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## Trade Topics.

### Alfa, The Algerian Esparto Grass.

The *Papier Zeitung* contains an interesting letter from Algiers on the subject of alfa. The correspondent states that it is unjust that alfa has not brought the same price as esparto. The plant *Stipa tenacissima* is common to both Algeria and Spain; the Arabs calling it *alfa*, the Spaniards *esparto*. The English, in order to keep a monopoly of the alfa trade in their hands, have industriously sought to lower the article in public estimation, and only on this account can the superior favor which esparto enjoys in Germany be satisfactorily explained. The esparto trade is almost entirely in the hands of the English; even German paper makers drawing their supplies from them. There is one great advantage possessed by alfa—its practical inexhaustibility. The Alfa Sea, as the region where it mostly grows is called, is 400 kilometres long, with a minimum breadth of 100 kilometres, or a surface of some 10,000,000 English acres. No other vegetation exists in this immense region, neither tree or plant. The Alfa requires no culture, but will much improve by it. The first crop is always inferior to succeeding ones. Morocco, Tunis and Tripoli can furnish immense quantities. With such a supply there can be no fluctuations in price, for there are no bad harvests to fear. Good dried and sorted alfa can be had at the place of production for £2 per ton; the average distance from port is 170 kilometres. The prices ruling in England are about £7 per ton. As these prices are owing to the costs of transport of the raw material it is suggested that factories for the preparation of alfa should be established in Algeria, but against this there are the natural disadvantages of having to import other materials there, and the difficulty of having competent workmen. There is little doubt, however, that the Germans will try and establish a direct trade in the article.

### Ramie.

M. A. Leger has recently made an exhaustive report on the cultivation of the ramie in France. Agricultural prospects throughout the southern parts of France are rather gloomy; the culture of madder is being abandoned everywhere owing to the low prices which the competition of alizarine necessitates. The phylloxera has ruined the vine in four departments. Wheat will not pay so near Marseilles, which receives the supplies of Egypt, Turkey and Russia. Other agricultural products, owing to circumstances of climate and soil, have little chance of being remunerating. The climate of the region is particularly suitable to the ramie; the leaves form good feeding for cattle while the uses of the fibre are extremely various. The Chinese make such durable clothing from it that they are almost everlasting, and can be dyed several times. At the same time the silken character of the fibre gives rise to the illusion that the Chinese use silk for the sails of their ships and the blouses of the poorer classes. With a mixture of silk some striking effects are obtained.

### Emery Board.

Emery paper is greatly employed for cleaning and polishing metals, but all the kinds in use hitherto have the great disadvantage of not retaining an equal efficiency. The fresh parts bite too much and the paper itself soon gets worn through in places. Emery on linen has been tried, but without much success. The Emery paper recommended herewith is not a pasteboard with emery on both sides, but a board in which emery enters as a constituent part. Fine and uniform card-board pulp must be procured and from one-third to one-half its weight of emery powder thoroughly mixed with it, so that the emery may be equally distributed. The mass is then poured out into cakes of 1 to 10 in. in thickness. They must not be pressed hard, however, but allowed to retain a medium pliability. This paper will adapt itself to the forms of the articles and will serve until completely worn out.—*Papier Zeitung*.

### The Paris Exposition.

The *Journal Officiel* gives full details of the composition of the jury, the prizes offered, &c. A sum of \$500,000 francs is set aside for distribution in money rewards. The International Jury will be composed of 650 members—350 foreigners and 300 Frenchmen—the foreign jurors are distributed among the different countries in proportion to the importance of their exhibits. There will be also 225 supplementary jurors; 175 foreigners and 150 Frenchmen. The foreign members will be designated by the government of each country. The supplementary jurors are nominated in the same way and take

the place of the titular jurors when absent. All nominations must be made before January 1, 1878. The distribution of awards is fixed for September 10, 1878. For works of art the rewards are seventeen medals of honor and art prizes, thirty-two first medals; forty-four second, forty-eight third class medals.

For agricultural and industrial products the following rewards have been allotted: One hundred *grands prix*, also rewards in silver. One thousand gold medals. Four thousand silver medals. Eight thousand bronze medals. Eight thousand honorable mentions. All the medals will have the same design. An administrative report will be published by the Commissioner General, while that of the International Jury will be prepared under the superintendence of the Superior Commission. The Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce will have charge of the execution of the decrees.

### French Trade Statistics.

The French Customs furnish the following figures as to the imports and exports of paper, stationery, &c.:

	1876.	1877.
	France.	France.
Imports.		
Cards	408,000	749,000
Engravings	474,000	596,000
Lithographs	1,743,000	1,929,000
Books and printed matter	1,116,000	1,787,000
Printing papers	301,000	343,000
Colored papers	106,000	106,000
Photographs		
Exports.		
Cards	1,050,000	912,000
Engravings	2,652,000	2,528,000
Lithographs	525,000	505,000
Books and printed matter	5,998,000	6,060,000
Printing papers	4,509,000	5,544,000
Colored papers	288,000	284,000
Photographs		

The increased imports are attributed to foreign houses having thrown their wares on the market at any price.

### Fire-Proof Writing Paper.

Two Spanish gentlemen, of Salamanca, have just obtained a patent in Spain for making writing paper incombustible. A number of experiments have been made with the process, and the results are said to have been very satisfactory. The paper will not burn, no matter what may be the intensity of the heat applied. A single sheet submitted to the direct action of a flame will carbonize, but does not take fire. If a roll of prepared paper is placed in the hottest fire the outside leaves will carbonize and the edges for a short depth, but the interior remains unaltered, the writing or printing being perfectly legible.

By its cheapness the process is possible for all public documents, archives, etc., which it might be desirable to preserve. Papers already written or printed upon may undergo the process without injury.

The patentees expect to make an arrangement with the government to apply the process in the manufacture of the paper used by it for public business, which can be done at a very trifling expense.

### Patent-Office Decisions.

Examiners are admonished to be careful in making a thorough examination of all questions affecting an application, before final rejection.

The domestic application for an invention already patented abroad need not be restricted to precisely the same subject-matter as the foreign grant. It must, however, be divided if found to conflict with the rule respecting duplex applications.

The jurisdiction of the Board of Examiners-in-Chief is limited in *ex parte* cases to the adverse decisions of the Primary Examiners. If there appear reasons for refusing the patent other than those alleged by the Examiner, a statement should be made to that effect to the Commissioner.

### Paper Boxes.

[Continued.]

Knight's American Mechanical Dictionary (Hurd & Houghton, publishers), gives a very complete account of the manufacture of paper boxes by machinery, and thanks are due to the publishers of that work for the accompanying cuts of paper-boxes, machines, &c. There are several methods of making paper boxes:

1. In making pill boxes, paper from a coil is wrapped round a former, making a cylinder of a thickness depending upon that of the paper, and the number of plies. The inside surface of the paper is coated with paste, and thus the joint is made. The boxes are completed by pushing a disk of paper into the cylinder. The lid is but a shallow box a trifle larger. Such boxes are also made by colling a wide sheet of

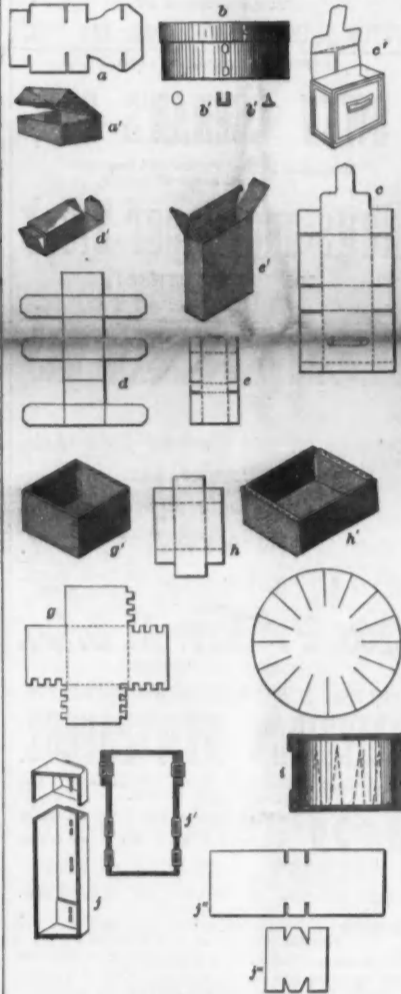
paper on a mandrel in the manner described, and then cutting it into lengths. Lids are made in the same way. Colored boxes are made by an outer ply of colored paper. These boxes are also made by machinery. In one mode of covering, the strip which is to cover the cylindrical portion has gored margins, which lap over upon the bottom of the box or the top of the lid, and match together.

2. Boxes are also made from a roll of paper, which is bent over into shape, cut off, the bottom folded in against a former, the contacting portions being pasted in transitu.

3. Boxes of paper, cut from the roll, shaped and secured by rivets or staples.

4. Boxes made from blanks of the required size and shape, the machine taking them from the pile, shaping and fastening the parts together as will be described when we come to speak of the machine.

The annexed cuts represent various boxes and parts belonging to them. *a a'* are respectively a blank and a box made therefrom, the scale of



### PAPER BOX BLANKS AND FORMS.

the latter being enlarged somewhat. With the exception of two slight gores on the edges of the lid-flap, no portion is wasted. Some portions of the box are double, and others treble. The parts are secured by paste or rivets. *b b'* show a round box and the metallic fastenings which hold the lapped portions; *c c'* are the plan of the pattern, and the folded box with a tuck and keeper; *d d'* illustrate another mode of shaping and folding; *e e'* still another, with a lapping lid; *f f'* a paper-box with dovetailing angles; *g g'* the plan of a blank, and the box made from a similar larger blank; *i i'* a box made from a circular blank, cut on the principle of *i*, but of a larger size; *j j' j'' j'''*, Heyl's box, whose overlapping pasteboard flaps are secured by rivets.

Seamless paper-boxes lamp shades, hats, and other hollow articles of paper are made upon formers, which are dipped into the pulp. The latter collects on the reticulated surface by means of a partial exhaustion of the air from the interior of the former, the air being withdrawn through an elastic pipe communicating with a bellows or cylinder.

The water being drawn through the perforations, a film of pulp adheres to the surface of the former, which is then raised from the vat, and the coating of paper-pulp being removed and dried, forms a seamless article, which requires no further manipulation for most ordinary purposes, but for ornamental uses may be covered wholly or in part with a second coating of colored pulp, and embossed or otherwise ornamented by stamps, swaging, or perforation.

[To be Continued.]

## Correspondence.

### British Notes.

[FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.]

15A PATERNOSTER ROW, London, E. C. }  
Sept. 3, 1877.

I fear I cannot report any progress in trade here. Great depression prevails among all classes. A great many makers are talking of closing, which is a much more sensible thing to do than working at a loss. It is a more sensible plan too, than working on half-time or day-shift. In the present condition of business it is very difficult to advise any course to suit the paper trade—a trade of so many different interests and characters. A course which would be advantageous for one class of makers to follow would be the ruin of other members of that class. So any co-operation seems impossible. There is no doubt that we are suffering from over production, but who is to stop work! Makers with large and extensive mills cannot afford to notice the remonstrances of small men if trade keeps at all moving. Unless all the large men join, any action would be useless, and I fear there is not that unanimity which is so essential for co-operative movement among our makers. Our trade is one of contention and fierce competition. Everyone does his best for orders and does not particularly consider his neighbor. There is no ruling market price for paper here, and it is therefore quite impossible to pronounce who is over-producing, seeing that each maker conducts his own business in his own market. To give you an account of how trade is I will quote the report of a very good firm on the subject:

"The paper trade continues in a state of stagnation, nor does there appear any symptoms of a revival." The midsummer stock-takings do not account for this state of things. Wholesale houses only make what is necessary to supply their customers, a hand-to-hand kind of custom which is tantalizing to the makers. Several mills are actually "shutting down," as it is called, while we regret to add that some others are "shutting up" by liquidation, or by disposal. An authority in the trade says that never, perhaps, during the last two years has it been so depressed, competition so severe, prices so low, or the markets so disorganized as at the present moment. This I take it quite bad enough for anything. Our home markets, which are always an index to the state of trade, are very dull and flat. There are very few orders coming in for raw material. Fibres are very dull and depressed, with but little business doing. Chemicals are very quiet and nothing new goes on. I see that merchants anticipate better things for September. I trust their hopes may be fully realized. Mill news is scarce again. One of my northern correspondents sends me the following items from Lancashire:

"White Ash mill has commenced work again. Brookside is still standing.

"Fenniscowles has got through the little difficulty and is going ahead. An accident in its tramway has happened, but nothing serious has resulted.

"The Whithnell Paper Company has had to sell all its loose material, stock, horse and cart, &c., to pay rent. The secretary of the Company is in jail for defrauding, and is awaiting the Lancaster Assizes.

"The Rushton Paper Company is stopped, *pro tem*." He winds up by saying: "trade very bad at present." I am pained to hear that paper has been made at the Sittingbourne mills, the property of Messrs. Lloyd. In a short time all the paper for *Lloyd's News* and the *Daily Chronicle* will be made at these mills, and the Bow Creek Mills are to let.

I hear that the other machine is running at the *Daily Telegraph* mills at Dartford Creek. The circulation of the *Daily Telegraph* is now a quarter of a million per week. There is a very widely spread notion that Mr. W. H. Smith, M. P., the new First Lord of the Admiralty, is the proprietor of the *Daily Telegraph*, or has a large share in it. This is supposed to account for the change in the paper's politics. But I think I can confidently deny that any change has taken place in the fortunate trio who own this paper.

The circulation of *Lloyd's News* is said to be 300,000 per week! A new paper, intended to take the place of this Sunday journal, is talked of by some gentlemen connected with religious movements in London. I read a rather interesting episode in a letter of one of the special war correspondents of the *Daily Telegraph*. The writer said that in a mud-hut belonging to a Bulgarian, which is used as a steam flour mill, he found an engine and boiler made by Seymour Bros., which at one time were used in the estab-

lishment of the *Daily Telegraph* for driving the printing machinery. I think that this is a very extraordinary "find," and only shows how impossible it is to know what is "going to turn up."

Mr. H. Williams has sold his Rowley Paper Mill to Mr. Frank Noble, who having altered its title and effected some improvements, will work it as the Aylesmore Mill in the production of machine and hand-made millboards. The mill is near Sydney, Gloucestershire. Evans & Owen have purchased the Ely Paper Mills, near Cardiff.

T. G. Fieldsend, pasteboard manufacturer, of Wade street, Bradford, has removed to the Wellington Mills, Ecclesfield, near Leeds.

J. W. Claxton, of Hampton, near London, has obtained letters patent for a new waterproof paper.

Among new firms in our trade I notice that of Causick & Morris. E. B. Causick & J. A. Morris have entered into partnership and commenced business under the above title as wholesale stationers at 99 Fleet street. The former gentleman was for over 30 years with Spalding & Hodge, a very well known firm.

Foster & Co. have taken the business formerly carried on by W. V. Holden as a paper merchant at Princes street, Manchester.

I see that some excellent paper has been made from the cactus in the Lick paper mill at San José, California. The plant grows in great abundance in the Mojave Desert and the supply is said to be unlimited and cheap. The San José people are endeavoring, if possible, to obtain control of all the paper mills on the coast and set them in operation on this material exclusively.

Home Markets.—Coals.—Are quiet and prices as last week.

"In rags the following are the ruling quotations: New cuttings, 30s.; superfines, 26s.; ordinary, 23s. to 24s.; outshots, 17s.; country seconds, 14s.; London seconds, 11s.; thirds, 6s.; white linen rags, 24s.; No. 2 do., 20s.; best cottons, 25s.; No. 1 do., 21s.; No. 2 do., 17s. 6d.; blue lines, 16s. 6d.; blue cottons, 16s. 6d.; mixed do., 16s.; colored, 11s.; black cottons, 5s.

In other fibres, country bagging, 6s. to 7s.; hemp sacking, 10s. to 12s.; clean gunny, 9s.; coil or hard rope, 12s.; white rope, 10s. 6d. to 12s.; bag rope, 8s. 6d.; clean canvas, 21s. 6d. to 22s.; seconds do., 14s. to 16s.; thirds do., 10s. to 12s.

In woolen rags trade is rather inactive and little business has been doing. Old and new mungo sells slowly. Soft rags do not go off readily, except very superior lots. Shalies are easier. Flannels fetch bad prices. Carpets, hard and soft, find more buyers, but other sorts not much sought after. Recent prices: F. W. W., 27s.; F. W. S. colored knitted, 26s.; F. W. whites, 11s. 6d.

Esparto.—Spanish quiet. Oran dull and lower. Other sorts depressed, with but little business doing. Prices current are: Good Spanish, £10 5s.; best do., £10 10s. to £10 15s.; Algerian, £8 5s.; Susa, £8; Tripoli, £5; Gabes, £6; Mogador, £5 to £5 5s.

Wood Pulp.—Mechanical have a steady demand. Prices unaltered. Chemical pulps are dull, owing to fall in Esparto. Quotations are: Dry pine pulp, £11 per ton; moist, 50 per cent., £5; dry aspen, £12 to £13; wet do., 50 per cent., £5 15s.; bleached chemical pulp, £25 to £26; bleached straw pulp, £25 10s.; unbleached chemical wood pulp, £21.

Shavings and Waste Papers.—Market flat and against sellers. Prices: Fine cream shavings, 17s. to 19s.; mixed do., 16s. to 17s.; blues do., 14s. to 15s.; seconds do., 14s. to 16s.; strong brown papers, 5s. to 6s.; mixed do., 3s. 6d. to 4s.; ledger waste, 14s. to 15s.; letter waste, 10s. to 12s.; black news, 5s.; railway tickets, 5s.; straw board cuttings, 2s.; rubbish, 2s.; jute, fine, 18s. per cwt.; medium, 16s.; common, 15s.; rejections, 14s.; cuttings, 12s.

Other fibres such as diss at £3 to £3 10s.; palm leaves, £4 to £5; adamsonia fibre, £15.

Chemicals.—Cooper Bros. & Co. say: "Our market at Newcastle-on-Tyne has been very quiet during this week with a scarcity of fresh orders, but a better demand is anticipated in September." Prices are f. o. b. Tyne, less discount, as follows: Refined alkali, 50 to 52 per cent., 3d. less 7½ per cent. discount; soda ash, for prompt delivery, 48 to 52 per cent., 1½d. less 4½ per cent. discount; do., for delivery to end 1877, 1½d., less 2½ per cent. discount, and all over next year, 1878, 1½d., less 5 per cent.; soda crystals, gross, £3 12s. 6d. net; bicarbonate of soda, 9s. to 10s., less 2½ per cent.; bleaching powder, 35 to 36 per cent., £5 2s. 6d., less 1 per cent.; English antichlor, £12 5s. net; Jarrow caustic soda, 70 to 74 per cent., £17, less 4 per cent.

Liverpool market continues dull and prices unaltered. Caustic soda, white, 70 to 72 per cent., £14 5s. to £14 10s.; caustic soda, white, 60 to 62 per cent., £12 to £12 2s. 6d.; caustic soda,

cream, 60 to 62 per cent., \$11.15c. to \$12.5c.; caustic soda bottoms, \$8.15c. to \$9; bleaching powder, 35 to 36 per cent., in hard wood casks, \$5.5c.; do., in soft wood casks, \$5; soda ash, 48 to 52 per cent., 1 1/4 d. per cent., all f. o. b. in Mersey, less usual discount. W. F. C.

**Cincinnati Notes.**

[FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.]

CINCINNATI, Sept. 17, 1877.

The news regarding the paper trade of this region is compressed into small space. There is nothing new regarding it. As I have before said inventors are resting, and the mills go on in the same way. It is, no doubt, true that there is a constantly increasing demand for paper. Chatfield & Woods, who are extensive manufacturers, report business moving along in the same rate in almost every department. They find a constantly increasing demand for manufactured products. They are largely engaged in the manufacture of paper bags, of all kinds, and flour sacks. It is found that year after year the cheapness and convenience of these modern productions, the paper bags, bring them more and more into use. This firm holds important patents on the machinery for the manufacture of paper sacks, and has been extensively engaged in litigation on account of the same. When the case was tried in the United States Court, the attorneys as well as the Court were puzzled with intricate accounts by witnesses of the wonderful mechanism of the complicated machine which takes in a roll of plain paper, and turns out neatly folded and pasted paper bags, all notched at the upper edges, ready to receive tea, coffee, sugar and the thousand etceteras of the grocer's orders. The litigation, I believe, is ended, and the manufacture goes bravely on.

This firm reports a perceptible growth in the demand for super-calendered paper, and a corresponding neglect of common book paper. The cause they attribute to the cheapness of first-class paper. People will enjoy cheap luxuries, even in books and pamphlets. There is something about paper that compels admiration for the best qualities. We all know how the heavy and handsome styles of letter paper impress us when a letter comes from some high dignitary for instance, and how much better impression we have of the literary value of a work that comes to us printed on fine, heavy paper. Appearances are everything. A President in a hickory shirt would not be received with illuminations and banners. A clean face has given to many a boy seeking employment a good place. So it is with books, pamphlets, cards and the numberless products in whose composition paper enters. If they are put off with a cheap article, the probability is that the public will take them at their face. So it is not strange that when cotton, linen and rags have reached what seems to be the bottom price, there should be an increased demand for better paper. It costs less now than the common paper did ten years ago. Even the newspaper, that most evanescent of publications, comes to us with more of the elements of endurance and perpetuity than ever. Time has been when the average newspaper would not wear through more than two readings; now it will last all day in a crowded train and still serve to wrap up your duster when you reach your destination.

Exporting papers to Europe from the United States is a fact full of significance. Labor is cheaper over the water, but we are less controlled by effete forms and traditions. We have more freedom, more enterprise, more go-ahead. Our inventive abilities grow out of the spirit of our institutions. Moreover, capital is easier here than there. Things are not so unbending and unalterable here as there. A man with small capital or with no capital, if he has brains, can go into business in this country, and he straightway becomes an inventor, or at least a thinker. Hereditary trades are scarcely known among us. Every man makes his own fortune. The practical results of this state of affairs cannot fail to be advantageous to this great, new country.

**Philadelphia Notes.**

[FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.]

There seems to be a better feeling among the paper manufacturers generally in and around Philadelphia, owing to orders, which have been scarce, now seeming to be coming in, although in a slow way only, yet they give hope of a fairly remunerative fall trade which is quite encouraging. Several mills have now orders on hand to run them three or four months, running full time, and the decline in the gold market has reduced the cost of all grades of foreign chemicals and stock, hence they can look forward to a better margin of profit. The dealers report trade quite good, and buying brisk, although prices are weak.

Among the visitors to this city during the past week were W. A. Mullin, Mount Holly, Pa.; E. M. Moers, Cincinnati, O.; A. C. Moore, Belvoir Falls, Vt.; J. F. Sheeder, Kimberton, Pa.; W. Wilkinson, Wilkinson Bros. & Co., New York; James N. Mober, Reading, Pa.; A. A. Andrews, Springfield, Mass.; J. H. Wright, Kennet Square, Pa.; B. Bailly, Erildown, Pa.; C. O. Brown, Dalton, Mass.; Benjamin F. Perkins, Bristol, N. H.; E. F. James, Wilmington, Del.; J. C. Rommell, Pittston, Pa.; J. L. Reigel, Reigelsville, N. J.

Chemicals.—The market has been active in a moderate way only, purchases being mostly small, with but few parcels sold in the past week of goods to arrive. This is shown in a slight decline of firmness of prices. Bleaching powder in light demand at prices ranging from 1 1/2 c. gold per lb. to 1 3/4 c. currency. Caustic soda ash has remained at about similar prices to preceding week, while carbonated has declined on large parcels, price varying from \$1.90 to \$1.95 gold per lb. for 48 per cent. Sal soda in light stock and firm at 1 1/2 c. currency per lb.; 100 tons N. C. sold to arrive at 1 1/2 c. gold per lb. for prompt payment. China clay has been in

active sale, some 300 tons working off at prices for extra quality \$20 to \$21 gold per ton; good ordinary at \$16 to \$17 gold per ton. Caustic soda remains firm with a trifle better feeling; 100 drums De Soto 73 per cent. sold at 4 1/2 c. gold per lb. for 60 per cent. Yellow prussiate of potash scarce and firm at 23 1/2 c. net. Aluminous cake has been in rather slow sale, but in general run of alum a large business has been done, the sales being chiefly confined to ammonia, natrona and Red Star concentrated, which seem to be the desirable grades.

Rosins—Have been in active demand and quotations of previous week fully maintained, except in lowest grade, while finer grades have shown a decided firmer feeling and trifling advance. Common strained at \$1.90; strained at \$1.95; No. 2, \$2.25 to \$2.50; No. 1, \$2.50 to \$3; pale, \$3 to \$4.25; extra pale, \$4.50 to \$5. H. C.

**Manufacturing News.**

**EASTERN STATES.**

Wakefield & Co., at Morrisville, Vt., are about to start a 3-ton wood pulp mill under the Fletcher process.

The mill at Chatham Village, N. Y., formerly run by the Columbia Paper Co., will be run by George B. Hoyt on satchel bottom bags. It will start up on October 1.

The Parsons Paper Co., has transferred the order for postal-card paper to the Franklin Paper Co., Holyoke, Mass. The latter company is running full on the order at present.

Crane Bros., Westfield, Mass., are building an extension to their engine-house, with a view of putting in another large engine. The mill has been shut down, but will start up next week.

S. D. Tompkins is putting in a new stuff chest at the Queechy Mill, Canaan Four Corners, N. Y., and is otherwise fitting up the mill. He will start as soon as the water supply permits.

The Whiting Paper Co. is putting in a new Rice, Barton & Fales' 62-inch Fourdrinier machine at its No. 2 mill. This makes the fifth machine now running by this company. This addition will not materially increase the production of the mill, but will relieve the other machines from over-pressure.

**MIDDLE STATES.**

The Gavit Paper Machine Works, Philadelphia, Pa., is making a 72-inch Fourdrinier for F. G. Weeks & Co., of Skaneateles, N. Y.

The Gavit Paper Machine Works, Philadelphia, Pa., is making an 80-inch Fourdrinier machine for J. H. Appleton, Holyoke, Mass.

F. G. Weeks & Co., Skaneateles, N. Y., are building a new mill in the place of the old one burned in February last, and will have it ready in two or three months.

N. Lefever is going to start a new mill at Napanock, N. Y. It will be run on straw wrapping, and will contain a 48-inch cylinder machine and two engines.

Conley's machinery agency reports the following sales for this week: One stack 8 chilled calender rolls, 76 inches long on face, to the Canada Paper Co.; one No. 3 Bagley & Sewall pump for Ford & Dalziel, Quebec; one set of 10 drying cylinders to Culver, Brother & Co., Syracuse, N. Y., and one new 600-lb. rag-engine to the Atlantic Paper Co., Savannah, Ga.

**WESTERN STATES.**

The Peninsular Paper Co., at Ypsilanti, Mich., is building a new stock house.

The mills at Ypsilanti, Mich., are reported to be running full time, with plenty of orders.

The Hills Paper Company, Delaware, O., is resetting three flue boilers with the Jarvis patent setting.

A new paper mill is now being erected at Stockton, Cal. It will be owned and run by the California Paper Co., a new organization, which has for its officers Egbert Judson, President; Albert Dibblee, Vice-President, and B. F. Field, Manager. The directors are Egbert Judson, Albert Dibblee, R. H. Lane, Henry Pierce, William C. Talbot and B. F. Field. The company is said to have a solid backing, as several of its shareholders are connected with the Bank of California. The capital stock of the company is \$300,000. The principal office will be at San Francisco. The mill buildings at Stockton will cover an area of ground 160x150 feet, exclusive of the boiler and engine houses. They will be three stories high, except the machine-room, which is to be 120x150 feet, one story high. This room is designed for four paper machines. The mill will contain twelve rag-engines of an average capacity of 500 lbs. each; four steam boilers; two rotary boilers; one 150 horse-power steam engine, and three 30 horse-power engines, and its output will be six and a half tons daily. Different kinds of paper will be made, the stocks to be used being straw, rags, rope, old papers and tulle. The works have a frontage of 300 feet on a branch of the San Joaquin River, where steamers and other vessels can land, the navigation being unimpeded between that point and San Francisco. The company also owns a coal mine, which it is expected will supply the necessary fuel. The water supply is taken from three artesian wells, which have been bored upon the premises and which bring the water to within ten feet of the surface.

**FOREIGN.**

A new company to be called the Peel Paper Co. has been formed for taking over the land, building and effects of the Brookside Paper Co. (Limited), at Brookside, Lancaster, England. The capital is £50,000.

**New Patents.**

Granted August 28.

No. 194,591. Wood Grinders for Paper-Pulp.—A. Fickett, Rochester, N. Y., assignor of one-half his right to S. Dobbs, same place.

The wood is applied and held to the action of a grinding-surface in wedge-shaped boxes formed

by a table, a plate, supported by and above it, and laterally adjustable guides.

No. 194,642. Machines for Winding Paper, &c., into Rolls.—S. H. Bingham, Philadelphia, Pa., assignor to the Bullock Printing Press Company, same place.

The receiving-roll is supported in a laterally-adjustable frame, from which a stud projects into a cam groove in a horizontally-pivoted lever connected by a rod to a lever at the opposite end of the machine.

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No. 4,418 (reissue). Improvement in Reducing Wood to Paper Pulp.—Henry Voelter, Heidenheim, Wurtemberg, assignor to Alberto Pagenstecher, New York, N. Y. Patented August 10, 1868; antedated August 29, 1866. Reissued April 6, 1869; extended seven years. Reissued June 6, 1871. Disclaimer filed August 24, 1877, by Henry Voelter, Alberto Pagenstecher and William A. Russell.

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- Third—Are your policies correctly worded, so that you are positively insured?
- Fourth—Are you sure all the companies in which you hold policies are sound and solvent?

These questions and many others of like character are such as are being asked us constantly by paper-makers. Worthless insurance is worse than none. Badly worded policies lead to litigation. Business centers of course have the largest number of insurance companies, hence, better facilities for placing large lines of insurance.

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Should be pleased to send you a Paper Mill Survey, and to hear from you regarding any insurance which you may desire for your mill property, and you can rest assured that it will receive careful attention at our hands. Please write us before renewing any of your policies.

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Yours, &c., HIRAM REMINGTON, President.

WEST CUMMINGTON, Mass., October 4, 1876.  
It does its work well, and I recommend it as the simplest and cheapest, as well as the best suction pump I ever saw.  
Truly yours,  
F. A. BATES.

OFFICE OF THE REMINGTON PAPER CO.,  
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OFFICE OF THE CANADA PAPER CO.,  
MONTREAL, December 11, 1876.  
DEAR SIR.—The Bagley & Sewall Pump we are now using for pumping strong Caustic Alkali Liquors. We find it the best pump for that purpose that we have ever used, the metal packing being particularly valuable. The No. 3 Pump of your make, which we are using, is a Fire Pump, from which I am able to throw TWO STREAMS AT ONCE, EACH 135 FEET.  
Yours truly,  
Wm. Angus, President.

PATERSON, N. J., October 11, 1876.  
Sirs.—The little Rotary Fire Pump (No. 3) is entirely satisfactory. I have it connected with a system of sprinklers on each floor, and a set of hose front and rear, 1/4 inch hoses, from which I am able to throw TWO STREAMS AT ONCE, EACH 135 FEET.  
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Yours truly,  
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Yours truly,  
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NEW YORK HOUSES.

Table listing various paper and paper-makers' supplies in New York, including names like Anderson, J. F., Jr., & Co., Barrett, Thomas, Beebe, Ira L., etc.

Oils.

Table listing oil suppliers in New York, including Binns & Lea.

Paper-Makers' Chemicals and Colors.

Table listing chemical and color suppliers in New York, including Gantz, Jones & Co., Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., etc.

Paper-Makers.

Table listing paper-making companies in New York, including Orrs & Co., Jute Butt Brokers, etc.

Straw Boards.

Table listing straw board suppliers in New York, including Butterfield, H. A., Hayes, James E. & Co., etc.

Paper-Making Machinery.

Table listing paper-making machinery suppliers in New York, including Allen Iron Works, Currier, Cybus, etc.

Wire Cloth.

Table listing wire cloth suppliers in New York, including Cable Manufacturing Co., The Sellers Mfg. Co., etc.

Felts and Felting.

Table listing felt and felting suppliers in New York, including Bulkley, Dunton & Co., Gray, F., O'Ferrall & Co., etc.

Belt Hooks.

Table listing belt hook suppliers in New York, including Wilson, Greenleaf.

BOSTON HOUSES.

Table listing Boston houses, including Blanchard, J. Henry, Butler, Thomas, etc.

CHICAGO HOUSES.

Table listing Chicago houses, including Clarke, Friend, Fox & Co., Gilbert, Wm. & Co., etc.

CINCINNATI HOUSES.

Table listing Cincinnati houses, including Block & Pollak, Sniders, Louis' Sons, etc.

PITTSBURG HOUSES.

Table listing Pittsburgh houses, including Bakeswell, Allan C. & Co., Harrison, James, etc.

PHILADELPHIA HOUSES.

Table listing Philadelphia houses, including Barber, J. & J. S., Ditman, J. G. & Co., etc.

ST. LOUIS HOUSES.

Table listing St. Louis houses, including Graham & Bro., Mayer, A. B., etc.

LONDON HOUSES.

Table listing London houses, including Wood Pulp and Wood Pulp Boards, The Gothenburg Commercial Co., etc.

MANUFACTURERS.

Table listing manufacturers, including Claremont Manuf'g Co.

IMPORTATIONS OF PAPER STOCK, PAPER, BOOKS, CHEMICALS, &c.

IMPORTS of Paper and Paper Materials, Books, &c., at the Port of New York, for the week ended Sept. 14, 1877. Quantity given in packages when not otherwise specified.

Table showing import statistics for various paper and chemical items, including Antifine Colors, Alum, Aluminous Cake, etc.

TOTAL IMPORTS.

Table showing total import values for various categories like General Merchandise, Paper, Paper Stock, etc.

IMPORTS of Rags and Paper Stock at the Port of New York, since Jan. 1, 1877, from the following Ports, showing quantities from each Port.

Table showing import quantities for various ports including Alexandria, Antwerp, Beyrout, Bremen, etc.

EXPORTS of Paper, Books, &c., from the Port of New York to Foreign Ports, for the week ended Sept. 18, 1877, with Aggregates and Values.

Table showing export statistics for various paper and book items to different foreign ports.

TOTAL EXPORTS.

Table showing total export values for various categories like General Merchandise, Paper, etc.

NEW YORK IMPORTS.

FROM SEPTEMBER 13 TO SEPTEMBER 30, INCLUSIVE.

Table listing New York imports for various categories like Rags, Paper, Paper Stock, etc.

PHILADELPHIA IMPORTS.

Table listing Philadelphia imports for various categories like Antifine Colors, Rosin, China Clay, etc.

BOSTON IMPORTS.

IMPORTATIONS of Paper Stock, Chemicals, &c., at Port of Boston, from September 14, 1877, to September 20, 1877, inclusive.

Table showing Boston import statistics for various paper and chemical items.

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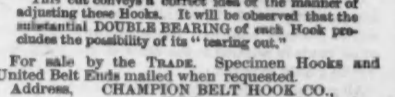
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[From The Paper Trade Journal of March 4, 1876.] MIDDLETOWN, O., February 23, 1876.

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The PAPER TRADE JOURNAL is the recognized organ of the various Paper-Makers' Associations of the United States.

This JOURNAL contains the latest and fullest information relative to the paper trade in all parts of the world, including descriptions of new appliances and processes for making paper, experiments with raw fibres and other materials, a record of the water supply, with the latest manufacturing news in all parts of the country.

Communications on matters of interest to the trade are earnestly solicited from all quarters, and if used will be liberally paid for. Items of news, and facts of all kinds in relation to the state of the mills, &c., will be gladly received.

All communications must be addressed to HOWARD LOCKWOOD, Publisher and Proprietor, No. 74 Duane street, N. Y. Philadelphia Office: No. 900 Chestnut st.

TO CORRESPONDENTS. As THE PAPER TRADE JOURNAL is the recognized vehicle of communication in matters of trade interest, we will be glad to receive correspondence from all parts of the country.

PAPER-MAKERS are brisling up, and improvements are being made in every direction. A hopeful sign.

The formation of a new paper manufacturing company, with substantial backing, in California is noted. It looks as if it is intended to result in keeping our Eastern papers out of the Pacific Coast market.

We have seen samples of toilet paper which, from general appearance and make-up, resemble the product of a well-known manufacturer. This paper is brittle, heavily loaded with wood, and for all practical purposes one might as well use a chip.

The dealers in book papers are beginning to feel the annual revival which precedes the holidays, and the publishers are making preparations for an anticipated call beyond last year's demand.

A CORRESPONDENT has sent us some samples of paper showing the difference of manufacture between paper made with the old style dandy roll seam-impresion, and that made with Dunbar's improvement.

The wood pulp manufacturers held a meeting in Boston on Thursday and yesterday to consider—in the light of the extension of the Voelter patent—the questions of production and an increase of prices; also the establishment of a standard value in the future.

ADDITIONAL reports of increasing trade in most branches of business furnish ground for hope, which is expressed in pardonable frequency, that there is to be a steady and healthful state of affairs in the

future. The proofs of such growth are accumulating daily, and a gradual improvement is noticeable on the streets, along the wharves, and in the warehouses. Of course, it is not to be expected that all branches will equally experience the impetus of enlarged commerce. It should not, therefore, lead any to suppose because the movement is gradual, that any line, such as the paper trade, is to be exempt from the general advance, or that every branch is to experience the same sudden and rapid changes.

The relations between employer and employed have greatly changed within a few years, and on the whole perhaps not for the permanent benefit of either party. The great development of industries at the present day has discouraged all immediate intercourse between the two classes. The workman very seldom knows anything of the real outlays and commercial conditions of the manufactory in which he works, and regards the owners as people who only desire to work him to the utmost.

The gradual breaking up of the fine writing paper-makers' association happened through the devices of some of the manufacturers to deviate from the spirit of their agreement, while apparently sticking to its letter. As one manufacturer after another found the pressure too hard to withstand, the dodging business became general, until no one remained to do honor to the compact.

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prices, allowing him a commission. These features leave it hardly to be wondered at that the half-time and uniform price agreement should finally be ignored. Despite all this it is claimed by some that the combination prices have lately been paid, and that goods are quite firmly held. The market has, however, been all along adjusting itself to the inside competition mentioned, and prices have undoubtedly been made to meet it.

Correspondence.

[Communications are solicited from everyone who has anything of value or interest to impart. Items of news, trade gossip, and personal information will be gladly received. Correspondents are requested to write on only one side of the paper.

Governor.

To the Editor of The Journal: As answer to "Morrison," I would say that I am not aware how the Snow generator would work on a breast or overshoot wheel, as I have not used it on any other than turbine wheels.

Cutter Girls.

Machine-tenders in some mills have a good deal of trouble in keeping the cutter girls at their work. It is very annoying, to say the least, to the machine-tender, when the reels are filled, to have to leave the machine and travel around the mill looking for the cutter hands.

ONE ARMED PULP-DRESSER.

Dressing Fly Bars.

Of the many labor-saving devices adopted by paper-makers generally towards the improvement and economical working of their mills in the bleach-house, engine or machine rooms the important question, "How to save the time and expense lost in dressing and grinding fly-bars in the engine-roll?" has never to my knowledge been practically entertained or profitably answered.

In this mill we have had a new set of extra heavy fly bars (the stock worked requiring such) put in one of our engine rolls, and although the bars measured three-sixteenths of an inch on the face, and presented about as uneven a circle as an old roll refilled can present, we managed, by the aid of a machine made and patented by Jas. H. Robinson, millwright, and Charles Arthur, paper-maker, of this State, to grind the engine roll perfectly and in a true circle, with the edges of the bars sharp and clear, in the almost incredibly short time of three hours, whereas by the old system the same work would require not less than four days, and more likely six days.

As soon as another engine roll is filled (which will be in a day or two), the grinding of the fly bars will be done and the machine tested in the presence of a few of the more prominent paper-makers of this section, thereby giving it publicity and gaining the approval of well-known men, when a complete description, with all the et ceteras necessary to bring so important a matter before the trade, will be forwarded.

Priority of Invention.

In your last issue you make complimentary reference to the invention of a new machine for making paper, or rather a combination consisting of a Fourdrinier and cylinder working in connection for the purpose of producing a special

class of papers. The writer of this article, several years ago conceived a plan very similar to the above for the purpose, at the time, of making a paper for the Government use that could not be counterfeited, his object being to produce a paper of either two or three thicknesses, each sheet of which should be formed independently, and not only of an entirely different material, but of different color, with changeable "water marks," &c., and capable of a variety of combinations to an almost unlimited extent, and rendering anything like a perfect imitation of the paper impossible.

Changes, Removals, and New Firms.

Rice & Brother succeed Rice & Hunt, stationers, Farmville, Pa.

Walter C. Hugh & Co., New York City, publishers, have dissolved partnership.

The firm of Swighart & Sargent, printers, Maquokita, Ia., has been succeeded by Swighart & Sons.

Belford Brothers, publishers, Toronto, Ont., have formed a new firm under the title of Belford Brothers Publishing Co.

Yohn & Porter, booksellers and stationers, Indianapolis, Ind., have dissolved partnership by mutual consent. E. B. Porter continues for himself in the same business.

R. F. George, corner Tremont and Water streets, Galveston, Texas, has started a stationery and blank-book department in connection with his wholesale drug business.

Albert B. Yohn and Charles G. Yohn, of the late firm of Yohn & Porter, Indianapolis, Ind., have formed a copartnership for the purpose of continuing the book and stationery business in that city. The firm style is Yohn Brothers.

Failures.

James H. Ellis, printer, Boston, Mass., has had his stock attached.

J. B. Collins & Co., publishers, New York, have been closed by the sheriff.

Baker & Kennedy, stationers, Philadelphia, Pa., have gone into bankruptcy.

John Edwards, stationer, Toronto, Ont., has called a meeting of his creditors.

At the meeting of the creditors of Porter & Bainbridge, held last week at the office of the Register of Bankruptcy, a composition of 75 cents, payable in five, ten and fifteen months, was accepted by the creditors. The notes are indorsed by H. Bainbridge & Co.

There is nothing new to report connected with the affairs of Frank Leslie. The sub-committee is hard at work examining into the business, and the committee will report to the creditors early next week. The business, in the meantime, is continuing without interruption, and the assignee reports that owing to material reductions in expense accounts the showing is very satisfactory.

Fires.

H. F. Blanchard, publisher of the Gazette, Fort Edward, N. Y., has had his place burned out.

The report of the burning of Beard & Crouse's mill, at Fayetteville, N. Y., was incorrect. The barns and sheds adjoining the mill were destroyed by fire on August 29. A valuable pair of horses and some paper stock were included in the loss, which is nearly covered by insurance.

It is reported that the paper mill of M. White & Co., Hoboken, Bergen County, N. J., has again been destroyed by fire. It has been unfortunate in this respect, having caught fire and been consumed with its contents on April 2 of last year. It was rebuilt, and began operations again in the early part of this year.

Personals.

J. W. Thomas, printer and publisher, Philadelphia, Pa., is dead.

J. J. Benson, publisher of the Gazette, Lansingburg, N. Y., is reported to have left the place.

Chattel Mortgages.

NEW YORK CITY.

Table with columns: Mortgagee, Mortgagee, Amount. Includes Hatch Lithographic Co., W. A. Camp & Co., Lyon & Ames, etc.

BROOKLYN.

Table with columns: Mortgagee, Mortgagee, Amount. Includes Gideon H. Burton, Vanderberg, Wells & Co., Patrick H. Duffy, etc.

NEW JERSEY.

Table with columns: Mortgagee, Mortgagee, Amount. Includes Adeline Van Alstine, Paterson, G. S. MacArtee.

EASTERN STATES.

Table with columns: Mortgagee, Mortgagee, Amount. Includes J. A. Littlefield, Boston, Mass., J. N. Roberts & Co., etc.

WESTERN STATES.

Table with columns: Mortgagee, Mortgagee, Amount. Includes Robert Penniston, Denver, Col., James S. Stauges, Denver, Col., etc.

In Town.

F. G. Weeks, Skanateles, N. Y.; B. F. Field, Stockton, Cal.; Wellington Smith, Lee, Mass.; John Keith, Turner's Falls, Mass.; R. M. Fairfield, Holyoke, Mass.; Danl. Alexander, Mill River, Mass.; Charles O. Brown, Dalton, Mass.; Charles Stewart, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Obituary.

MICHAEL MAHER.

Michael Maher, of Philadelphia, who was buried on yesterday, was fifty years old. Although belonging to the great Maher family of Cashel, he was born in Cork, and came to this country at an early age with his parents.

The Postal Card Manufacture.

The Springfield Union says: "There is a good chance that Holyoke will win the business of postal-card making which Springfield lost when the American Phototype Company, of New York, captured the contract. The paper from which the cards are manufactured is made by the Parsons Paper Company of Holyoke, whose contract requires them to deliver it in New York."

Paul A. Thorpe, who was a book-keeper at the Russell Paper Co.'s mills in 1874, was taken to Lawrence, Mass., from this city on September 7. He was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Mr. Fowle, of the Essex House, at which hotel he owed a bill for about \$200. W. A. Russell & Co. charge embezzlement, committed while Thorpe was at the paper mill.

A Queer Ecology.

The appended obituary notice is copied from the columns of *El Copiapino*, a Chilean newspaper.

NECROLOGY.

A distinguished young man, who was at the same time the adornment of his house the account of all who knew him, has gone to a better world leaving of sorrow all his family and of sensation all his friends.

Yes, Williams Watkins [second] is dead but the remembrance of his short and precocious life will long be affectionately regarded on the heart of his family and by all who had the happiness to know him.

Then satisfying the cruel affliction of his parents; understanding the fault he do to his friends for he was undoubtedly a young man worthy of esteem and consideration, we give the most complimentary of condolence to his family and we pay a strainly low of tears

R. A. FICOR.—A. OSSA.

An eminent Frenchman, Theophile Foucault, has constructed a machine which employs sal ammoniac to produce steam instead of water. It has the advantage that one hundred grades will, if the water boils, produce seven atmospheres, and the steam created is immediately diverted by the creation of negative pressure from the cold water to the boiler. It is said to be specially adapted to small businesses, and a great future is prophesied for it by the inventor.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

[Insertions under this heading will be charged 50 cents a line. Payment invariably in advance.]

Assignees' Sale of Paper Mill Property

AT LAWRENCE, MASS.  
The assignees of the estate of S. W. Wilder will sell at public auction, on Wednesday, Sept. 26, at or about 3 o'clock P. M., upon the premises, the property known as the Merrimac Paper Mills. These mills are built of stone and brick with slate roof, and in the most thorough manner. The power is supplied by one 36-in. Swaine, one 24-in. and one 18-in. Stetson turbine water wheels, which are competent to furnish ample power for a two-machine mill. These mills are situated on and supplied with power from the never-falling Merrimac River; are in perfect order, and can be turning out paper in 24 hours from the time of taking possession. The mills at present contain one Fourdrinier machine with conchers 68x12 inches; press rolls 6x12 inches, in addition to the other machinery necessary for the other processes of paper manufacturing. These mills were designed and arranged for two machines and everything is in readiness to receive the second machine, the mill being adequate to produce pulp sufficient to supply two machines, by the introduction of two Jordan engines. No property of its kind has ever been offered for sale in New England, inviting purchasers by its intrinsic merits, as that to which attention is now invited. The terms of sale will be ten per cent. on the day of sale, and balance in thirty days. For further particulars apply to or address the assignees at Lawrence. CHAS. W. BELL, Assignees. JAS. M. COBURN.

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Market Review.

OFFICE OF THE PAPER TRADE JOURNAL, FRIDAY EVENING, September 21, 1877.

THE MONEY MARKET.—Money has been active and 7 per cent. has been paid in the street, as it has been for a long time current at the banks. Mercantile paper rules dull. Money on call loaned at 5 and 3 1/2 per cent. and closed at 3 1/2 per cent. The bulk of the business was at 4 and 5 per cent. Banks and trust companies are doing nothing below 5 per cent. Commercial paper of strictly first-class and of short date only is taken, and quotations are nominal.

Government bonds are quiet but firm, for reasons already adverted to. There is more firmness to gold, and sales were at 103 1/2 to 103 3/4 on the closing out of short contracts and the demand for gold to be paid in for the 4 per cent. bonds. The quotations for the week are:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Sept. 15 .....	103 1/8 1/4	103 5/8	103 1/4	103 3/8
17 .....	103 3/4	103 1/2	102 3/4	103
18 .....	102 3/4	103 1/2	102 3/4	103
19 .....	103 1/8	103 1/2	103	103 1/2
20 .....	103 1/4	103 3/4	103 1/2	103 3/4
21 .....	103 1/4	103 3/4	103 1/2	103 3/4

The posted rates for bankers' sterling remains unchanged at \$4.83 1/2 for 60-day and \$4.87 for sight, and the market is dull and heavy. The rates to-day are: Sterling, 60 days, \$4.82 1/2 to \$4.83; sterling, sight, \$4.86 to \$4.89; cable transfers, \$4.87 to \$4.88; commercial sterling, prime long, \$4.82 to \$4.83 1/2; commercial sterling, good long, \$4.81 to \$4.82; Paris, bankers', 60 days, 5.19 1/2 to 5.18 1/2; do. sight, 5.16 1/2 to 5.15 1/2; Antwerp, bankers', 60 days, 5.20 to 5.18 1/2; do. sight, 5.16 1/2 to 5.15 1/2; Swiss, bankers', 60 days, 5.19 1/2 to 5.17 1/2; do. sight, 5.16 1/2 to 5.15; Reichsmarks (4), bankers', 60 days, 94 1/2 to 94 3/4; do. sight, 95 1/2 to 95 3/4; Guilders, bankers', 60 days, 40 1/2 to 40 1/2; do. sight, 40 1/2 to 40 1/2.

THE PAPER TRADE.—The excessive dullness which prevailed during the month of August has given place to some movement, but not such as to make dealers enthusiastic over the situation or particularly buoyant as to the future. The promise of two weeks ago suggestive of early fall brisk trade has not yet been realized, and only moderate activity prevails. Fine Papers are still called for occasionally and in small jobbing lots to meet the limited demand only of dealers from week to week. The bulk of trade is still from out-of-town buyers, while city purchasers are few, holding aloof for a presumably better time to purchase in the future. The search for book papers is a trifle more active, and publishers seek, to a limited extent, additional stock. About the same call prevails for News that was mentioned last week, and prices remain nominally the same. The movement in Manillas continues to be very light. Wrappings are selling moderately in small jobbing lots. Straw Boards have exhibited about the same degree of activity as during the previous week. Wrappings have not undergone any change. Binders' Boards have been brisker. Sales have been fair and somewhat better than they were during the corresponding week last year. Prices ruled about the same.

JUTE BUTTS.—The only arrivals during the past week have been 100 bales, per Hamilton, at 3 1/2 to 3 3/4, with sales thus far of about 800 bales on spot at above mentioned prices.

FOREIGN RAGS AND PAPER STOCK.—The market may be called steady, but it is the steadiness of only a limited business and moderate sales. There is a little more movement in Linen Rags, and a few purchasers are buying at rates which have remained unchanged since last week's report. Under the pressure of large stocks and small sales there has been some disposition to yield in prices, but buyers have not been induced thereby to purchase in quantities, and sales have been restricted to small lots. Waste Papers have been a trifle more in demand, but the increased call does not meet the requirements of brisk business or good trade. The importations of Bagging continue to be trifling and buyers appear in only limited numbers, but are about as numerous as during the previous week.

Prices, sympathizing with the steadiness of Jute Butts, remain unchanged. The arrivals of the week foot up 809 bales Rags, 674 bales Old Papers, and 524 bales Manillas.

DOMESTIC RAGS.—The activity noticed in our last issue was hardly maintained during the past week in some qualities, while in others about the same business was transacted at unchanged prices. So long as the call for Foreign Rags remains small the holders of Domestic continue encouraged and hopeful. Good Packings are in very fair demand and move regularly at the same rates. Poor Packings are still in large quantities, and holders are disposed to sell them at low prices, yet even the offers, which are below quotable market rates, are not availed of to any great extent by purchasers, who hold aloof. There is not quite so much call for White Rags, which have fallen off a trifle in price, and manufacturers are now purchasing about equally of Country and City Rags, which command rates according to their quality. Sales include 65 bales City Seconds at 2 1/2; 85 bales City Seconds at 2 1/2, and 80 bales City Whites at 5 1/4.

OLD PAPERS.—More movement is noticeable in Old Papers, and they are disposed of with more freedom, while prices are held firm at the rates of last week's quotations. The sales include 35 tons Light Book stock at 2 1/2; 60 tons Heavy Book stock at 4 1/2, and 40 tons do. at 4 1/2-6. There is a fair demand for City Book stock.

BAGGINGS.—A hopeful feeling prevails and there continues to be a fair call for Baggings, which, in contrast with the month of August, are in good fall inquiry. The firmness of Jute Butts stimulates the market for Baggings, which, however, have not advanced, but are held firm at the previous week's quotations. The belief of an advance is strengthened by reports from abroad, which represent a light stock and firm rates. Among the sales were 40 tons No. 1 Gunny Bagging at 3; 80 tons do. at 3 1/2-16; 130 tons do., spot, at 3; 60 tons do. at 3 1/2, future delivery; 40 tons No. 2 Gunny Bagging, three months delivery, at 2 1/2; 40 tons do. at 2 1/2; 20 tons do. at 2 1/2; 30 tons No. 1 Burlaps at 3 1/2. Most of the mills are now running at full time and the supply of Rope is more sought for. The manufacturers and holders however can hardly agree as to price. The former have offered 3 1/2 and 3 3/4, but sellers are reluctant to part with their goods for less than 3 1/2, while some refuse to sell at less than 3 1/2. Sales have occurred of 20 tons at 3 1/2, and 150 tons exchanged hands at 3 1/2. Hemp stock is in increasing demand and much sought for. There is only a small stock in the market and prices rule accordingly.

WOOD PULP.—There continues to be a fair call for this article. Purchasers are quite numerous, and prices remain fair. The action of the Wood Pulp manufacturers, who were to meet this week at Boston, is awaited with considerable interest by a large number of dealers. Some of whom claim to have information from trustworthy sources that the price will be advanced, while others assert with equal confidence that no change will be made, and that the meeting is called to consider other features of the patented material. Sales have been stimulated and greater activity is discernible. Sales of nearly 800 tons were made during the week at 3 1/2 for spot and future delivery.

STRAW.—The market has been moderately active, and prices remain unchanged. We quote 55c. to 60c. for Long Rye, 50c. for Short Rye and 45c. to 50c. for Oat.

ROSLNS.—Strained remains quiet, but is held as before; the fine grades have a moderate inquiry, while common grades are dull and neglected, hardly any call being made at any price. Sales include 450 bbls. No. 1 and Pale at \$2.20 to \$3.75. The quotations are: Good Strained at \$1.85; Common do. at \$1.75 to \$1.80; E. at \$1.95; F. \$2.05; G. at \$2.12 1/2; H. at \$2.25; I. at \$2.30 to \$2.35; K. at \$2.50 to \$2.87 1/2; L. at \$3 to \$3.37 1/2; N. at \$3.75 to \$3.87 1/2; W. at \$4.25 to \$5.

CHEMICALS.—The market is moderately active, but nothing to boast of, and just about the same movement in a small way is observed as was noted in our last issue. Purchasers in limited numbers have bought small and even moderately large lots, and prices remain the same. Carbonated Soda Ash remains about the same. Caustic Soda has shown a little more movement, and is in light stock. Sal Soda is firm. Bleaching Powders show some improvement, and are a little more active. Oxalic Acid and China Clay remain about the same. Sales include 250 casks Bleaching Powders at 1 1/2 c. currency; 75 tons Caustic Soda Ash, 56 per cent., at 1.00c. gold; 50 drums 70 per cent. Caustic Soda at 4.26c. gold; 35 tons Sal Soda 1.35c. gold; 200 barrels Lamp Alum at 2 1/2 c. currency; 150 barrels Ground Alum at 2 1/2 c. currency; 100 barrels Potash Alum at 2 1/2 c. currency; 50 barrels Concentrated Alum at 2 1/2 c. currency; 100 barrels Natrona Porous Alum at 3 1/2 c. currency; 25 tons Aluminate Cake at 2 1/2 c. currency; 20 casks Yellow Prussiate at 2 1/2 c. currency; 10 casks Bichromate at 1 1/2 c. currency.

COAL.—Anthracite is quoted active with a weaker tendency than was noticeable a week ago. Schuylkill and Lehigh regions are sending forward large tonnages, and dealers are only buying small lots in the expectation that coal will rule much lower in price when the men in all the districts shall be at work. Cumberland coal is quoted active at the quotations mentioned below. Tonnage keeps at a good average, the week showing an increase over last year, but the sum total is an irredeemable quarter of a million tons behind, thanks to the canal and mining troubles which have prevailed this year. The prices of Bituminous coal are lower, and affairs in the Wyoming District remain still unsettled and without change. Seward's *Coal Trade Journal* says: "Lehigh is in good demand with some dealers; there is a little weakness on Chestnut side to the extent that ten cents per ton off will make a trade. All in this district are now at work, and we shall now be able to record an increase in the tonnage of this

quality that will be gratifying to those dealers and consumers who have been waiting for a supply." We continue our quotations, f. o. b., at tide: Lump, \$3.75; Broken, \$3.65; Egg, \$3.65; Stove, \$3.75; Chestnut, \$3.40 to \$3.50; Pea, \$2.25."

NEW YORK MARKET. PRICES CURRENT.

Paper Market.

DEALERS' SELLING PRICES.	
Flat Caps and Ledger, 1st class	30 @ 30
Flat Caps and Ledger, 2d class	17 @ 20
Flat Caps and Ledger, 3d class	14 @ 17
Blotting, American	14 @ 25 1/2
Blotting, English	21 @ 25
Book, super-sized and calendared	12 @ 17
Book, super-sized and tinted	15 @ 18
Book, extra machine finish	15 @ 18
Book, extra machine finish, tinted	15 @ 18
Book, good quality, all rag	11 @ 18
Book, good quality, all rag, unperfected	12 @ 18
Book, No. 1, Shavings & Imperfections	10 @ 11
Book, No. 2, Shavings & Imperfections	9 1/2 @ 10
News, rag and wood	7 1/2 @ 8
News, straw	7 1/2 @ 8
News, Common	7 @ 7 1/4
Hanging, Superfine, No. 1	12 1/2 @ 14
Hanging, Superfine, No. 2	10 @
Hanging, Superfine, No. 3	10 @
Hanging, Machine Satin, No. 1	9 1/2 @
Hanging, White Blank, No. 1	7 @ 8
Hanging, White Blank, No. 2	7 1/2 @ 8
Hanging, White Blank, No. 3	5 @ 5 1/2
Hanging, Curtain	5 @ 5 1/2
Hanging, Buff	4 @ 4 1/2
Hanging, Brown	4 1/2 @ 5
Colored Papers, Double Medium	14 @ 15
Colored Papers, Glazed Medium	14 @ 15
Colored Papers, Tobacco	10 @ 11
Colored Papers, Tissues, 20 x 20, 9 ream	1.50 @
White Tissues, 20 x 20, 9 ream	1.25 @
White Tissue, 24 x 36, 9 ream	1.75 @
Manilla, Flour-sack, cream	12 1/4 @ 13 1/4
Manilla, Flour-sack, drab	10 @ 11 1/2
Manilla, Rope, unbleached	11 1/2 @ 13 1/2
Manilla, Rope, bleached	10 @ 11 1/2
Manilla, No. 1, heavy weight	9 @ 9 1/2
Manilla, Ordinary Wrapping	8 @ 8 1/2
Manilla, No. 2	6 @ 7
Tissue Manilla, 11 1/2 x 15, 11 x 15, other sizes in proportion	22 @ 25
Hardware, light colored	12 @ 12
Hardware, No. 1, glazed	8 1/4 @ 9
Hardware, No. 2, glazed	7 1/4 @ 8
Binder's Boards, 1/2 ton	65.00 @ 100.00
Straw Boards, air-dried, 150 sheets, 9 1/2 x 50 in.	50.00 @ 60.00
Straw Boards, air-dried, 120 sheets, 9 1/2 x 50 in.	50.00 @ 60.00
Straw Boards, air-dried, 100 sheets, 9 1/2 x 50 in.	50.00 @ 60.00
Straw Boards, steam-dried, No. 1, 1/2 ton	55.00 @ 65.00
Straw Boards, steam-dried, No. 2, 1/2 ton	50.00 @ 60.00
Straw Boards, steam-dried, No. 3, 1/2 ton	47.50 @ 55.00
State, 1/2 ton	50.00 @ 55.00
Straw Boards, air-dried, State, 1/2 ton	50.00 @ 60.00
Straw Wrapping, basis, 15 x 20, 10 lb.	30 sheets
26 x 40	1.15 @
30 x 40	1.00 @
34 x 36	.75 @
22 x 32	.70 @
30 x 30	.48 @ .55
16 x 22	.38 @
18 x 28	.40 @
18 x 26	.45 @ .50
15 x 20	.33 @ .30
14 x 18	.30 @ .31
14 x 18	.30 @ .31
12 x 16	.25 @ .17
11 x 15	.18 @
Straw Wrapping, 1/2 lb.	2 1/4 @ 3 1/4
Tea Papers, 16-sheet quires	35 @ 40
14 x 20	45 @ 50

Woolen Rags.

Comforter Stock	13 @
White Woolens	13 1/2 @
Blue Grey Stockings	11 @ 12
White Stockings	18 @
Seams Flannels, No. 1, 1/2 ton	30 @ 40
Reds, old	10 @ 10
Reds, new Shirt Clippings	25 @ 25
Mixed Sods, free of Carpets	7 1/4 @ 8 1/2
Seamed Cloth	4 @ 4 1/2
Skirted Cloth	4 @ 4 1/2
Light Skirted Cloth	5 @ 5 1/2
New Dark Clips	10 @ 10
New Light Clips	14 @ 15
New Blue Clips	18 @ 18
New Blue Clips	18 @ 18
New Felts	3 1/4 @ 4
New Fancy Shirt Cuttings	12 @ 14
New Fancy Linen Cuttings	2 @ 2 1/2
New Seaming, No. 2	8 @ 8 1/2
Seams and Satinets	2 @ 2 1/2
Delaimes, stripped for extract	2 @ 2 1/2
Black Shoe Lastings	2 1/2 @ 3
Blankets	12 @ 14
Wool Carpets	4 @ 4 1/2
Mixed Carpets	1 @ 1 1/2
White Linseys	3 @ 3
Mixed Linseys	1 1/4 @ 2

Rags, Rope and Bagging.

White Shirt Cuttings, No. 1	7 1/2 @ 8 1/2
White Shirt Cuttings, No. 2	5 1/4 @ 6 1/2
Mill Assorted Whites	6 1/2 @ 7 1/2
Unbleached Muslins	10 1/2 @ 12
City Whites	5 1/2 @ 6 1/2
New Cotton Flannels	5 @ 5 1/2
New Cotton Flannels	5 @ 5 1/2
New Cotton Flannels	4 1/2 @ 5 1/2
No. 2, Whites	3 @ 3 1/2
Cotton Canvas	5 1/2 @ 6 1/2
Linen Canvas	5 1/2 @ 6 1/2
Country White	5 1/2 @ 6 1/2
Country Mixed	3 @ 3 1/2
Country (City)	2 1/2 @ 3 1/2
Seconds (City) Extra	2 1/2 @ 3 1/2
Colors, per 100 lb.	80 @ 1.00
Manilla Rope, No. 1, 1/2 ton	3 1/2 @ 3 3/4
Manilla Rope, tarred	3 1/2 @ 3 3/4
Hemp Rope	4 1/4 @ 5
Gunny Bagging, No. 1	2 1/2 @ 3 1/2
Gunny Bagging, No. 2	2 @ 2 1/2
Kentucky Bagging	2 1/2 @ 3 1/2
Burlap Bagging	2 1/2 @ 3 1/2
Tar Shavings	4 1/2 @ 5
Hemp Twine Stock	4 1/2 @ 5
Jute Waste	1 1/4 @

Shavings and Old Paper.

White Collar Cuttings, all paper	4 1/2 @ 5
White Collar Cuttings, manila lined	5 1/2 @ 6
White Envelope Cuttings	5 1/2 @ 6
Hard White Shavings, No. 1	5 1/2 @ 6 1/2
Soft White Shavings, No. 1	5 @ 5 1/2
Mixed Shavings, part white	5 1/2 @ 6 1/2
Ledger and Writing	4 1/2 @ 5
Solid Stock	4 1/2 @ 5
Book Stock	3 1/2 @ 4 1/2
Book Stock, No. 2, light	2 @ 2 1/2
Prints	1 1/4 @ 1 1/2
Pure Manilla	3 @ 3 1/2
Bonus Manilla and Hardwares	1 1/2 @ 2
Commons	1 1/2 @ 2
Binder's Board Cuttings	1 1/4 @ 1 1/2
Straw Board Cuttings	80 @ 1

English Rags, &c.

New Cuttings, cotton	7 1/2 @ 8
Essex Fines	6 1/2 @ 7

Alexandria Rags. Whites, Blues, Colors. Smyrna Rags. Whites, Blues, Reds, Canvas, No. 1, Canvas, Good, Tanned, Rope. Constantinople Rags. Whites, Blues, Mixed.

New Papers. Superfine Book, Fine Book, Rags News, No. 1, Ordinary Rag News, Straw News, Manila, Cream, No. 1, Ordinary Wrapping Manila, Manila, No. 2, Bogus, Straw Wrapping, Hardware, No. 2, Hardware, glazed, Straw Boards, air-dried, # ton, Straw Boards, steam-dried, # ton, Binders' Boards, # ton, Leather Boards, # ton, Leather Board, counter, Leather Board, No. 2, Leather Board, No. 3.

Boston Chemicals. Alum, English lump, # lb, Alum, English ground, Alum, American lump, Alum, American potash, Alum, ground, Concentrated, Anti-Chlorine, Bi-Chromate Potash, cur'y, Bi-Chromate Potash, American, cur'y, Bleaching Powder, gold, Caustic Soda, 60 cent, gold, Caustic Soda, 70 cent, gold (for 60 cent), Clay, English, # ton, gold, Clay, American, # ton, Coppers, American, # lb, Extract Logwood, Lime, common, # bbl, Prussian Blue, # lb, Prussiate Potash, American, Rosin, common strained, # bbl, Rosin, No. 2, Rosin, No. 1, Sal Soda, N. O., # ton, Sal Soda, American, currency, Soda Ash, gold, Soluble Blue, Sugar Lead, White, Sugar Lead, Brown, Sulphuric Acid, 66 degrees, Terra Alba, # ton, Ultramarine, # lb, gold, Venetian Red, # lb, Vitriol Blue, Yellow Ochre.

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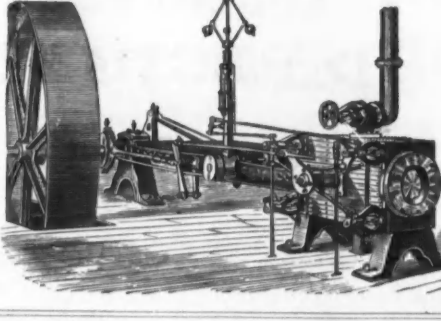
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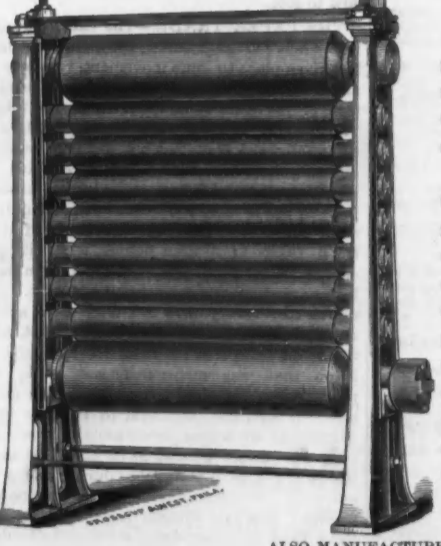
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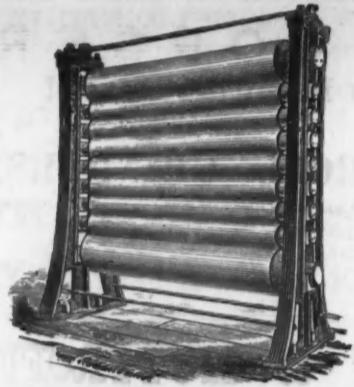
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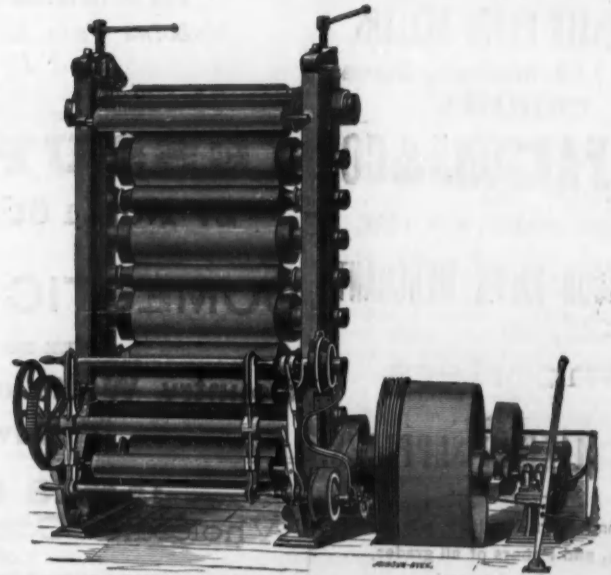
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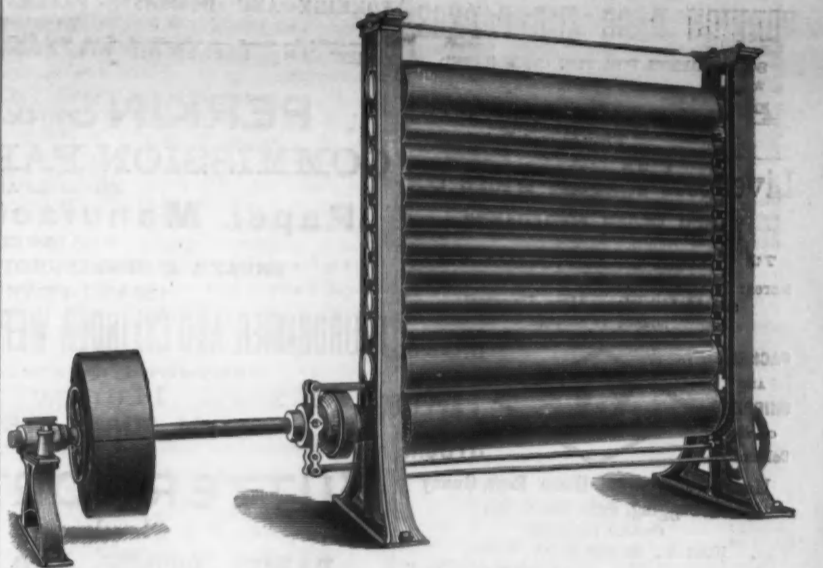
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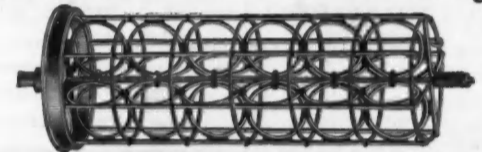
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