COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange....APRIL 3.

$5,000	U. S. 6s '81 Regist'd	99½	100	Hud. Riv. R. R.	45½
4,000	do	99½	200	do	45½
1,000	U. S. 6s '81 Coupon	99½	100	do	s3 45
$2,000	Treas. 12 ⅌ c. Notes	103	100	do	s30 45
1,000	Treas. 11 ⅌ c. Notes	103	100	do	b10 45½
4,000	Ohio State 6s '69	79	600	Harlem R. R. Pref.	41½
16,000	Tenn. State 6s '90	75½	500	do	41½
1,500	Virginia State 6s	76	200	Reading R. R.	44
5,000	N. C. State 6s	96½	100	do	43⅞
5,000	do	96½	200	do	43½
20,000	Missouri State 6s	65½	300	do	s10 43½
1,000	do	s60 65½	50	do	s10 43½
1,000	Erie RR. Con. Bs. '71	80	100	do	s10 43½
1,000	Harlem 1st Mtg. Bs.	101	100	Michigan Cen. RR.	s60 57
1,000	Mich. Cen. 5 ⅌ c. 1st	75	5	do	57½
	Mt S F Con Bs. ex int	99½	450	do	57½
3,000	do	100	100	do	57½
1,000	Mich. So. 2d M. Bs.	86½	200	Mich. So. & N. I. Gd. St.	38½
2,000	Illinois Cen. RR. Bs.	97	100	do	b60 38½
1,000	Lack & W. R. R. 1st M.	95½	1450	Illinois Cen. RR. Scrip	81
10	Bank of the Republic	115	100	do	s30 80½
5	Imp. & Traders' Bank	101½	100	do	b30 81
30	Park Bank	105	20	do	80½
50	Pacific M. S. S. Co.	s3 65	25	Cleve. & Pitts. RR.	9
100	do	s60 34½	75	Galena & Chicago RR.	73
455	do	35½	50	do	s10 73
50	N. Y. Cent. R. R.	79	300	Cleve. & Toledo RR.	35½
250	do	79½	100	do	b60 36
100	do	s30 79½	100	do	b7 35½
250	do	s60 78½	200	Chic. & R. Isl. RR.	b30 57½
50	do	b10 79½	150	do	57½
100	Chic., Burl & Qy. RR.	s30 74	10	do	57½
50	do	b60 74½	100	do	s30 57
50	do	b10 74½	50	Del., L. & W'n RR.	31
35	do	74½			

SECOND BOARD.

$5,000	U. S. 6s, '81, coup.	94	200	Harlem R. R. Pref.	41½
5,000	do	93½	100	Reading R. R.	43½
11,000	do	93	100	do	43½
17,000	U. S. 6s, '81, regis.	96½	300	do	43½
15,000	Missouri St. 6s	65½	50	Mich. Cent. R. R.	b10 57
34,000	do	65½	7	do	57
1,000	Tenn. State 6s, '90	74½	100	Mich. So. & N. I. G. S.	38½
4,000	Erie R. R. 4th M. B.	94	150	Ill. Cent R. R. Scrip	81
8,000	Mich. So. 2d M. Bs.	86½	100	do	b10 81
10	Bank of Commerce	95	300	do	s10 81
100	Pac. Mail S. S. Co.	34½	400	Galena & Chic. R. R.	73
250	Hud. Riv. R. R.	45	100	do	73½
100	N. Y. Cent. R. R.	s60 78	200	Gal. & Chic. R. R.	s30 73½
200	do	b30 79½	50	Chic. & R. I. R. R.	s30 56½
100	do	s15 78½	200	do	57
100	do	s10 78½	200	do	s60 56½
200	do	78½	20	do	56½
50	Erie R. R.	31½	100	do	b60 57
100	do	s15 31½	50	Chic., Bur. & Q. R. R.	s30 73½
200	do	31½	100	do	74
200	Harlem R. R.	s5 16			

WEDNESDAY, April 3—P. M.

The Stock market was heavy this morning, and prices had a declining tendency through the session. The new rumors of the secession disturbance in Virginia have given courage to some of the leading bear operators, and the market has been sharply attacked. The result of the hammering is a decline of from ¼ to 1 ⅌ cent throughout the list of Railway shares, and a dull, heavy feeling, without much pressure of stock for sale. Federal Stocks under the favorable statements of the bidding yesterday were firmer, with sales of the coupon stocks at 93¾, and of the registered at 95¼ to 95¾. Treasury Notes also were a fraction better. In State Stocks there was not a large business, and although in one or two instances prices were a trifle lower, the market was steady as compared with Railway shares. The speculative transactions of the morning were not important, and with the exception of a more decided policy on the part of the bears, which appears to have developed itself, in the movements of yesterday and to-day, there is but little of interest to state about the market. The largest business was in New-York Central, Reading, Illinois Central, and Toledo—all at a decline. The shorts were generally buyers at the lowest points touched, and the market was a little firmer just before the adjournment. At the Second Board the bear movement was still continued, and the attacks were quite vigorous during the session. Prices settled down about ¼ per cent under the closing rates of the morning, except for one or two stocks. Among these exceptions was Illinois Central, which closed at 81 bid, against 80¾ in the morning. United States 6s of 1881 opened at 94 for the coupon stock, but was supplied freely, and in the last transactions declined to 93¾. Later in the day it was in demand again at 93¾. The closing prices were: U. S. 6s, '81, registered, 95¼@96; Tennessee State 6s, 74¾@74¾; Virginia State 6s, 75@75¼; Missouri State 6s, 65¼@65¾; Pacific Mail Steamship Company, 84¾@85; New-York Central Railroad, 78¾@78¾; Erie Railroad, 31¼@31¾; Hudson River Railroad, 45@45¼; Harlem Railroad, 16@16; Harlem Railroad Preferred, 41@41¼; Reading Railroad, 43¼@43¾; Michigan Central Railroad, 56¾@57; Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana Railroad, 17@17¼; Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana Railroad, Guaranteed Stock, 38¼@38¾; Panama Railroad, 116@117¼; Illinois Central Railroad, 80¾@81; Galena and Chicago Railroad, 72¾@72¾; Cleveland and Toledo Railroad, 35¾@35¾; Chicago and Rock Island Railroad, 56¾@57; Chicago, Burlington, and Quincy Railroad, 74@74¼; Illinois Central 7s, 97¼@97¾.

There is no business of importance in foreign exchange to-day, the market not having fairly opened for Saturday's steamer. The nominal rates for sterling are, 108 to 108¼ for bankers' bills, the latter asked by leading houses, without effecting sales. The California steamer to-day brings $906,445 in gold, and the America at Halifax has £87,000.

Freights: The market is easier, the supply of tunnage in port being large. To Liverpool—40,000 bush. Corn at 9¼@9½d., in bulk; 2,700 bush. Wheat at 9¼@10½d., in ship's bags; 6,800 bbls. Flour at 2s. 9d. @2s. 10½d.; 600 pkgs. Lard at 32s. 6d.; 150 hhds. Tallow. To Glasgow—1,000 bush. Wheat at 11d., in bags, and 1,200 bbls. Flour at 3s. 6d.

The business of the Sub-Treasury was: Receipts, $1,902,886 36—for Customs, $132,000; Payments, $484,889 24; Balance, $7,598,170 78.

There was some excitement in the street this morning, in consequence of the reported rejection by the Secretary of the Treasury of all bids for the new loan under 94. This decision cuts off all the bidders but $3,069,000, and occasions considerable disappointment among the unsuccessful applicants. Whatever opinion may be entertained of the financial policy of the Secretary, however, it was well understood that the right to reject bids was expressly reserved, and the chances of a refusal of proposals under 94 were strongly hinted at. We do not perceive then that any especial cause for complaint exists. The Secretary, it is understood, has had good financial advisers in the street, and undoubtedly has reason to suppose that more advantageous terms can be made for the Government. Of the amount awarded Boston gets $153,000, and New-York, representing various parts of the country, the balance. The deposits at the Sub-Treasury to-day on account of successful bidders, amount to $1,750,000.

There is no change of importance in the rates for money, and the amount offering in the street is as large as heretofore. The arrangements for payment of the Federal loan have been made without the slightest disturbance. On call, there is an abundant supply at from 5 to 6 ⅌ cent.

The America at Halifax brings news of fresh interest from Europe. The Bank of England has reduced its minimum rate to 7 ⅌ cent. The Cotton market was buoyant and active, at a further advance. Consols are quoted at from 91¾@91¾ for money, and 92¼@92¼ for the account.

The Eagle Fire Insurance Company has declared a dividend of 10 ⅌ cent, payable on demand.

The following are Messrs. Thompson Brothers' quotations for Currency, Land Warrants and Specie to-day:

New-York	2-10@—	Tennessee	4 @—
New-England	2-10@—	Missouri	4 @—
East Jersey	2-10@—	Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana	¼@—
Philadelphia	1-10@—	Michigan	1 @—
Baltimore	3-10@—	Canada	½@—
Interior of Pennsylvania	¼@—	Drafts on Philadelphia	¼@—
Interior of Maryland	¼@—	Drafts on Baltimore	¼@—
West Jersey	¼@—	Drafts on Cincinnati	1 @—
Virginia	5 @—	Drafts on Chicago	5½@—
North Carolina	6 @—	Drafts on St. Louis	3½@—
South Carolina	6 @—	Drafts on Boston	1-5@—
Georgia	5½@—	Drafts on Detroit	5 @—
Mobile	4 @—	Drafts on Mobile	3 @—
Illinois and Wisconsin	1½@—	Drafts on New-Orleans	—@—
New-Orleans	2 @—		

LAND WARRANTS.

	Buying.	Selling.
40 acres	$1 00	$1 10 ⅌ acre.
80 acres	90	90 ⅌ acre.
120 acres	70	90 ⅌ acre.
160 acres	70	80 ⅌ acre.

SILVER.

	Buying.		Buying.
Mexican Dollars	$1 03@$1 04	Guilders	39
Spanish Dollars	1 08	English Silver	4 70@4 80
Five-Franc Pieces	95	Species	1 06
French Crowns	1 08	Old Am. Half Dollars	42@1 03
German Crowns	1 06	Old Am. Quarter Dollars	1 01
Prussian Thalers	70	Spanish Silver, ⅌ oz.	1 20

GOLD.

	Buying.		Buying.
Sovereigns	$4 80@4 82	Span. Doubloons	$15 60@15 75
Twenty Francs	3 82	Patriot Doubloons	15 60@15 60
Ten-Thaler Pieces	7 32	Gold, Am. Old	—@c. prem.
Gen-Guilder Pieces	3 86	Bk. of England Notes	4 79@4 80
Stock of Francs	17c. ⅌ franc.		

The following is a statement of the deposits and coinage of the United States Mint in Philadelphia in the month of March, 1861:

DEPOSITS.

Gold Deposits	$6,967,327 57
Silver and Purchases	242,258 31
Total Deposits	$7,149,585 88
Copper Cents (O. S.), received in exchange for cents of new issue	4,420 68

GOLD COINAGE.

	No. of Pieces.	Value.
Double Eagles	242,427	$4,850,540 00
Eagles	1,500	15,000 00
Half Eagles	2,843	14,218 00
Three Dollars	5,959	17,877 00
Quarter Eagles	10,964	27,410 00
Dollars	13,666	13,666 00
Bars	1	678 59
Total	283,040	$5,049,327 59

SILVER COINAGE.

Dollars	22,000	22,000 00
Half Dollars	29,400	14,700 00
Quarter Dollars	773,000	193,400 00
Dimes	263,000	26,300 00
Half Dimes	642,000	32,100 00
Total	1,729,000	$287,500 00

COPPER.

Cents	900,000	$9,000 00

RECAPITULATION.

Gold	283,000	$5,049,327 59
Silver	1,729,000	287,500 00
Cents	90,000	9,000 00
Total	3,008,000	$5,347,327 59

The following is a report of the amount of coal transported over the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad for the week ending Saturday, March 30:

	Week. Tons. Cwt.	Year. Tons. Cwt.
Shipped North	4,431.08	45,860.16
Shipped South	13,422.18	149,706.15
Total	17,853.06	195,567.13

For corresponding time last year:

	Week. Tons. Cwt.	Year. Tons. Cwt.
Shipped North	2,717.01	31,136.18
Shipped South	16,767.13	160,257.06
Total	19,504.14	191,393.18

The Cleveland Leader has the following in reference to the payment of the Ohio State debt:

A bill has been introduced into the House at Columbus, by Mr. Baldwin, to provide for the payment of the State debt, providing that in order that the sinking fund may be made sufficient to pay the accruing interest upon such debt, and redeem the principal thereof, by not less than $300,000 yearly, there shall be levied annually—including the amount heretofore authorized by law to be levied for the same purpose—a tax of two mills on each dollar of taxable property until the year 1872, and thereafter until the sinking fund be made sufficient for the final extinguishment of the state debt. Section Second provides that so much of the amount raised by this tax as shall be necessary to redeem the principal to the amount named shall be set apart as a "Redemption Fund," to be used for no other purpose.

Under this provision the amount thus raised in 1862 would be $300,000, which would increase by 6 ⅌ cent each year until the close of 1872, when the whole amount would have reached $13,488,985, one-half the amount to be raised each year to be set apart on the first of January, and one-half on the first of July.

Nothing in the act shall be construed to prevent the application of any other fund provided by law from being used in the payment of the State debt, the same as if this act had not passed. The money belonging to the redemption fund may be used for the payment of stocks purchased by the Fund Commissioners the same as for stocks due at the time of payment.

The annual report of the Minnesota (Copper) Mining Company gives an interesting and satisfactory statement of the progress of one of the oldest and most successful enterprises in the country. The product for the year has been 2,150½ tuns of copper, and the gross value $356,594, while the price of copper has averaged 20 92-100 cents ⅌ lb. The net earnings have been $210,766, or more than $10 ⅌ share. The following table, compiled from the report, gives a comparative statement of the business and results of three years:

	1858.	1859.	1860.
Yearly product	1,634 tuns.	1,625 tuns.	1,15½ tuns.
Average ⅌ month	136 tuns.	135½ tuns.	179½ tuns.
Per cent of Copper	70 1 10	71	73½
Average price ⅌ lb.	22¾ cts.	22 cts.	20.92 cts.
Gross value	$365,000	$315,386	$356,594
Cost of mining	273,746	279,229	312,908
Transportation	43,184	37,157	46,472
Smelting	31,273	32,604	40,289
All other expenses	29,624	25,524	46,759
Total cost	374,027	314,534	445,428
Net earnings	21,116	231,301	210,766

The product of the mine, it will be observed, has increased from 1,634 tuns in 1858 to 2,150 tuns in 1860, while the net earnings are but slightly larger—a result entirely owing to the diminished market value of copper. The following statement of resources and liabilities for the fiscal year ending March 1, 1860, and March 1, 1861, will show the general condition of the Company's affairs, and its available surplus assets for the two periods named:

RESOURCES.

	1860.	1861.
Mineral on hand at the mine	$[illegible]	$171,261 00
Supplies on hand at the mine	91,768 23	112,208 19
Input copper on hand	43,303 02	133,931 66
Bills and debts receivable	47,357 57	44,568 71
Cash in Treasurer's hands	12,987 97	32,604 30
Cash in Agent's hands at mine	14,032 32	6,957 14
Total	$404,950 01	$500,931 14

LIABILITIES.

	1860.	1861.
Bills and debts payable	$114,155 77	$134,246 45
Debts at mine Jan. 1	67,150 70	76,395 42
Mining cost Jan. and Feb.	52,660 00	54,000 00
Total	$233,966 47	$265,641 91
Available surplus	$171,673 54	$235,289 23

The following extracts are from the San Francisco Circular of W. T. Coleman & Co. of March 9:

There seems to be a better street demand for money for the coming steamer, but bankers do not find many applications. On the whole, perhaps, there is more required than existed ten days ago, but a parallel case of the same character, and based for the greater part on mining and like securities, not in all cases deemed desirable. The remittances from the interior have not improved in volume. The rates of interest on loans have undergone no change apparently, although there may be some letting up toward the close, in individual cases, as has usually of late been the case. At the moment of writing 2 ⅌ cent is the pretty uniform rate on approved collateral.

Sight Exchange on New-York rules as for last steamer, 2@2½ ⅌ cent, and all but one house we believe, drawing at the latter figure. Bankers' 60-days' sterling continues quotable at 4@4. Other 60-days' bills on London are nominal at 50d. Little doing in any description of foreign bills.

Gold bars are in quite moderate supply, and will probably prove short. Owing to the low rates, a considerable proportion of those produced of late have been minted. To-day the quotation is 4@⅛ fine par. Last New-York quotations 60, which leaves little inducement if any, to ship bars in preference to coin, particularly as on the other side 25 days are required for the return of coin for bars minted. For the past week there has been a good demand for gold bars for China.

The following denotes the deposits, purchases, and coinage at the United States Branch Mint in this city during February:

Gold Bullion deposited—weight after melting	ozs. 47,265 71
Silver Bullion purchased, gross	7,900 45
Coinage—Gold Double Eagles	$780,000 00
Coinage—Silver Half Dollars	5,000
Total coinage	$785,000

The exports of treasure since last reference, and since January 1, have been as follows:

March 1—Per Cortes—To New-York	$599,507 96
To Panama	35,000 00
To England	5,050 00
Total since March 1	$639,557 96
Previously this year	7,084,204 05
Total since January 1	$7,723,762 01
Corresponding period of last year	3,827,513 46
Falling off this year	$1,093,561 45

The amount of funds in the State Treasury at the commencement of business on March 1 was $333,037 31, of which there was credited to the General Fund but $43,096 46. At the date of last advices (6th inst.) the latter fund was reduced to $4,500! As a "relief" measure, another draft on the Swamp Land Fund is proposed, the balance of which fund, yet unborrowed is said to be $93,666 43. A bill to that effect has passed the Senate by a vote of 13 to 8. Fears are entertained that the Interest Fund may be encroached on so soon as the present resource is "exhausted," but perhaps a hasty adjournment would be preferred to such a palpable breach of good faith.

The Stock market has continued quite dull, and leading descriptions are without change. Sales of $10,000 State 7s at 86c. No sales of San Francisco Bonds have been reported, and the demand is very limited. Of Sacramento Valley stock, 100 shares sold at 75c. Some 30 or 40 shares Bensley Water-works stock changed hands, reported to be at 60c.

Markets—CAREFULLY REPORTED FOR THE N. Y. TRIBUNE.

WEDNESDAY, April 3, 1861.

ASHES—The demand is good for *Pots* at $5 31. Pearls are steady but quiet at $5 31½.

BEESWAX is in moderate demand and steady; sales of 200 lb Southern yellow at 34c.

COTTON—The market to-day has been fairly active, and closes very firm; sales of about 3,000 bales, on a basis of 12¼@12½c. for Middling Uplands, and 13c. for Gulfs.

COFFEE—There has been a fair demand for Rio, of which we notice sales of 700 bags at 11¼@11½c., and 2,000 bags at 11c. Other descriptions have also been in request, and we hear of sales of 400 bags St. Domingo at 12½c., cash; 300 mats Java at 17c., and 900 bags Laguayra on private terms. We quote:

Java, ⅌ lb	16½@17½	Maracaibo	13½@14½
Rio, fair to prime	12 @13½	Jamaica	12 @12½
Rio, ordinary	11 @11½	St. Domingo, cash	12½@12½
Laguayra	12½@14½		

CANDLES—The market is quiet but steady at 17@18c. for Adamantines.

COPPER—The inquiry for Refined Ingot has been less active since our last report, but prices are still supported; we quote at 19½@20c., cash, for Baltimore and Lake. New Sheathing is still quoted at 24½c. for sales; and Yellow Metal at 18½@19c.; the business is light.

COAL—The demand for Foreign is limited, and with free arrivals and limited demand prices of most kinds are nominal; Domestic is steady; the demand has been good for the season, and we continue to quote at $4 25@$5 per ton from yard; the Eastern demand is fair.

DYEWOODS—The demand for Logwood is still very fair, but other descriptions are dull, and prices heavy. We notice sales of 350 tuns St. Domingo Logwood at $11 50@$12 12½, according to quality. The stock in New-York, April 1, was as follows: St. Domingo, 194 tuns; Honduras do., 100 do.; Jamaica do., 1,962 do.; Cuba, 194 tuns; Tobasco do., 215 do.; Laguna do., 650 do.; Campeachy, 1,134 do.; Tobasco do., 215 do.; Laguna do., 650 do.; Jamaica Fustic, 26 do.; Cuba do., 303 do.; Tampico do., 33 do.; Maracaibo do., 465 do.; Savanilla do., 390 do.; Camwood, 200 do.; Lima Wood, 2,652 do.; Sapanwood, 115 do., and Barwood, 300 do. Total, 7,539 tuns all kinds, against 2,232 tuns same time last year.

EARTHENWARE—The market is quiet and prices rule steady. The stocks on hand are ample, and not being increased.

FLOUR AND MEAL—Our Flour market opened quite firm, with a brisk demand at full prices, but after the receipt of the steamer's advices the market yielded; at the concession a good business was done chiefly for export. The better grades are in demand at rather higher prices, and are not plenty; the sales are 23,740 bbls. Western Canal at $5 25@$5 35 for superfine State and Western; $5 40@$5 50 for extra State; $5 50@$5 60 for choice brands do.; $5 55@$5 75 for low grades of Western extra; $5 70@$5 75 for shipping brands of Round Hoop Extra Ohio, and $5 80@$7 25 for trade brands do. Canadian Flour is without change, the demand is fair, especially for choice extras; sales of 1,250 bbls. at $5 50@$7 50 for extras. Southern Flour is without important variation, the demand is fair for the local trade and Central America; the arrivals are moderate; the sales are 1,470 bbls. at $5 40@$5 75 for mixed to good superfine Baltimore, &c., and $5 80@$7 25 for the better grades. Rye Flour is in fair demand and is steady; sales of 241 bbls. at $3 30@$4 10. Corn Meal is steady; sales of 550 bbls. at $2 50 for Jersey, $3 15 for Marsh's Caloric, and $3 20 for Brandywine. Buckwheat Flour is salable at $1 50@$1 75 ⅌ 100 lb. We quote:

Fine and	$— —@— —	St. Louis, com'n	— —@— —
State, superfine	5 25@ 5 30	St. Louis, extra	— —@— —
State, good	5 35@— —	Canada, extra	5 50@ 7 50
State, extra	5 45@ 5 50	Balt., Alex. & G'wn	5 40@ 7 00
Ohio, round-hoop	5 70@ 5 75	Richmond City	6 50@ 7 25
Ohio, extra	5 80@ 7 25	Baltimore	5 45@ 6 70
Ohio, choice extra	7 30@ 7 50	Rye Flour, common	3 30@ 4 10
Mich. & Ind. extra	5 55@ 6 75	Corn Meal, Jersey	2 80@ 2 —
Genesee, fancy	5 60@ 6 20	Do. Brandywine	3 20@ 3 —
Genesee, extra	5 50@ 7 10	Do. Puncheons	16 00@16 25

FISH—The market during the past week has been quiet. The very moderate inquiry which does prevail proceeds mainly from city buyers, who only take just such lots as they need for their immediate wants. The out-of-town trade will not probably commence until the opening of the canals, when a good business is anticipated as the stocks in the country are undoubtedly small; the sales of Dry Cod foot up some 3,000 quintals, of which about 600 quintals of George's sold for $3 50@$3 75. Grand Bank are quoted at $2 50@$2 75. Of Mackerel we notice sales of 1,500 bbls., mainly Shore, of which the supply is large. We quote Mess. large No. 1 at $14 25@$14 50; Halifax do. @$15@$15 50; @$10@$10 50 for large No. 2; $5 25@$5 50 for small do.; $6 50 for large No. 3, and $4 25@$4 50 for medium do. Pickled Herring are dull; we quote nominally at $2 25@$2 50. Of Box Herring, we notice sales of some 3,000 boxes at 15@18c. for No. 1 and 23@26c. for Scaled.

FRUIT—Sales of 1,000 boxes Raisins at previous rates. By auction, this morning, 600 boxes Palermo Lemons brought $1 87½@$1 80, and 2,500 boxes Messina Oranges, $1 35@$1 50.

GRAIN—The Wheat market opened quite firm with a good demand for export and milling, but after the receipts of the steamer's advices the demand abated and the market closed dull; the sales embrace 11,000 bush. Chicago Spring at $1 24@$1 28; 23,700 bush. Milwaukee Club at $1 30@$1 32½, the inside rate in store; 5,000 bush. Amber Iowa reported at $1 35; 6,000 Red State at $1 35; 2,200 bush. Choice Amber do. at $1 44; 22,000 bush Red Winter Western at $1 25@$1 37½ in store and at the railroad depots; $1 33 for good do. delivered; 17,000 bush. White Indiana and Ohio at $1 45@$1 50; and 3,200 bush. White Michigan at $1 55@$1 58. Barley is lower and closes dull and heavy, the supply is larger; the sales are 28,000 bush good State at 70c. Barley Malt is quiet at 87½@90c. Oats are in fair demand and are steady at 33@34c. for Western and Canadian, and 34@34½c. for State. Rye is steady and in fair request; sales of 500 bush. Northern at 62c. Corn opened dull and heavy, and are the closer of Change prices declined, at the abatement a good inquiry prevailed for export; the sales are 73,000 bush. at 62½@63c. for new mixed Western at the railroad depot; 67@68c. for old do in store; 69@70c for do. delivered; 63c. for new Yellow Jersey, and 69½@70c for White Southern. We quote:

Wheat, Red Wn.	$1 30@$1 38	Oats, Canadian	33 @ 34
Wheat, White Mo.	1 50@1 62	Oats, New-Jersey	32 @ 33
Wheat, Red Mo.	1 42@1 44	Oats, Penn.	33 @ 33½
Wheat, White Can.	1 32@1 38	Oats, Southern	31 @ 33
Wheat, Can. Club	1 27@1 30	Oats, Ohio	33 @ 34
Wheat, White O.	1 45@1 50	Oats, Chicago	33 @ 34
Wheat, Red Ohio	1 38@1 39	Corn, White So.	69 @ 70
Wheat, White Mic.	1 50@1 60	Corn, White Jersey	62½@ 63
Wheat, White Ill.	1 45@1 50	Corn, Yellow So.	66 @ 68
Wheat, R. Ill. Win.	1 37@1 38	Corn, Yel. Jersey	63½@ 65½
Wheat, White So.	1 50@1 62	Corn, Yel. Wrtn.	70 @ —
Wheat, Red So.	1 42@1 44	Corn, Mixed West.	67 @ 69
Wheat, Am., S. & W.	1 41@1 43	Corn, Mixed So.	65 @ —
Wheat, West. Mix.	1 42@1 43	Corn, Round Nor.	67½@ 68
Wheat, Mil. Club	1 30@1 33½	Corn, Unsound	61 @ 62
Wheat, Chi. Sp'ng	1 24@1 28	Peas, Blackeyed, ⅌ bag of 2 bush	2 50@ —
Rye, Northern	64 @ 65	Peas, Canadian	72 @ 75
Rye, So. & Jersey	63 @ 63½	Peas, Marrowfat	— @ —
Barley	70 @ 75	Beans, White Nor.	1 25@1 45
Barley Malt	88 @ 90	Beans, White So.	— @ —
Oats, State	34 @ 34½		

BEEF—Manilla is quiet but steady at 5½c., 6 months; other kinds are without improvement, and we have only to note sales of — bbls. Steel at 6 months.

HIDES—The market has been more active, and prices are steady. The sales are 1,022 Porto Cabello at 13c., 6 mos., as they run; 3,000 Barcelona at 16c., usual selection; 500 City Slaughter for export, 75 lb. at 42c., cash; 200 as to the trade, 75 lb. 42c., cash; 350 green salted Western, 61 lb. at 62c., and 300 Angiswall on terms did not learn.

HONEY—We notice sales of 12,000 gallons to arrive from a neighboring port on private terms.

HAY—The demand is fair for shipping and the trade, and prices are firm; sales of 800 bales at 70@75c.; small lots at 80@90c. ⅌ 100 lb.

IRON—Scotch Pig has been in moderate request throughout the week, and prices are generally supported; the sales include some 500 tuns at ⅌ 20 50@$22 50 from vessel, according to brand. American Pig is steady, and in fair jobbing demand; some 500 tuns have been disposed of in lots at $21 for No. 2, and $24 for No 1. Bars are quiet and steady. Sheet Iron is but moderately active, and the only sale we hear of during the week was the one reported in yesterday's edition of 100 packs Russia to Boston at 12½c. 6 months. We take the following from The Philadelphia North American of this (Wednesday) morning: "Holders of Pig Metal are firm in their views, but there is very little selling, and no large transactions have come under notice since last week. We quote Anthracite No. 1 at $21@$22; No. 2 at $20@$21, and No. 3 at $19@$20 ⅌ ton, as to brand, on 6 months credit. In Scotch Pig, there is no change, and the sales were limited to small lots from store at $20@$21 ⅌ ton. Manufactured Iron is steady, with a fair business doing in Bars and Rails at former quotations." We quote:

Pig, Scotch ⅌ ton	$21 00@$22 50	Olive, Marseilles,	
Bar, Swedish, ordinary size	77 50@ 80 00	bbls. and box	$5 25@$4 25
Bar, English refined	57 50@ — —	Olive, cks. ⅌ gal.	1 10@1 12½
Bar, English common	46 00@ — —	Palm, ⅌ lb.	8½@ 9
Sheet, Russia, first quality, ⅌ lb.	16@ 17	Linseed, city made	
Sheet, single, double, and treble	3½@ 4½	⅌ gal.	60@ 61
Lead—The market continues very quiet and prices are without quotable change. Bar is held at 6½c., and Sheet and Pipe at 6½c., net cash.		Linseed, English	— @ —
		Wh. Bl., Wrot.	60@ 62
		Wh. Bl., Spring	— @ —
		Sperm, Crude	1 40@1 45
		Fluid	34@ 35

MOLASSES—The demand continues moderate, but prices are sustained; sales of 20 hhds. Cuba at 13c.; 20 hhds. do. at 23c.; 25 hhds. Porto Rico at 32c., and 50 hhds. prime do. at 33c. By auction we notice sales of 30 hhds. Porto Rico at 22@23½c., cash.

NAVAL STORES—The inquiry for Spirits Turpentine still continues moderate, but prices at the close were steady, the sales are, 70 bbls. Southern Spirits at 36c. and 75 New-York at 37c. Rosin—Spirits Turpentine remains as last noticed. Pitch and Tar have met with a fair inquiry, and we notice sales of 350 bbls. Strained and low No. 2 at $1 32½; 750 bbls do. at $1 35; and 150 bbls. No. 2 at $1 50, all ⅌ 310 lb. Common Resin is quiet, with sales of only 500 bbls. at $1 30 ⅌ 300 lb., delivered from vessel by lighter. Tar is still dull and heavy, at $2 25@$2 37½ for Washington and Wilmington, selected.

NAILS—The market for Cut and Clinch is quiet, but prices are steady at previous quotations.

OILS—Linseed still meets with a very fair jobbing inquiry, at 60@62c. We would call particular attention to the fact that crushers and dealers in Linseed Oil have entered into an agreement that in future they will buy and sell only by the standard of 7½ lbs weight to the gallon, dispensing entirely with the common plan of gauging. The same rule has also been adopted in Philadelphia, Baltimore and Boston. Owing to the liability of oil to expand or contract, when exposed to different degrees of heat or cold, the plan of gauging was very uncertain, and gave rise to many disputes, but by adopting the above plan all difficulties will be obviated. The following is a copy of an agreement signed by all the Linseed Oil manufacturers of New-York, Philadelphia, Boston, and Baltimore: "We, the undersigned, manufacturers and dealers in Linseed Oil, hereby agree that we will in future buy and sell Linseed Oil by the gallon of 7½ lb weight only (to correspond with the Government standard), instead of the present uncertain mode of gauging. The above to take effect on and after April 1, 1861." Crude Sperm has been in moderate request, and we hear of further sales of 60 bbls at $1 42. Crude Whale is quiet but steady. Other descriptions are dull, and we hear of no transactions worthy of mention. We quote:

Sperm, Wt'r Upd.	$1 60@$1 62	Olive, Marseilles,	
Do., Sp'g Unb'd	— @ —	bbls. and box	$5 25@$4 25
Lard Oil, No. 1,		Olive, cks. ⅌ gal.	1 10@1 12½
Winter	96 @1 00	Palm, ⅌ lb.	8½@ 9
Red Oil, City	52 @ 53	Linseed, city made	
Camphene	35 @ 37	⅌ gal.	60@ 61
Brandge & Co's		Linseed, English	— @ —
Bl'g Kerosene	— @ —	Wh. Bl., Wrot.	60@ 62
Cotton Seed Cr.	— @ —	Wh. Bl., Spring	— @ —
Ion., Ref. W. B.	— @ —	Sperm, Crude	1 40@1 45
Whale, Crude	42 @ 45	Fluid	34@ 35

OIL CAKE—The supply is limited, and the market is quiet at $36 for Western Thin, and $36@$36 25 for City do.

OIL MEAL—The demand is moderate for the local trade at $1 62½@$1 65 ⅌ 100 lb for State, &c.

PROVISIONS—The Pork market is firm but quiet; sales of 370 bbls. at $16 37½ for Thin Mess; $17 for Mess, and $18 75@$19 for Prime. Beef is held with rather more firmness, and is in fair request for the trade; the sales are 670 bbls. at $6 62½@$6 50 for Country Mess; $8 75@$9 37½ for Repacked Mess, and $10@$11 for extra. Beef Hams are steady and in fair request; sales of 140 bbls. Western at $15. Lard is without change and is in fair request; sales of 250 bbls. and tcs. at 9@10c. Cut meats are in limited demand; sales of 175 hhds. and tcs. at 6@6¾c. for shoulders and 8½@9c. for Hams. Smoked Meats are in fair demand and are steady; the supply is better; sales of Shoulders at 7@7½c. Hams 10@10½c. and Sides at 10@10½c. Rough sides are in fair request at 5½@5¾c. Bacon is in fair supply and in moderate demand at 6½@6¾c., the latter rate for short boneless clay. Bulk Meats are not plenty. Butter is in fair demand at 11@14c. for Ohio, 14@16c. for common to good State, and 18@19c. for Prime State Dairies, and fresh made at 20@21c. Cheese is in moderate request at 7@8c. for Ohio, and 9@10c. for State. We quote:

Beef, M. City, bbl.	$5 62½@6 50	Pork, P'm Wn.	$12 50@13 00
Beef,