

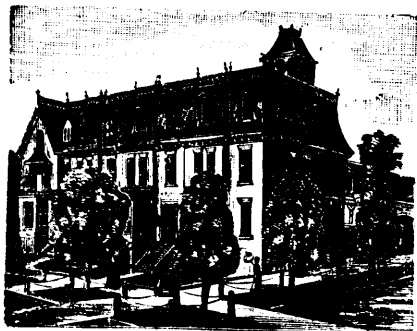
2 Middlings and smalls..low cut, &c.	
2 Small.....	" "
3 Large pups.....	" "
4 Middlings.....	" "
6 Small.....	" "
12 Ex. small.....	" "
36 Ex. ex. small pups.....	20s.
46 Grey pups.....	17s
7 Faulty.....	21s.
22 do.....	
9 Faulty.....	4s.
7 do.....	
2 Black pups.....	
304 skins dry fur seal were sold.	
9 Extra large.....	27s.
12 Large.....	
5 Middling.....	26s.
5 Small.....	
4 Ex. small.....	20s.
26 Ex. small.....	16s.
17 Faulty.....	
20 do.....	10s.
2 Pieces.....	
1 Bastard.....	21s.
11 Small.....	
10 Ex. small.....	20s.
16 Mixed.....	

The continuation of the sales included a further lot of 369 salted and 166 dry fur seal skins. The average advance in seal-skins is about 25 per cent. all over, and skins are in great demand in England.

Messrs. Paul Frind & Co., of this city, have received the following cables respecting the London and Liverpool wool sales which opened on the 16th: The London wool sales opened briskly with a full attendance of home and foreign buyers, an upward tendency in prices from last sales' closing prices. The Liverpool East Indian wool sales opened to-day, and the result is no change in prices. Kandahar dearer.

In the Prices Current dated Liverpool, September 5th, Messrs. Gillespie & Co. report raw sugar strong, and business checked by high prices. Refined shows little change. Rice remains at about 9s. per cwt. for good ordinary quality of cleaned. In chemicals, &c., the market for sodas is very firm at generally improved figures. 60 per cent. White Caustic Soda 10s. per cwt. Blue Copperas 18s. 3d. to 18s. 6d. per cwt., and inclined to advance. Cream Tartar quiet at about 101s. per cwt., less 2½ per cent. Olive Oil is rather easier. Palm dearer, and in demand at £26 to £26 5s. for Bonny, and £27 to £27 5s. per ton for Lagos. Castor Oil selling at 3½d. to 4d. per lb. for good seconds. Freights are as last reported.

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