....	7.65
Lard—				
August	.....	.....	.....	8.45
September ..	8.47½	.....	8.40	8.45
October	8.27½	.....	8.15	8.17

Utica Cheese Market.

UTICA, N. Y., Aug. 15.—The uncertain tone of the market in New York made buyers talk very offish for some time today, and salesmen had about made up their minds that they must take less for their cheese than they did last week. But after a while it was found that telegrams from New York were offering 8¾@9c for various factories, and it was necessary for local buyers to come up to those figures. The result shows that they did so, as nothing but small cheese sold below 8¾c. The transactions are 25 per cent smaller than last week, and will undoubtedly be still smaller in the near future. A census taken on the board showed a shrinkage of 40 per cent from the flush, against 25 per cent just one year ago, obtained in the same way. And the shrinkage goes right on, no rain having fallen and pastures and after-feed being as dry as tinder.

Tranactions were as follows: Large colored, 985 boxes at 8¾c; 2,047 at 8⅞c; 1,089 at 9c; 59 at 9⅛c. Large white, 255 at 8¾c; 61 at 9¼c. Small white, 265 at 8⅝c. Small colored, 578 at 8½c; 290 at 8⅝c. Consignments, 823 boxes. Total, 6,452 boxes, against 10,108 last year, and 16,781 two years ago.

CITY MARKETS.

Hides and Wool.

Hides—Green trimmed, 2¾ to 3¼c per lb; do No. 1 do, 1¾ to 2¼c; do No. 1 bull and ox hides, 2½c. No. 2 do do, 1½c; do No. 1, L. H. kips, 3c, do No. 2, do, 1½c, grubb kips, 1½c; part cured hides No. 1, 3 to 3½c; other grades in proportion; cured hides, No. 1, 25 up 3½ to 4c, do B do, 3 to 3½c; do No. 2, 2½ to 3c; do No. 1 do ox, bull and stag, 3¼ to 3¾c; do No. 2, do do, 2¼ to 2¾c; dry salted hides, per lb, 6½c; do No. 2, 4½c; dry Flint hides, do 7½c; do No. 2, 5½c; horse hides, No. 1, tails and manes on, 1.00 to 2.00 per piece; do No. 2, do do, 75c to 1.50 do; calfskins G S best, 7 to 15 lbs, per lb, 6, do G S No. 2, 8 to 15 lbs, do 4c; deacons, No. 1, per piece 35c, do No. 2 do, 25c; kips, veal, G S best, per lb, 5½c; do G S No. 2 do, 4c; do No. 1, all kip do 5c; do No. 2, do, 3c, do G S long haired No. 1 do, 4c; do No. 2, 2c; dry skins per lb, 10c; do No. 2, do 8c. Hides, calf-skins and kips are weak at present quotations.

Sheepskins—Pelts at the rate of 18 to 20c per lb for the estimated amount of wool on each pelt.

Deerskins—Per lb 25c and down; per piece, 1.25 and down.

Wool—Unwashed, coarse 14 to 15c; medium, 16 to 17c; fine, 12 to 14c; washed, coarse, 22 to 23c; medium, 23 to 24c; fine, 17 to 19c; cotted, chaffy, burry and bucks, ¼ to ½ off. Business dull. Receipts light but increasing.

Tallow—Prime solid 4⅜c per lb. Market weak.

Produce Market.

Beans—(Dried) Navies, best hand-picked, 2.00@2.05 per bus; mediums, 1.90@2.00 in a jobbing way, 5@10c higher.

Honey—Market steady for section honey; 1-lb sections, choice, 17@19c; extraced honey in kegs and half barrels from 7½@8½c; dark, nominal.

Maple Syrup—Nominally 85@100c per gal. Very scarce.

Peas—Green, 1.70@1.75 per bus; white, 85@95c.

Veal—Market easy; slow; receipts fair. Prices range as follows for stock in good order: Carcasses weighing 50 to 60 lbs, 3@4c; 65 to 75 lbs, poor and thin, 4@5c; 65 to 75 lbs, with fair kidneys, 5½@6c; 80 to 100 lbs, thin 5@5½c; 80 to 100 lbs, choice, fat kidneys, 6@6½c; fancy, shade more; coarse grassers, 3@3c. Calves in off condition sell below these quotations, in some instances almost any offer being accepted. Slunks are confiscated by the health officers.

Country shippers ought not ship any calves weighing less than 50 lbs, as there is a law against shipping anything below that weight. Dressed mutton, 4@7c for choice fresh stock. Spring lambs, 2.00@4.00; fancy more.

Fresh Vegetables.

Trade fair. All generally in ample supply.

Cauliflower—Quoted at 75@1.00 per crate according to size and quality; 75@1.00 per doz.

Celery—Michigan, home-grown, 15@20.

Lettuce—10@20c per doz.

Cabbage—Per crate, 1.00@1.50.

Dried Onions—Per sack, 1.75@2.00; per bbl, 3.50@4.00.

Potatoes—Early Ohio, 1.75@2.00 per bbl; 60@70 per bus.

Parsley—is a fair sale at 10@12c per doz bunches.

Radishes—Per doz, 15@20c.

New Beets—10@15c per doz.

New Carrots—15@20c per doz.

New Onions—10@15c per doz.

Cucumbers—5@10c per doz.

Tomatoes—Common, 40@50 per box; acme do, 50@60.

Spinach—Per bbl, 50@75c.

Leeks—10@15c per doz.

Wax Beans—40@50.

Peas—50@60c.

Green Beans—40@50.

Fruits and Nuts.

Apples—Red, per box, 40@60c; green, 40@50c; per bbl, 3.00@3.50.

Bananas—Peddlers' stock, 50c@1.00; fancy, 1.25@2.00; extra large, 2.75@3.00.

Nuts—Peanuts, hand-picked, per lb, 6@8c; cocoanuts, per hundred, 3.50@4.00; pecans, 11@15c; filberts, 9½@11c; Brazil do, 5@7c; Targona almonds, do, 15@17c; walnuts, Naples, 11½@13c; California, 10@11c; Chile, 7@8c; hickory, per bus, 1.25@1.50 for new; old do, 1.00@1.25.

Dates—New Persian, 4@4½c; Fards, 4½@5c; and for small 10-lb boxes, 8c.

Figs—Layers, 14½@15c per lb; bag figs, 7@8c.

Lemons—Messina, 300 to 360 size, 4.50@5.50 per box.

Oranges—California seedlings, 3.50@4.00; navals, 4.00@4.50.

Florida Lemons—2.50@3.00 per box.

Red Raspberries—24-pts, 1.00@1.50; 16-qts, 1.50@2.00.

Black Raspberries, 24-pts, 1.00@1.25; 16-pts, 1.50@1.75.

Blueberies—60@90 per basket.

Blackberries—16-qts, 1.75@2.00.

Hay and Straw.

Choice No. 1 timothy, 10.50 to 11.00; old, 12.00@13.00 on track; No. 2, 9.50@10.00; Wisconsin mixed, 7.00 to 9.00; marsh, 5.00 to 6.50; Iowa upland, choice, 10.00; new choice, 9.00@9.50; No. 2, 7.50@8.50. Receipts moderate and demand brisk for choice hay, and old timothy in good demand for export.

Straw—Oat straw, 6.00@6.50 on track; rye, 6.50@7.50 do; wheat straw, 5.00@6.00. Demand good for all grades.

Hops.

Firm; Pacific coast from 20 to 25c; New York, 21 to 25c; Wisconsin, 18 to 23c. Above prices are from firm to choice.

Real Estate Transfers.

WARRANTY DEEDS.

Ninth Ward—J. and L. Wechselberg to William Kressin, lots 1 and 2, block 3, Columbia Park, $1,500. Same to William Gross, lots 6 and 7, block 3, Columbia Park, $1,600. The Miller Park Land company to John G. Rentemann, lot 8, block 5, continuation of Miller's Park, $800.

Tenth Ward—Bertha Grober et al. to Julius Werner and wife, lot 8, block 6, Koch's subdivision No. 2, $725. Gottliebe Jobs and wife to J. Helm and wife, lot 5, block D, section 17, 7, 22, $3,800.

Eleventh Ward—J. Goede to J. C. C. Doering, middle one-third of lots 19 and 20, block 10, Rogers & Burnham's subdivision No. 3, $1,700.

Thirteenth Ward—Ellen C. Sexton to August Ostmanski, lot 3, block 11, Kneeland's subdivision, $550. Kimgunda Williams and husband to Henry L. Grieb, lot 13, block N, section 17, 7, 22, $6,000.

Sixteenth Ward—Wm. Veitch and wife to W. J. Durbin, part of west 100 acres of northwest ¼, section 30, 8. Herman Schlentedt and wife to W. H. Griffiths and wife, east 19 feet of south 80 feet of lot 24, west 16 feet of south 80 feet of lot 23, block 259, Roger's subdivision, $3,850. Wm. Spence and wife to Joe Ellis et al., lots 8 and 9, block 14, Merrill park, $1.

Seventeenth Ward—Jas. Jones and wife to Willie C. Demand, lot 28, block 2, Lake View park, $2,500.

Town of Lake—First Avenue Land company to W. Strachota, lots 17, 18, 19 and 20, block 5, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 4, Sunny Side, sections 8-6-22, $1,500. Eugene Dixon and wife to Catherine Lindow, north 30 feet of south 90 feet of lots 20, 21, 22 and 23, block 3, Fernwood, sections 15-6-22, $1.

City of Milwaukee—J. Keim and wife to F. Jobs and wife, lots 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10, block 3, Friehube & Keim's subdivision, section 7-7-22, $2,700.

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Where the Boats Are.

PORT HURON, Aug. 16.—Up: Syracuse, 10:10 last night; Canisteo and barges, 11:30; London, Unadilla, 1 a. m.; Cambria, 2:40; Williams, 3:10; Pontaic, 6; Northern Queen, 7:30; Saginaw and barges, Atlantic, 7:40; Argonaut, 8:20; Olympia, 8:30; Fitzgerald, 9; Corona, 9:20; Matoa, 9:30; Benton and barges, 10:30; Jenks, 10:40.

Down: Hesper and consort, 11:30 last night; Christie, Sonsmith, 12:30 a. m.; Tempest and barges, 3:10; Kalkaska, 12:30 a. m.; Davidson, 6:20; German, Saxon, Havana, Anderson, 6:30; Pathfinder, Sagamore, Wyoming, No. 2, 7:10; Corsica, 8:10; Torrent, 10:40;.

Arrived: Uganda.

SAULT STE MARIE, Aug. 16.—Up: Outhwaite, Ban, 11 last night; Gladstone, Kimball, Bradley, 12:30 a. m.; Maruba, 5; Geryphan, 7:30; St. Louis, Potomac, Champion, 8:30; Crosthwaite, Wilson (arrived), Canton, 10:30.

Down: Mecosta, 11:30 last night; Iron King, Iron Queen, 2 a. m.; Kershaw, 5:30; Mariposa, 7:30; Roanoke, 8; Spry, Johnson, Ironton, Sage, 9:30.

MACKINAW CITY, Aug. 16.—Down: Codoris, 2:40 a. m.; New York, 5:10; Milwaukee, 8; Manitou, 9:30.

Up: Omaha, 10 last night; Wilson and consort, 2:40 a. m; Samuel Marshall and consorts, 3; Andaste, 5:30; Pahlow, 6; Grecian, 7:30; Rome, 8:30. Wind northwest, light; foggy.

DETROIT, Aug. 16.—Up: Saginaw, Reindeer, 10:30 last night; Arnold, Racine, Swallow and consorts, 11; Pontiac, 12:30 a. m.; Fitzgerald, 12:40; Olympia, Northern Queen, 1:30; Sicken and barges, 3:30; Thompson and consort, Siberia, 3:40; Corona, 4; Matoa, 4:10; Frost, Drake, John Hutchinson and three barges, 5:30; Moran, 7; Schuylkill, 7:30; Conestoga, 7:40; Colonial, 9; Weed, Venice, 10; Gilber, 10:10; Germanic, Hutchinson, 10:50.

Down: Africa and barge, 10:40 last night; Grover, Riverside, Home, 10:30 a. m.; Hesper and consort, 6; Savage, 8:40.

Seaman's Union Getting Shaky.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—The Seaman's union, which has reigned nearly supreme here for the past eight years and has been the cause of so many riots on the docks, appears to be on the point of dissolution. The union has steadily refused to reduce its scale of wages from $2 a day and hundreds of its members have been without work the past month. The result is that the members have become reckless and are shipping on boats at any wages they can obtain. The attempt of the union to carry out its rules by force have come to an unfortunate end, the attack on Feldt, which resulted in the killing of one of the union delegates, being the climax.

Walter N. Grove, the president of the union, will have a hearing tomorrow for the riot on board the schooner Mystic and if he is held to the grand jury, the vessel owners are confident that the union will go to pieces by the end of the season.

Local Port List.

Clearances—Steamers: Schlesinger, light, Buffalo; Mark B. Covell, mdse, Manistee; Fountain City, mdse, Chicago; Virginia, mdse, Chicago; Indiana, light, Chicago; Supt. John Schroeder, light, Nahma; Hickox, light, Green Bay; Arcadia, mdse, South Arm. Schooners: Elade, light, Suther's Bay; Driver, light, Pine Lake; Estelle, light, Herring Creek.

Arrivals—Mark B. Covell, 250 M. lumber, Manistee; City of Fremont, sundries, Grand Haven; New Orleans, 1,900 tons coal, Buffalo; Virginia, sundries, Chicago; Indiana, mdse, Chicago. Propellers—John Schroeder, 400 M. lumber, Nehma; F. & P. M. No. 2, salt and mdse., Manistee; Hickox, 275 M. lumber, Marinette; Arcadia, stone and wood, Sturgeon Bay. Schooners—Glade, wood, Frankfort, Alice M. Beers, wood, Sutton's Bay.

Freights and Charters.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—It costs 1¼ cents a bushel to ship wheat and 1½ cents a bushel to sell New York exchange today. Grain shippers report plenty of bids but under this extraordinary handicap for ready money they are unable to do much business. About 200,000 bushels of wheat has been placed for shipment up to noon, about half going to Kingston.

BUFFALO, Aug. 16—One cargo of coal for Chicago was offered at 30 cents today but owners preferred to have their boats remain in idleness rather than accept it. Business, if possible, is duller than ever.

The Sonsmith Aground.

DETROIT, Aug. 10.—The Sonsmith, ore laden, in tow of the steamer Christie, is hard aground on the head of Russel Island. She will have to be lightered. The Saginaw has gone to her assistance. The Philadelphia and Gordon Campbell, of the Anchor Line, will be laid up on reaching here.

ALPENA, Aug. 16.—The passenger steamer Sheboygan ran ashore on Thunder Bay this morning during a fog. She was released without injury at noon, after lightering 100 tons of freight.

Mrs. Younghusband's Marketing.

"How much are your red raspberries a quart?"

It was a young wife who made the inquiry at one of the stores where fruit is sold in great variety and abundance. She had just begun to master the intricacies and difficulties of housekeeping, being recently returned from her wedding tour, and was, therefore, doing the marketing in person. She had heard and read something of the way most men do marketing—over the telephone, without regard to price, quality and often quantity—and she had wisely concluded that if they made Henry's salary furnish the pantry, the coal bin, the clothespress and the roof for their heads, she had better do the buying, and it was on one of these expeditions when she asked the fruit dealer how much his red raspberries were a quart.

"Fourteen cents; and they are very fine ones," he replied, briskly. "How many will you have?"

"I'll take a quart, please, and you may pour them right in this measure," she replied, as she took the wrapper from a little parcel she held in her hand and which proved to be a new quart cup.

The dealer said never a word as he put the contents of the two so-called quart baskets, with the exception of a little handful, into the quart cup and rang up 14c on the cash register. But after the wise little woman left the store the sign on the red raspberries was changed to read "11c a box."—Utica Observer.

After Supposed Thieves.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Aug. 16.—The police department is on the lookout for two men who were in the city yesterday selling cutlery. They are supposed to be the men who robbed Kimberly's store at Green Bay.

IF YOU MUST USE POWDER.

Here Are Some Hints About How to Apply It.

If you must use powder—and in this warm weather no one will blame you very much for doing so—be sure to apply it in the right way. The usual way in which powder is used by women is disgusting, but when it is evenly put on, not only on the face but on the neck and arms and ears, it is not offensive. In powdering the neck be sure to put it on as far down as the bodice will come, for otherwise the contrast between the skin which has been powdered and that which has not will be very distinct. An eye brush, which may be had for 15 cents, is about the best thing to remove the chalk from the eyelashes and brows, but the lips should be wiped. Although powder puffs are bought and sold, women of the world seldom use them. Chamois skin, old linen and scraps of merino are thought to be more serviceable for filling, instead of dusting the skin. It is all a matter of fancy, however. For evening use powders are about the same in effect, but daylight powders should be selected with reference to the complexion and the toilet. Violet tints are not generally becoming; blue-white is better than pearl and flesh-pink than either; the best all-round powder for the complexion with a decided brunette tint is almond meal.

Powder keeps the face clean and is thought to cool the skin, but it should be thoroughly washed out of the pores, not with soap but with a good grade of cold cream. A lotion made of one ounce of glycerine, two ounces of water and the juice of a lemon is a perfectly harmless cosmetic and an excellent foundation for holding the powder. If the face and neck are just moistened, dusting it lightly will give the skin not only a delicate white but a velvety soft appearance.

A Good Story of McCullough.

E. D. Price says that the late John McCullough always entertained the friendliest feelings for "supers" who appeared in his support. He never forgot that he had been one himself, and took much pride in rehearsing them. However, on one occasion they spoiled one of his best scenes. He had been traveling all day and reached the town where they were to play that evening rather late in the afternoon. McCullough, feeling very tired, sent his stage manager to train the supers who had been engaged for the performance, and give them the proper cues for their entrances and exits.

The play was The Gladiator, and everything went smoothly until the great scene in the arena. McCullough was in good form, and had never acted better. He had raised the audience to the height of enthusiasm, and his magnificent voice had just uttered the words: "Romans, will ye be slaves?" when the "supers" forgot their cue. Instead of answering in a negative manner, they shouted with an appalling unanimity:

"We will, we will!"

McCullough stopped for a moment, and, glaring at them, muttered:

"D—— you, you won't."

The noble Romans looked at each other in dismay, but one or two of them, plucking courage, piped in a shrill voice:

"We won't, we won't."

The tragedian's choice expressions were drowned in the laughter that followed.

Neuralgic headaches promptly cured by Bromo-Seltzer—trial bottle 10 cts.

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NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.

OFFICE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, MILWAUKEE August 15, 1893.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until Saturday, August 15, 1893, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., for furnishing all the material and doing all the work necessary and required to construct and erect a fire engine house on lot 8, block 79 (on Sixth street, between Clybourn and Sycamore streets), in the Fourth ward of the city of Milwaukee, according to plans and specifications on file in this office.

1. A price in the aggregate for the mason work.
2. A price in the aggregate for doing the cut stone work.
3. A price in the aggregate for doing the cast and wrought iron work.
4. A price in the aggregate for doing the carpenter and joiner work.
5. A price in the aggregate for doing the galvanized iron, slate and tin work.
6. A price in the aggregate for doing the drainage, plumbing and gasfitting work, including heater and appurtenances.
7. A price in the aggregate for doing the painting and glazing work.

Bonds to accompany bids required in the following named penal sums: On the mason work the sum of $2,000.00; on the cut stone work the sum of $[illegible],000.00, on the cast and wrought iron work the sum of $200.00; on the carpenter and joiner work the sum of $1,600.00; on the galvanized iron, slate and tin work the sum of $200.00; on the draining, plumbing and gas-fitting work the sum of $300.00; on the painting and glazing work the sum of $150.00, or in lieu thereof the bidder may deposit with the Board of Public Works in each case 50 per cent of the amount of the bond in money.

All work to be completed within 90 days from the date of the award to the respective contracts, failing in which the contractor shall pay to the city of Milwaukee, as liquidated damages, the following named sums for each and every day's delay in completing the work: On the mason work the sum of $30.00 per day; on the cut stone work the sum of $8.00 per day; on the cast and wrought iron work the sum of $3.00 per day; on the carpenter and joiner work the sum of $25.00 per day; on the galvanized iron, slate and tin work the sum of $4.00 per day; on the draining, plumbing and gas-fitting work the sum of $5.00 per day; on the painting and glazing work the sum of $4.00 per day.

All bids must be stated in writing and in figures.

All moneys deposited will be returned to unsuccessful bidders on award of contract, and to successful bidder when contract is entered into.

The Board of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Signed,

G. E. BENZENBERG,
FRED SCHNEIDER,
PATRICK DREW,
E. M. SCHUENGEL,
Commissioners of Public Works.

Countersigned August 15, 1893.

R. CZERWINSKI,
Comptroller.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

BROWN & CHAPEL, corner Layton and Packard avenues, Cudahy, Wis., have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent. Mr. Richard Brown will assume all obligations and collect all outstanding accounts of said firm.

$550 CASH
and mortgage of $700 at 6 per cent for 3 years will buy a good lot, 33x120, all street improvements, 2 blocks from Merrill Park line.

WIN J. MORGAN, SUITE 411, FOURTH FLOOR, TELEPHONE 1860, PABST BUILDING

Inquire of SCRANTON STOCKDALE, Manager Brokerage Department.

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