COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange....JAN. 8.

21,000 U. S. 6s 1861 Reg'd.	97½	150 Erie Railway	34½
1,000 Mich. St. 8-week B.	77½	50 do	34½
3,000 Tenn. State 6s 1890.	42½	50 do	34
2,000 N. C. State 6s	60	50 do	34
1,000 Missouri State 6s	41	150 Erie Railway Pref	53½
1,000 Erie 2d Mg. Ex. '73	91	200 do	53½
1,000 Erie 3d M. B. '83	89	50 do	53½
1,000 Buff. N Y. & E. 1st M.	75	50 Hudson River RR	30½
5,000 C. B. & Q. RR. sg. b.	90	15 Ill. Cen. RR. Scrip	62½
1,000 Mich. So. 2d M. A'd	61	10 Galena & Chicago RR.	67
8,000 Mich. So. Sk'g Fd. 6s.	52½	100 Harlem RR	12½
200 Ill. Cen. RR. Bonds	89	250 do	12½
1,500 Chic. & N.W. 1st M.	92½	50 Harlem RR. Pref'd	30
7,000 Chic. & N.W. 2d M.	12	100 Mich. Cen. RR	39 49
2,000 Gal. & Chic. 2d M.	56	100 do	49
60 Mil. & Pr. du Ch. RR.	19½	50 do	49 49½
50 do	19½	200 do	49½
1,000 Del., L. & W. 1st M	90	100 do	49½
50 Bank of Com. ex div	75	10 do	49½
30 American Ex. Bank	79	450 Mich. S. & N. I. d R.	29
30 Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	95½	50 Cleve. and Tol. RR	32½
100 do	95½	200 do	32½
50 do	95½	450 do	32½
50 do	95½	400 do	32½
9 New-York Cen. RR	71	100 do	32½
65 do	81½	600 do	32½
200 do	81½	150 Chic. & Rock Isl. R.	52½
6 do	81½	200 do	52½
100 do	81½	50 do	52½
150 do	81½	250 do	52½
100 Mich. S. & N. I. G. S.	40½	27 Mil. & Prairie du Ch'n 1st Pref	80
200 do	40½		
5 Paterson Railroad	111		

SECOND BOARD.

8,000 U. S. 6s, 1861, Coup.	99	100 Pac. Mail S'p Co	60
15,000 do	89½	75 do	95½
2,000 U. S. 6s, 1868, Coup.	97	200 do	95½
5,000 U. S. 6s, 1881, Reg.	89	25 Erie Railway Pref	53½
2,000 U. S. 6s, 1867	97	25 Chic. Bur. & Quincy R.	78
1,000 Minn. State 6s R. B.	75	100 Harlem Railroad	13
4,000 California State 7s	77	400 do	13½
2,000 Erie R. 3d M. Bs. '83	89	100 do	13½
1,000 Erie R. 4th M. Bds.	77	70 Mich. Central RR	49
10,000 do	77½	200 do	49½
3,000 Hud Riv. R. Con. Bs	70	15 do	49½
5,000 Hud Riv. 2d Mg. Bs.	77	18 Mich. So. & N. I. RR.	29
1,000 Gal. & Chic. 1st. Mt.	100	50 Galena & Chi. RR	67½
100 Canton Co.	11½	10 do	68
100 N. Y. Cen. R.R.	81½	100 Cleve. & Toledo RR.	79
25 do	81½	100 do	80
50 Erie Railway	33½	100 do	80
100 do	34	100 do	80
50 do	34	50 Chi. & Rock I. RR.	52½
200 do	34½	100 do	52½
100 do	34½	50 do	52½
300 do	34½		

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 8—P. M.

The Stock market with a moderate degree of activity this morning was irregular but generally had an upward tendency. There was some realizing but the demand for cash stock was fair, especially for Central, which is not plenty. The delay in the arrangement of the financial programme of the Government and the hesitating movement of the banks tend to retard somewhat the stock speculation, but nearly the whole street is now interested in the rise, relying mainly upon the satisfactory traffic of our railroads and upon the expansion and inflation of values which will follow the issue of $100,000,000 of Government currency made a legal tender and giving new life to all the avenues of trade. Most of the prominent operators who were a month ago and previously active bears are now the principal buyers and look for a large advance. After the Board the quotations were well sustained, and at the Second Board the feeling was again better, and the active fancies advanced ¼ to ½ ⅌ cent. Government securities were in improved demand, and the market was quite buoyant. The coupon 6s of 1881 sold at 89½, and the registered at 88, an advance of ½ ⅌ cent. At the close in the street the market was strong, at a further advance. Central sold at 81½; Galena, 67; Erie Common, 34½; Preferred, 56, &c. The quotations at 3½ o'clock were: United States 6s, coupon, 1881, 89@89½; United States 6s, registered, 1881, 87½@88; United States 5s, 1874, 78½@78¾; Indiana 5s, 74@75; Tennessee 6s, 42½@43; Virginia 6s, 49@50; North Carolina 6s, 60@60½; Missouri 6s, 41½@41¾; Pacific Mail Steamship Company, 93½@93¾; New-York Central Railroad, 81½@81¾; Erie Railway, 34½@34¾; Erie Railway, preferred, 56@56½; Huds n River Railroad, 39½@39¾; Harlem Railroad, 13@13½; Harlem Railroad, preferred, 36¾@31½; Reading Railroad, 35½@36; Michigan Central Railroad, 49½@49¾; Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana Railroad, 20½@20¾; Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana Railroad Guaranteed, 41½@42; Panama Railroad, 111@112½; Illinois Central Railroad, 62@62¾; Galena and Chicago Railroad, 67@67½; Cleveland and Toledo Railroad, 36½@36¾; Chicago and Rock Island Railroad, 52½@52¾; Chicago, Burlington, and Quincy Railroad, 58@59.

The foreign bill market closed rather heavy for bankers sterling at 114¼, and commercial signatures 112@114 ⅌ cent. Francs are 5.05@4.95.

Freights are more active, and rates are firmer to Great Britain especially. To Liverpool the engagements are 60,000 bush. Corn at 9@9½d., in bulk, and 9½d., in bags; 25,000 bush. Wheat at 10d., in bags; 2,000 bbls. Flour at 2s. 10½d.@3s., and 500 bbls. do. at 3s. 6d., in a neutral vessel; 1,900 boxes Cheese at 40s.; 800 pkgs. Bacon and Lard at 32s. 6d.@37s.; 500 bbls., 30 hhds. and 400 kegs of Tallow at 30s.; 400 kegs Bacon, for steamer, at 80s., and 1,000 firkins Butter at 90s.; 200 tcs. Beef at 6s. 6d.; 500 bales Cotton at 36s., and 50 bbls. Lard, and 300 tcs. Lard, at 37s. 6d., per neutral flag. To London, 3,000 bbls. Flour at 3s. 3d.@3s. 6d.—the latter rates by a neutral vessel; 200 bags Cloverseed at 37s. 6d., and 250 boxes Bacon at 32s. 6d., by a foreign vessel. To Bristol, 1,800 bbls. Flour at 3s. 6d., in an American ship. To Glasgow, 6,000 bush. Wheat at 10½d., in ships' bags; 500 bbls. Flour at 3s. 3d., and 500 do. do., per neutral vessel, at 4s. To Havre, 1,000 bbls. Flour, by American flag, at 65c., an inside rate, 70c. being the general rate demanded, and 18c. for Wheat.

The charters are an American brig of 288 tuns, out to the north side of Cuba, at $1,400, and a British brig of 110 tuns, to the West Indies and back at $1,500.

The business of the Sub-Treasury was: Receipts—$620,116 42; for Customs, $84,000; on account of Loan, $40,447 64; Payments, $1,369,637 06—including redeemed 6 ⅌ cent notes; balance, $3,988,687 70.

The earnings for the month of December, 1861 on the Chicago and North-Western Railway, were: $55,257 42
Corresponding month, 1860 ..... 53,523 93
Increase $1,733 54

There continues to be a speculative movement in Gold, and the rate to-day has run up to 3½@4 ⅌ cent premium. Part of the demand comes from hoarding, a portion from parties who gave notes previous to the suspension payable in coin, and another portion from the bullion brokers, who are getting together large lots in anticipation of higher rates. The banks continue to pay out small amounts in redemption of their circulating notes, having apparently an apprehension of trouble should protested circulation be returned to the Bank Department. Meantime, the specie reserve of the banks is slowly increasing, and stands to-day somewhat over $25,000,000, against $23,300,000 on Saturday, when those institutions suspended. The loans, on the contrary, have decreased about $3,000,000.

Mr. Cisco has made no further call on the banks, as they are not yet prepared with Treasury Notes to meet it.

Mr. Coe of the American Exchange, and Mr. Gallatin of the National are in Washington as a Committee to arrange the details of closing the old Treasury Note loans.

The steamer to-day from Boston took $350,000 in specie. The Saturday boat from this port it is estimated will take half a million or more.

The Exchanges at the bank Clearing-House this morning were $15,884,483 36.

The New-World Fire Insurance Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 ⅌ cent, payable on the 15th inst. The Goodhue Fire Insurance Co. 3½ ⅌ cent, payable on demand. The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Co. will receive proposals until February 10 for $50,000 first mortgage bonds, payable January 1, 1888, for the sinking fund. The Knickerbocker Fire Insurance Co. have declared a semi-annual dividend of 6 ⅌ cent, payable on and after the 13th inst.

The market for money on call is easier, and we hear of some loans being made as low as 5 ⅌ cent. The current quotations, however, are 6@7 ⅌ cent. The supply is again quite abundant. Paper is 7 ⅌ cent for choice names.

Banks and others should know that demand notes are now received and paid out at the Sub-Treasury without regard to the place of payment. It is understood that under the new act large denominations will be issued—100s, 500s, &c., &c. Some of the banks are taking a very factious course in regard to Treasury notes, and one which, while they are at present the creatures of sufferance themselves, is not calculated to win friends for them. The legal tender bill will, however, arrange this question.

The following from an evening journal may be somewhat rose-colored, but there is enough of certainty in it to show that, unless some sudden change in the traffic of the road occurs, the Company will earn 8 ⅌ cent on the Preference shares in 1861-62, and that the values of the two great through routes to the West are more nearly equal than the market quotations would indicate:

The opinion that the Erie Railway will earn a dividend upon its Preferred Stock in 1862 seems to be doubted. The annexed figures show that it can be done very readily:

The earnings in the first quarter—October, November, and December—were	$2,257,000
Earnings Jan. to Sept. 30, 1861	$3,948,511
Add 15 ⅌ cent for 1862	571,975
	4,510,486
Total	$6,775,486
Less operating expenses as in 1861	$2,620,635
Mortgage interest	1,378,465
Rent of Roads	130,440
	5,137,446
Remaining for floating debt and preferred stock	$1,638,040

The road had last year as now full business one way only. The track and equipments are in first-rate order, and the Long Dock in full use. So far as can now be seen, the Preferred stock of the Erie Road is as secure of 7 ⅌ cent as New-York Central of 6 ⅌ cent.

We annex a comparative statement of the Exports (exclusive of specie) from the port of New-York to foreign ports for the week ending Jan. 7:

	1860.	1861.	1862.
For the week	$1,042,627	$2,925,775	$2,246,010

Included in the exports of domestic produce for the week, are 16 bbls. potashes, 5,872 lb beeswax, 57,660 bbls. wheat flour, 185 bbls. rye flour, 1,025 bbls. corn meal, 382,201 bush. wheat, 54,612 bush. rye, 600 bush. oats, 132,277 bush. corn, 1,237 boxes candles, 1,880 tons coal, 550 bales hay, 295 bales hops, 20 bbls. rosin, 50 bbls. pitch, 13,673 gallons whale oil, 6,287 gallons sperm oil, 120 gallons lard oil, 100 gallons linseed oil, 2,975 bbls. pork, 320 bbls. and 1,141 tcs. beef, 2,256,357 lb cut meats, 480,195 lb butter, 702,682 lb cheese, 1,398,402 lb lard, 431,696 lb tallow, 2,413 pkgs. crude tobacco, and 2,473 lb manufactured tobacco.

The following are the Thompson Brothers quotations for Currency to-day:

	disc.		disc.
New-England	¼@—	Ohio and State Bk. Ind	1@—
New-York State	¼@—	Kentucky	2@—
East Jersey	¼@—	Illinois	3@5
West Jersey	¼@—	Wisconsin	5@85
Pennsylvania	¼@—	Missouri	15@50
Philadelphia	¼@—	Michigan	1@—
Baltimore	¼@—	Canada	¼@—
Wheeling	50@—		

SILVER.			
Mexican Dollars	$1 05	Guilders	$ —
Spanish Dollars	1 03	English Silver	4 75@4 85
Five Franc Pieces	97	Species	1 00
France	—	Old Am. Half Dollars	1 03
French Crowns	1 10	Old Am. Quar. Dollars	1 02
German Crowns	1 08	Spanish Silver, ⅌ oz	1 21
Prussian Thalers	79	New Am. Silver	1 01

GOLD.			
Victoria Sovereigns	$4 95	Span. Doubloons	$16 35
Old Sovereigns	4 60	Patriot Doubloons	15 50
Twenty Francs	3 90	Gold. Am. Quar. Dollars	1 07
Ten-Thaler Pieces	7 80	Gold. Am. New	1 03
Ten Guilder Pieces	4 00	Bk. of England Notes	4 85

During the suspension specie will fluctuate from day to day, therefore our quotations cannot be implicitly reliable as heretofore.

The following are the footings of the Boston Bank statement for the past two weeks:

	Dec. 31.	Jan. 7.
Capital stock	$28,231,700	$28,231,700
Loans and discounts	65,640,000	65,613,000
Specie	5,030,000	8,221,500
Due from other Banks	7,985,000	8,201,900
Due to other Banks	8,649,000	9,133,000
Deposits	27,607,000	27,093,000
Circulation	6,057,000	6,451,000

The weekly statement of the Philadelphia banks, made up Monday afternoon, presents the following aggregates, as compared with those of the previous week:

	Dec. 30.	Jan. 6.	
Capital Stock	$11,570,150	$11,570,150	
Loans	30,964,281	31,046,977	Inc. $162,656
Specie	5,493,191	5,679,728	Inc. 186,547
Due from other Banks	1,965,412	1,796,805	Inc. 231,393
Due to other Banks	3,590,253	3,645,956	Inc. 59,705
Deposits	21,048,610	21,396,014	Inc. 347,404
Circulation	2,011,179	2,145,219	Inc. 134,040

The coal transported over the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad for the last week was:

	Week. Tons. Cwt.	Year. Tons. Cwt.
Shipped North	.....	270,302 12
Shipped South	.....	832,938 11
Total	.....	1,103,241 03

For corresponding time last year:

	Week. Tons. Cwt.	Year. Tons. Cwt.
Shipped North	.....	252,273 01
Shipped South	.....	827,954 09
Total	.....	1,080,227 10
Increase		23,013 13

The amount of the public debt of Ohio on the 15th of November, according to the Message of Gov. Dennison, was as follows:

Total issued		$26,798,307 56
Canceled	$349,858 56	
Redeemed	5,009,766 93	
Redeemed by relenses	6,541,468 43—11,901,094 22	
Outstanding Nov. 15, 1861		$14,897,213 34

The Cincinnati Gazette of Monday, says:

A weakness in exchange was the only new feature of importance visible in the money market on Saturday. The rates for New-York were not lower, the business having been transacted mostly at ¼ premium buying, and ½ premium selling; but toward the close some of the houses refused to allow over ¼ premium, and bankers' checks were on the street, to a limited amount, at ½. There was a general decline in the rates on outside points. This grows mainly out of the discrimination at New-York against demand Treasury notes payable outside of that city. The demand for sight drafts on Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore is comparatively trifling, and the offerings of commercial checks and Treasury notes, payable at those points, furnish an excess, which has to be converted into New-York credits.

Gold was firm, but the demand light. Some of the bankers, as previously, supplied their customers at 1 premium, and for Indiana currency it was obtainable at the same figure. The Board of Control of the State Bank of Ohio has resolved to continue to pay specie. This will place Ohio currency on a footing with Indiana. Both are getting very scarce. Bankers pay out small bills occasionally, but beyond this a man might put into his pipe all the Ohio and Indiana notes that could be drawn on checks, in Third street, in the course of a day.

Demand Treasury Notes constitute the currency now. This is handled freely by the bankers and the idea of discrediting it is not entertained. In fact it cannot be dispensed with, and it is doubtful, from the rapidity with which Ohio and Indiana notes are disappearing, whether the amount of the $50,000,000 issue that is likely to be kept out in the West will be equal to the wants of business. The demand for loans on Saturday continued light. Lenders were not disposed to increase their discount lines, but to moderate were the offerings of acceptable paper that there would be no opportunity to increase the lines with securities of this class, were the disposition the opposite to what it is.

Rates of interest remain at 10@12 ⅌ cent.

Markets—CAREFULLY REPORTED FOR THE N. Y. TRIBUNE.
WEDNESDAY, Jan. 8, 1862.

ASHES are in better request and are firmer though prices are somewhat unsettled; sales of Pots and Pearls at $6¼@25.

BEESWAX is quiet, but firm, at 32@33c. for Yellow.

COTTON—The demand continues light, and we notice no essential change in prices; sales of 150@200 bales at about 25c @26c. for Middling Uplands, and do. Gulf. An auction sale of "contraband" Sea-Island Cotton will be held by the Government on Friday next at Nos. 65 and 67 Watts street.

COFFEE—The market for all descriptions, except Rio, is quiet, but very firm. Rio has been in fair demand, and full prices are obtained. We hear of sales to day of 1,300 bags at 17,@20c. according to quality. We quote:

Rio	17½@20	Bombay	— @—
Maracaibo	22 @24	Laguayra	22 @24
Java	25 @26	Costa Rica	— @—
Jamaica	— @—	St. Domingo	19 @20

COAL—Domestic has been in good demand, and the market is rather firmer, influenced by limited receipts and a decreasing stock; sales of small and large size from yard at $4@$4½ ton. Foreign has been in moderate request, and common qualities are better, owing to a reduced supply; sales of 426 tons New Kelton Main at $5 25; 500 tons Scotch Steam at $4, cash, from yard, and 250 tons do. to arrive at about $3 75, cash.

CANDLES—Adamantine are in limited request at 16@18c.

CANDLES—Tallow are in fair demand, and prices are firmer; sales of 150 boxes at 12@12½c. for Mould, and 11½@11¾c. for Dipped, 6 mos. and cash.

CHEESE—The market is quiet, but steady; sales of 300 boxes at 7@7½c. for Ordinary to Prime.

CORDAGE is in limited request at 16c. for American Manilla, 12c. for Russian tarred, and 12½@13c. ⅌ lb for do. Bolt Rope.

DYEWOODS—The market is quiet, but the stock is light, and previous rates are well maintained.

FLOUR AND MEAL—The inquiry for Western Canal Flour was quite limited early in the day, but after the receipt of the steamer's news prices declined 5@7½c. ⅌ bbl., and a better export demand prevailed at the concession. The better grades, however, are well sustained in view of limited arrivals and a fair inquiry. The sales comprise 11,700 bbls. at $5 45@$5 56 for superfine State, $5 72½@$5 80 for Extra State, $5 85@$5 90 for Fancy do., $5 75@$5 90 for the low grades of Western Extra, $5 85@$6 for shipping brands of round hoop Extra Ohio, and $6 10@$7 for trade brands do. Canadian Flour is in limited demand and easier though the arrivals of all kinds are quite light; sales of 750 bbls. at $5 75@$6 75 for Extras. Southern Flour arrives very sparingly, and with a fair inquiry prices are maintained; sales of 1,250 bbls. at $5 90@$6 30 for mixed to good superfine Baltimore, &c., and $6 35@$7 for Extras. Corn Meal is quiet but steady at $3 for Jersey, and $3 30 for Brandywine. Buckwheat Flour is in good request at $1 80@$1 85 ⅌ 100 lb. Rye Flour is in moderate demand; sales of 170 bbls. at $3@$4 30.

Fancy	$4 50@ 5 25	St. Louis, com'n	$5 25@ 6 00
State, superfine	5 45@ 5 55	St. Louis, extra	6 10@ 7 50
State, good	5 50@ 5 75	Canada, extra	5 75@ 6 75
State, extra	5 72½@ 5 80	Balt. Alex. & G'wn	5 00@ 7 00
Ohio, round hoop	5 50@ 5 60	Richmond City	—@—
Ohio, extra	5 95@ 6 00	Baltimore	5 80@ 6 00
Ohio, choice extra	6 10@ 7 00	Rye Flour	3 00@ 4 30
Mich. & Ind. extra	5 75@ 6 70	Corn Meal, Jersey	3 00@ 3 05
Genesee, fancy	5 50@ 5 95	Do. Brandywine	—@ 3 30
Genesee, extra	6 10@ 6 75	Do. Puncheons	15 50@—

FRUIT—The demand is moderate for all kinds, but prices are firm. Sales of 400 bags Sicily Walnuts at 4½c. Last sales of Raisins were at $2 20@$2 40 for Bunch and Layers. Sales at auction to-day of 1,872 boxes Sicily Oranges at $1 80@$2 10, and 1,200 boxes Lemons at $2 62@$2 90.

FISH generally are quite dull, but the supply of great kinds is moderate, and prices are well maintained. We quote Dry Cod at $2 62½@$3 75 for small and large size Western and St. George's. Mackerel at $18@$19 25 for small, and $15@$15 50 for large Mass., and $15@$16 for large Halifax; $7@$7 50 for small and large No. 2 Mass.; $5 50@$6 for large No. 3 do., and $4@$4 25 for small and medium do.; $2 25@$4 for Pickled Herring, as to quality; 13@24c. for scaled do.; 12@13c. for No. 1 do., and $2 ⅌ keg for Dutch do.

FEATHERS—The demand is limited at 38@40c. for Tennessee and Western prime.

GRAIN—The Wheat market, in the absence of any receipts, is fully 1c. ⅌ bush. easier since the receipt of the steamer's news, without leading to active business, owing in part to the advance in freights; the sales comprise 12,100 bush. Chicago Spring at $1 20@$1 29; 6,100 do. Racine Spring at $1 29½; 11,400 bush. Milwaukee Club at $1 30@$1 32; 1,700 bush. Amber Iowa, in small lots from store, at $1 35@$1 35; 9,500 bush. Red Western at $1 30@$1 41; 3,700 bush. Amber Michigan, in store, at $1 43@$1 45; and 500 bush. choice White Michigan at $1 53. Barley is inactive, but the receipts are limited, and prices are firm at 73@75c. for State, and 75@83c. for Canada West. Oats are in fair demand, and are steady at 42@43c. for Jersey, Western, and Canadian, and 44@44½c. for State. Corn is firm, and in moderate request for export and investment; sales of 61,000 bush. 65c. for Western mixed, in store, and 66@66½c. for do. delivered. We quote:

Wheat, R'd W'n	$1 29@$1 41	Oats, Canadian	42½@ 43
Wheat, W'e Mo.	1 30@1 38	Oats, New-Jersey	42½@ 43
Wheat, Red Mo.	1 43@1 44	Oats, Penn.	42½@ 43
Wheat, W'e Can.	1 44@1 53	Oats, Southern	42½@ 43
Wheat, Can. Club	1 32@1 35	Oats, Ohio	42½@ 43
Wheat, White O.	1 45@1 50	Oats, Chicago	42½@ 43
Wheat, Red Ohio	1 39@1 41	Corn, White So.	77 @ 80
Wheat, W'e Mich.	1 30@1 38	Corn, Yellow So.	67 @ 68
Wheat, White Ill.	1 43@1 47	Corn, Yel. Jer.	67 @ 68
Wheat, Red Wn.	1 39@1 42	Corn, Yel. West'n	67 @ 67½
Wheat, White So.	1 32@1 60	Corn, Mixed West	66 @ 66½
Wheat, Red So.	1 44@1 46	Corn, Mixed So.	— @ —
Wheat, A., S. & W.	1 40@1 47	Corn, Round Nor.	63 @ 64
Wheat, W'n, Mix.	1 40@1 44	Corn, Unsound	61 @ 62
Wheat, Mil. Club	1 30@1 33	Peas, Blacke'd, ⅌ bag of 2 bush.	3 50@4 00
Wheat, Chi. Sp'g	1 28@1 29½	Rye, Northern	83 @ 84
Rye, Northern	83 @ 84	Peas, Canadian	84 @ 90
Rye, So. & Jersey	82 @ 82½	Peas, Marrowfat	2 35@ —
Barley	72 @ 74	Beans, White Nor.	2 20@2 50
Barley Malt	88 @ 95	Beans, White So.	— @ —
Oats, State	44 @ 44½		

GUNNY BAGS are quiet at 13@14c., cash.

GUNNY CLOTH is dull but firm at 11c., cash.

GUNPOWDER is steady and in good request. We quote Blasting at $4@$4 10; Shipping at $4 25, and American Sporting at $7@$7 75.

HEMP—The market is quite dull but steady at $210@$220 for American Dressed; $140@$160 for do. Undressed; $250 for Clean Russia; $175@$180 for Jute, and 8c. for Manilla.

HIDES—Within a day or two there has been rather more doing to the trade, and prices are very firm; sales of Orinoco at 20@21c.; Dry-Salted Maracaibo at 17½c., and Rio Grande at 22c. The stock on hand is 227,000, against about the same number this time last year.

HAY—The arrivals are light, and, with a good demand, prices are better; sales of 300 bales at 80@85c. ⅌ 100 lb.

HOPS—The market is firm and more active, sales of 200 bales new at 17@22c. for ordinary to prime, and 25@28c. for small lots of choice selection, short time, adding interest.

IRON—The market is quiet but firm for all descriptions. We quote:

Pig, Scotch ⅌ ton	$22 00@$24 00		
Bar, Swedish, ordinary size	77 50@ 80 00		
Bar, English refined	52 50@ 57 50		
Bar, English common	47 50@ 55 00		
Sheet, Russia, first quality, ⅌ lb	13 @ 13½		
Sheet, English and American	3½@ 6		

LEAD—Pig is quiet but firm at 6½@7 for soft Spanish and German, and $5@$7 25 for Galena. Bar, Sheet, and Pipe are steady at 8@8½c. Old Lead commands 5½c.

LATH—The market remains quiet, but the supply is small, and holders are firm at $1 25@$1 30 for cargoes, and $1 45@$1 50 for smaller lots to the trade.

LUMBER—The market is rather quiet, but firmer for Eastern Spruce and Pine Timber, owing to the light stock offering and the limited receipts immediately in prospect; 120,000 feet sold at $12, usual time.

LIME—The market is dull, but the stock and arrivals are alike limited, and prices are firm at 65c. for common Rockland, and $1 cask for Lump.

LEATHER—Oak Sole has been in rather better demand, but is not active; prices are unchanged. Hemlock Sole has been in active demand, and prices are firmer. Slaughter Upper is rough is dull and nominal.

MOLASSES—The demand is very light, though the market for nearly every description continues firm; sales of 10 hhds. Porto Rico at 40c.

NAILS are steady at 3½c. for Cut; 4½c. for Clinch, and 12½c. 6 mos. for Wrought Horse.

NAVAL STORES are quiet, but the stock of all kinds is small, and prices are firm; sales of 300 bbls. Spirits Turpentine, at $1 52½ ⅌ gallon, cash, and 150 bbls. low No. 1 Rosin at $7 25@$7 50 ⅌ bbl.

OILS—The market is quiet, but steady; sales of 200 bbls. Crude Whale at 48c., cash. Linseed sells slowly from Crushers' hands at 38@37c., in casks and in bbls. We quote:

Olive, Marseilles, bkts. and bxs	$3 25@$3 50	Sperm, W'r Ud	$1 50@$1 55
Olive, rks. ⅌ gal.	1 22@1 27½	Do., Sp'g Unb'd	— @$1 50
Palm, ⅌ lb	9½@ 9	Lard Oil, No. 1, Winter	70 @ 85
Linseed, city m'de ⅌ gal	85 @ 87	Red Oil, City	51 @ 53
Linseed, English	— @ —	Camphene	1 52½@1 65
Wh. Bl., W'r	57 @ 60	Brundage & Co's Ill'g Kerosene	— @ 50
Wh. Bl., Spring	55 @ 57	Cotton Seed Cr.	— @ —
Sperm, Crude	1 45@1 50	Do., Ref. W. B.	— @ —
Fluid	62 @ 64	Whale, Crude	46 @ 50

OIL CAKE—A fair inquiry is noticeable for shipment, and the market is somewhat unsettled; sales of City at $37@$37 50 in bags, and $40@$41 in bbls. Country is scarce and nominal.

OIL MEAL is in better supply and in moderate demand; sales of 17 tuns at $1 60@$1 90 ⅌ bbl.

PROVISIONS—The Pork market is less active and is heavy under the influence of liberal arrivals; sales of 700 bbls. at $14 75@$ 2 25 for Old and New Mess, and $9@$9 50 for New Prime. Beef is in fair demand and is firm; sales of 430 bbls. at $11 50@$12 for Plain Mess, and $13 50@$14 for Extra. India Mess is firm and in fair demand; sales of 400 tcs. at $28. Beef Hams are dull yet steady at $14@$14 75. Cut Meats are dull. Dressed Hogs are in good supply and are lower; sales of Western at 4¾@4¾c., and City at 4½c. Lard is in good demand and is firm; sales of 2,600 bbls. at 7½c. ⅌ head; 8c. for No. 1, 8½@8½c. for fair to Prime, and 8¾@9c. for Choice City. Bacon is in active request and is a shade firmer; sales of 1,700 boxes at 6½c. for Western Cumberland, 7c. for City do., 7½c. for short ribbed Western, 7½@7½c. for do. Clear, and 7¾@8c. for do. City Clear. Butter is in better request for shipment at steady rates. We quote good to Choice State at 17@20c.; ordinary to fair do. at 14@17c.; Ohio Western Reserve at 14@16c.; do. Middle and Southern at 12@14c., and Roll at 12@16c. Cheese is in better demand for export at 6½@7½c. for State, and 5½@6c. for Ohio.

Beef, M. Cy, bl.	$5 00@$6 50	Pork, P'm W'n.	$8 50@$ 9 50
Beef, Prime City	4 25@ 4 75	P'k, P's M'e W'n.	11 00@11 10
Beef, Mess City, nominal		Beef Hams, ⅌ bl.	14 00@14 75
Beef, Mess West	11 50@12 00	Lard, bbls., ⅌ lb	8 @ 8½
Beef, Mess Ext.	13 50@14 00	Hams, Pickled	5½@ 6
Beef, Prime Mess	9 50@21 00	Hams, Dry Salted	5 @ 5½
Pork, Prime Mess	13 00@14 00	Shoulders, Pickled	4 @ 4½
Pork, City Mess	12 50@14 00	Shoulders, Dry Salted	4 @ 4½
Pork, Mess W.	11 75@12 25		

PAINTS are in limited demand, with moderate sales of Satin White at $17; Venetian Red at $1 87½; Indian Red at 9c.; Crocus Martius at 7c., and Paris White, to arrive, at 1½c., 6 mos.

RICE—The business has been very limited, and we have no important sales to advise. Carolina is quoted at 7@7½c.

SUGAR—The inquiry for Raw to-day has been fair, and full prices are obtained. The sales are some 640 hhds., including 30 hhds Porto Rico at 5½c.; 84 do. do. refining grades at 5½c.; 350 English Island, part at 7½@8c., and Cuba at 7½@7½c.; also, 200 boxes Havana at 9c. Refined are quiet, but steady at 10@11c. for Ingots. We quote:

New-Orleans ⅌ lb	4½@5½	Whites (boxes)	6½@10
Porto Rico	5½@6	Fair Refining	7½@7¾
Cuba Muscovado	6½@6½	Fair Grocery	8 @8½
Cummoohee (boxes)	6½@7	Manila	7½@7½
Browns (boxes)	7½@8	Brazil, Brown	7½@7½
Yellows (boxes)	8½@9	Melado	9 @9
Florettes (boxes)	9 @9½		

SPICES—The market for all descriptions continues excited, and prices are strongly tending upward—it being generally believed that the present Congress will increase the duty upon all Spices. We hear of sales to-day of 1,000 bags Pepper at 18@19c., mainly at 19c.; 200 bales Cloves at 20c., now held at 22½c., and 100 bags Ginger (Race) at 13½c.

SEEDS—Cloverseed has been in good request, and the market is a shade better; sales of 350 bags at 7@7½c. Timothy is scarce and nominal at $2@$2 12½ ⅌ bush. Rough Flaxseed is very scarce; small sales are making at $2 ⅌ bush. of 56 lb. Calcutta is quiet but firm at $2 50 on the spot, and $2 45 ⅌ bush. in Boston.

SALT—The market is quiet, yet steady; sales of 875 sacks Ashton's, out of ship Alexander Marshall, at $1 70. We quote Worthington's, and Jeffry's, and Darcy's at $1 35@$1 40; Liverpool Ground at 65@70c., Marlin's at 72c., and Turks Island at 20c.

SHOT—The market is quiet but steady at 8½c. for Drop and 9c. for Buck, cash.

SPELTER has been in fair request at $5 50@$5 75 for Bleyberg and Silesian, and $6 for Lehigh, now held higher.

SKINS—Deer are scarce, and held with much firmness; sales of 7,000 lb Sisal at 44c., less 5 ⅌ cent off for cash. Goat are held with increased firmness at 40@45c. for Curacoa, 37@38c. for Tampico, 32@35c. for Vera Cruz, and 24@26c. for Buenos Ayres.

TALLOW—The market is firmer; the demand good and arrivals moderate; sales of 83,000 lb at 9½@9¾c. for Western, and 9½@9¾c. for City. Rough Fat is selling at 6½c., cash.

TIN—Pig has been sparingly dealt in, but is much firmer, in view of an increased duty and the advance in foreign exchange; we quote Banca nominal at 32@33c., and Straits at 32½@33c. Plates are quiet but firm at $9 75@$10 for ⅓ X, and other brands in the same proportion.

WHALEBONE has been in limited request; sales of 6,000 lb Arctic at 75c., and 20,000 do. Ochotsk at 72½c., cash.

WOOL—Native fleece has been in improved demand at steady rates; sales of 300,000 lb ¼, ½, ¾ and full-blood Merino at 42@60c., mostly at 44@50c. The supply of low and medium grades is small, and being most in request for manufacturing purposes for army clothing command as much as choice saxony, which is something very unusual. Some of the manufacturers of fine Cassimeres and Doeskins, however, have recently changed their looms on to these goods and there has been a little more inquiry for the finer grades consequently at 50@52c., but not sufficiently to import any buoyancy to the market, since the adjustment of the Mason and Slidell controversy with Great Britain. California is scarce and wanted at full prices; sales of 2,000 lb fair quality washed at 50c. Foreign grades are less buoyant and are rather quiet at the moment, but the supply is light and all desirable parcels are held with much firmness; sales of 30 bales East India at 30@33c. We quote:

Domestic Fleece ⅌ lb	50@52	South Am. com. washed	14@17